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2020-2021 COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW

OVERVIEW OF PROGRAM REVIEW AND PLANNING FOR NON-INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

Program Review is a self-study of your unit. For non-instructional program review, the definition of what is a unit varies based upon your division. A unit may be a department (e.g., Information Services, Institutional Research and Planning, Financial Aid), a program (e.g., EOPS, TRIO), or a division (Human Resource Services). The Vice Presidents for each division have identified/defined the units that will complete the review cycle.

Regardless of whether your unit is a program, department, or division, program review is about documenting the plans you have for improving Institutional Effectiveness in your area and sharing that information with the college community. Through the review of and reflection on key elements, program review and planning identifies program strengths as well as strategies necessary to improve the operation of your area. With that in mind, please answer the following questions.

BASIC UNIT INFORMATION

Program/Unit Name

Business & Contract Services

Division Name

Finance & Adminstrative Services

Department Name

Business & Contract Services

Name of Person responsible for the Program/Unit

Vacant

Website address(es) for your program(s)/unit(s)

Webpage URL 1

Unit webpage

https://www2.palomar.edu/pages/businessservices/

Please list all participants and their respective titles in this Program Review

Participant Title

Carmen Coniglio Senior Director, Fiscal Services (Purchasing)

Vacant Director, Business Services

Vacant Purchasing Supervisor

Amber Cross Senior Buyer

Vacant Senior Buyer

Teresa Wacker Senior Buyer

Christy Carter Buyer

Shawn McCann Administrative Specialist II

Debbi Claypool Senior Contracts Administrator

Allen Young Contracts Administrator

Yulian Ligioso Acting VP Finance & Admin Services (Contracts)

Tony Payton Warehouse Technician

Rick Greene Warehouse Technician

PROGRAM/UNIT MISSION STATEMENT

What is you Program/Unit's mission statement?

Finance and Administrative Services is dedicated to providing quality service to the District's administration, faculty, and staff in support of an engaging teaching environment for our stents. We are committed to operating in a manner that is based upon integrity, transparency, and equity while recognizing the central role of administrative support services in the success of the institution and in ensuring the public's trust.

Describe how your mission statement aligns with and contributes to the College's Vision and Mission.

The Business and Contract Services Department mission supports administration, faculty, staff in providing an engaging teaching and learning environment for students of diverse origins, experiences, needs, abilities, and goals.

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PROGRAM/UNIT DESCRIPTION

Staffing

Use the Permanent Staff Count link below to answer staffing questions.

Link: Permanent Employees Staff Counts

This form required a login and password to access. Please use your Palomar email and password to log in.

Full-Time Staff	Part-Time Staff	
Total Number of Full-time Staff 13.00	Total Number of Permanent Part-time Staff 0.00	
Number of Classified Staff 10.00	FTE of Part-time Staff (2x19 hr/wk=.95) 0.00	
Number of CAST Staff 1.00	FTEF of Part-time Faculty 0.00	

Number of Administrators

2.00

Number of Full-time Faculty

0.00

Describe additional temporary hourly or contract staff who support this unit and/or department. (Include FWS/District Student Worker/Veteran Student Worker)

Three (3) hourly warehouse workers.

As part of the PRP cycle, Human Resource Services has sent organizational charts to all non-instructional units. Please review the charts and make any needed changes. Attach a copy of the chart when you are submitting your review or provide the link to your organizational chart if it is online.

OR

If you cannot create an organizational chart, or did not receive one from Human Resource Services, list the positions in your unit showing reporting relationships (e.g., Manager, Facilities with the following direct reports, Supervisor Position A, Supervisor Position B, Supervisor Position C; Supervisor Position A with direct reports, Position A, Position B, Position C)

If you need help, please contact us and we will walk you through the process (msnyder2@palomar.edu or mbarton@palomar.edu)

How will you submit your organizational chart?Upload Document

Upload





Program/Unit Description

Who utilizes your services

Administrators, Faculty, and Staff

What services does your program/unit provide (Describe your program/unit)?

Procurement and Contract Services; including board agenda items, board reports, bids, request for proposal, request for qualification.

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PROGRAM/UNIT ASSESSMENT

SERVICE AREA OUTCOME ASSESSMENT

GOT SERVICE AREA OUTCOMES?

Outcomes are statements written in support of student learning to show direct support (instruction) or indirect support (services) provided on campus. Assessment is the way we measure how well we are achieving our outcomes.

For non-instructional areas, outcomes are called Service Area Outcomes (SAO).

So, what is an SAO?

A Service Area Outcome (SAO) is a statement about what a client will experience, receive, or know as a result of a given service. Clients can be students, faculty, staff, or community members.

As part of our three-year planning and review cycles, all non-instructional units are asked to:

- · identify at least two SAOs,
- · develop a plan and assess their SAOs,
- · reflect on the results,
- · and take action, as necessary.

