

## Academic Council

July 13, 2021 – 2:00 - 3:00pm (LATER START TIME)  
Colorado Department of Higher Education  
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### Agenda

1. Greetings and Introductions
2. Approval of June Meeting Notes  
[see handout: 2021-06-08- NOTES-AC.pdf]
3. Announcements and Discussion Items
  - a. HB21-1330 overview and implementation updates
  - b. Colorado Re-Engaged Initiative (CORE) (associate completion degree option)
  - c. Additional legislative implementation updates:
    - SB21-106 (Concerning Successful High School Transitions) – fourth year innovation pilot program
    - SB21-185 (Supporting Educator Workforce in Colorado) – includes development of an education pathway
    - Admissions related bills: 1) test optional; 2) legacy preferences
    - Other?
  - d. “