Palomar has adopted Nuventive Improve (previously named TracDat) as our official repository for SLO and SAO Assessment information.

Review and/or define your SAOs and assessment plans and ensure they are entered in Nuventive Improve by:

- 1) Login to Nuventive Improve (previously TracDat) https://www2.palomar.edu/pages/sloresources/2015/08/10/tracdat/. Your Palomar username and password is your login.
- 2) Check your SAOs for currency and sunset any SAOs if you no longer plan to assess them.
- 3) Revise or edit your current SAOs by revising their wording and/or updating the assessment and assessment results.

NEED HELP?

Nuventive Improve:

- 1) If you need help with anything Nuventive Improve related such as login, unit identification, entering SAO info, contact Marti Snyder at msnyder2@palomar.edu.
- 2) Check out this video on how to enter SAOs in Nuventive Improve: https://youtu.be/b1sRa68wm4c

Defining and Assessing SAOs:

Not sure if your SAOs make the grade? Need some help writing an SAO? Not sure about how to assess your SAOs?

- 1) Hartnell's SAO Guide is a nice resource! Thank you Hartnell!
- 2) Contact Michelle Barton at mbarton@palomar.edu. We have a resource support team to help.

A template for entering SAOs can be found on the IR&Ps Non-instructional Program Review and Planning website



Are all of your unit's SAOs and assessment plans UPDATED and ENTERED in Nuventive Improve? No

If NO, describe why and identify a date by which they will be entered.

Debbi Claypool and Amber Cross are unable to log in to Nuventive Improve.

SAOs SUMMARIES AND REFLECTIONS

For each SAO in Nuventive Improve summarize what you learned from the assessment and what improvements you have implemented or plan to implement as a result of your SAO assessments.

SAOs

SAO 1

SAO Title Assessment Status
Not assessed

SAO Summary and Reflection

Next planned assesment

OTHER ASSESSMENT DATA

Quantitative Data

List all other quantitative and/or qualitative measures you use to track, monitor, and/or evaluate the effectiveness of your program/Unit.

Measures, Descriptions, and Annual Values

Measure 1

Name of Measure

Description of Measure

Year Year Year Year

Value Value Value Value Value

List values for years listed immediately above. Select "+ Add Measure" below to insert all measures, values, and descriptions.

Reflect on your quantitative data and summarize your findings or interpretations.

Qualitative Data

Describe any qualitative measures you use and summarize the results.

What improvements have you implemented or plan to implement as a result of your assessment of quantitative and/or qualitative data described above?

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ACHIEVEMENTS AND OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Describe your program's achievements this past year. Where possible, describe how these achievements are related to our students and their success!

A Contracts database was created and is continually updated to help departments and programs track their agreements and help maintain continual services for students receiving clinical education, field experience, and internships as required by their course of study. All Purchasing processes have been updated to paperless, creating a more streamlined and timely process that helps ensure proper procurement approvals, services and supplies are received in a more timely matter for the benefit of student, classroom, and campus needs.

Describe any recent changes in legislation, policies, procedures, processes, and/or technology (software and hardware) that have impacted or will impact your program/unit. What effect will these changes have on your program/unit? unknown

In addition to (or in response to) the changes listed above, what board policies, procedures, and processes need to be updated, created, or deleted?

Governing Board Policies and Procedures for Procurement and Contract Services have recently been updated and are going through the Governing Board policy and procedure approval process.

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PROGRAM/UNIT EVALUATION AND THREE-YEAR PLANNING

Program Evaluation and Planning is completed in two steps.

First, you will complete an overall evaluation of your unit drawing from your unit assessment data.

Second, working from that evaluation, you will establish you goals for the upcoming three years.

Section 1: Overall Evaluation of Program

Reflect on your unit, the results of your assessments in Part 2 above, and your vision for the future. Then, working together answer the following questions. Summarize your answers in the grid below.

- 1. What are our greatest strengths?
- 2. What are our best opportunities?
- 3. What is our preferred future, what do we aspire to do?
- 4. What are the measurable results that will tell us we've achieved that vision of the future?

Section 2: Establish Goals and Strategies for the Next Three Years

Once you have completed your overall evaluation, identify a set of goals and strategies for accomplishing them for this upcoming three-year planning cycle. Use the template in Section 2 below to document your goals, strategies, and timelines for completion. Goals should be Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant, and Time –Specific (SMART). Following the goal template below will help you create SMART goals!

OVERALL EVALUATION OF PROGRAM

Discuss your Program's/Unit's Strengths, Opportunities, Aspirations, and Results (SOAR) and summarize your discussion below.

Strengths:

High quality team provides customer service, support, and guidance to campus community in the area of Procurement and Contract services.

Opportunities:

Provide ongoing training to campus on PeopleSoft requisition creation, procurement and contract procedures, development and processes.

Aspirations:

Obtain and implement a contracts database software that provides access to the campus community for tracking, transparency, efficiency, and reporting.

Results:

Customer Service - due to vacancies, campus community will be impacted by the teams ability to respond in an expeditious manner and meet deadlines.

Training - Professional development opportunities for campus community could be impacted.

Efficiency - Campus community ability to track status of contracts; Ensure no lapse in access to Clinical Education, Field Experience and other workforce and community education for student successful completion of course requirements. Compliance - Board Policy & Procedures, Laws, and Regulations that guide Public trust and mitigate risk to the District.

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PROGRESS ON PRIOR PRP GOALS

List current or prior PRP goals your unit has been working on and provide an update by placing an "X" in the appropriate status box.

Prior PRP Goals

Goal 1

GoalChoiceProvide training to campusOngoing

Goal 2

GoalChoiceIncrease operational effectivenessOngoing

Add any comments related to your work on prior goals, if needed (e.g., successes, challenges, reasons for eliminating a goal). unknown

ESTABLISH GOALS AND STRATEGIES FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS

New Goals: Please list all goals for this three-year planning cycle.

Goal 1

Description

Hire vacant positions, including the Director of Business Services position.

Strategies for implementation

Timeline for implementation

ASAP

Outcome(s) expected (qualitative/quantitative)

To re-align department effectiveness, workflow and ability to provide ongoing timely customer service to the campus community.

How does this goal align with your unit's mission statement?

It would provide the minimal staffing needs to ensure equity and integrity in supporting the needs of the campus community to provide engaging teaching and learning environments for our students.

How does this goals align with the College's Strategic Plan 2022?

This aligns with the College's Strategic Plan 2022 Goal 2, objective 3; Goal 3, objectives 4 and 5; Goal 4 and Goal 5.

Expected Goal Completion Date

3/1/2021

How do your goals align with the College's values of equity and inclusion?

As part of the hiring goals, place emphasis on broadening recruitment efforts to attract more minority applicants, especially African/American applicants both at the staff and Director levels. Also participate in the planned action group that works toward institutionalizing diversity, equity and inclusion at Palomar College.

The Strategic Plan 2022 includes the College's Vision for Success (VfS) outcomes. Review the VfS goals and reflect on how your unit supports these outcomes. Identify one strategy your unit will implement to help the college meet these outcomes. Click here to access Strategic Plan 2022.

Business Services supports college constituents to help them achieve Palomar's locally aligned Vision for Success targeted outcomes, through the established five broad Strategic Goals.

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RESOURCES

Congratulations! You are nearing completion. In this section, you will consider the resources you need to implement your three-year program review plan and/or address any findings from your assessment of your discipline.

The section is organized into the following four parts:

PART 1: Staffing Needs (Faculty and Additional Staff)

PART 2: Budget Review

PART 3: Technology and Facilities Needs

PART 4: One Time Request for Other Needs (NonTechnology Equipment, Supplies, Operating Expenses, Travel)

Reflect upon the three year plan you created above, your current operations, and any upcoming factors (retirements, changes in legislation, and changes in policies or procedures) that will impact your unit. How will you allocate resources to implement your plan? Describe additional resources needed to improve the effectiveness of your unit/program. All resource requests must be aligned with the College's Strategic Plan 2022.

Summarize any reallocation/re-organization of resources you are making based upon your three-year plan, your current operations, and any other factors (e.g., legislation). Describe the impact of the reallocation of resources to your unit.

PART 1: STAFFING NEEDS

Are you requesting new Classified, CAST, or AA positions? Yes

If you are requesting STAFF, please fully complete this section. If not, you can skip to the next resource section. Click "+Add Staff, CAST, AA request" below for each additional request.

When considering the funds required for a position, consult the HR website for position salary schedule and the Benefits Worksheet for additional costs related to benefits for the position.

REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIED, CAST, AA

Staff, CAST, AA request 1

Title of position

Director of Business Services

Is this request for a full-time or part-time position?

Full Time

How does the position fill a critical need for current, future, or critical operations? e.g. accreditation, health and safety, regulatory, legal mandates, institutional priorities, program trend analyses of growth/stability.

This is a replacement position, vacant for 2-3 years, to help bring back together under one common leadership position the areas of Contracts, Purchasing, Warehouse, and Risk Management. The aforementioned areas currently report to three separate managers.

Does the position assist in establishing more efficient District Operations through either of the following: reorganization/restructuring OR use of technology?

Is there funding that can help support the position outside of general funds? No

Describe how this position helps implement or support your three-year PRP plan.

Reinstating the combined Contracts, Purchasing, Risk Management operations for improved effectiveness and efficiencies.

Strategic Plan 2022 Objective

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4:3	5:2		

If the position is not approved, what is your plan?

Advocate for an interim management position or out of class assignment to provide that leadership to the aforenoted departments.

PART 2: BUDGET REVIEW

Review your Budget/Expenditure reports for 2018, 2019, 2020. Consider your three-year PRP plan.

Click on the link below to access directions to the Available Budget Report to complete this section.

How to Request the Available Budget Report

Reflecting on your three-year PRP plan, are there any budget considerations you would like your dean/supervisor to be aware of for the upcoming year?

Yes

What budget considerations would you like your dean/supervisor to be aware of or to consider? Please be as specific as possible. For example, if you need an increase in the 40000 account and a decrease in the 23000 account, describe what increase your department needs, how much, and a description of why the department needs the adjustment.

Budget considerations for Contracts database software/training.

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NOTE: PARTS 3 and 4 - TECHNOLOGY, FACILITIES AND OTHER NEEDS

This year the College is implementing two new processes related to resource needs coming from the PRP process.

1. One-Time Fund Requests. The college is implementing a process for prioritizing and allocating funds for one-time needs/requests tied to Program Review and Planning. Prioritization will take place through participatory governance in planning councils and the Budget Committee. Then, a recommendation will be made to Exec for funding of request utilizing various funding sources.

For more information about funding sources available, see IELM BLOCK GRANT, LOTTERY, PERKINS AND STRONG WORKFORCE GUIDELINES (on the left menu of the web page).

Consider submitting one-time requests only if you have verified that you cannot fund the request using your general discretionary funds or other funds.

2. Technology and Facilities Review. From now on, ALL requests for technology will go through an institutional review process. If you request technology here, you will see a description of the process below.

PART 3: TECHNOLOGY

Will you be requesting any technology (hardware/software) this upcoming year? Yes

Technology Request

Technology Request 1

What are you requesting?

Contracts database software

Provide a detailed description of the technology item requested. What is it, and why do you need it? Please be as descriptive as possible. Include in your description how the requested item aligns with your discipline's PRP goals, analysis of PRP data, SLO/SAOs.

See goals

Estimated Amount of Request.

Will you fund the request through your budget or other sources?

Existing Budget

What PRP plan goal/objective does this request align with?

Aspirations: Obtain a contracts database software that provides access to the campus community for tracking, transparency, and reporting.

What Strategic Plan 2022 Goal:Objective does this request align with?

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5:1

5:2

If you have multiple requests for technology and had to prioritize, what number would give this? (1 = Highest)

Do you think that your request for technology will require changes to a facility?

No

Note about technology requests:

All technology requests will now go through a review process before prioritization.

- Your director will send you a Technology Request Checklist (aka Technology Proposal Analysis Checklist).
 - You must complete this checklist and return it to your director no later than 10/30/2020.
 - Once the director approves the form and the request, the director will send the document to the Technology
 Review Committee to determine IS resources needed, any integration issues, and/or potential overlap with existing
 technology.
 - The results of the review will be sent to the director with feedback.
 - The director will determine whether or not the request moves forward for prioritization and/or implementation.
 - Requests for one-time funding will move forward for prioritization.
 - Requests that use funding from your department budget may move forward for purchase.

PART 3: FACILITIES NEEDS

Do you have resource needs that require physical space or modification to physical space? No

One Time Needs

For more information about funding sources available, see IELM BLOCK GRANT, LOTTERY, PERKINS AND STRONG WORKFORCE GUIDELINES (on the left menu of the web page under "Instructional Funding Sources").

Do you have one-time requests for other items (e.g., Non-Technology Equipment, Supplies, Operating Expenses, Travel) that your budget or other funding sources will NOT cover?
No

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FEEDBACK AND FOLLOW-UP

Once your Program/Unit PRP is completed, your division or planning council should review and discuss based on your Vice President's planning process. This area is intended for summary feedback and recommendations from the divisional review.

Confirmation of Review by Division / Planning Council

Person/Group/Council who reviewed PRP: Sign Date

FEEDBACK

Strengths and successes of the program/unit as evidenced by the data, analysis, and assessments:

Areas of Concern, if any:

Recommendations for improvement:

Enter your email address to receive a copy of the PRP to keep for your records.

I confirm that the Program Review is complete and ready to be submitted. Yes

Vice President Review

Strengths and successes of the discipline as evidenced by the data and analysis:

Despite the currently separated functional Contracts, Purchasing, and Risk Management departments, college operations are still being serviced adequately but this can be strengthened as outlined below.

Areas of concern, if any:

Director of Business Services still vacant. Contracts, Purchasing, and Risk Management - currently reporting to three separate managers - need to be re-united for improved college functional effectiveness and efficiencies.

Recommendations for improvement:

Recruit and hire the Director of Business Services.

VP Name:Signature Date:Yulian Ligioso1/5/2021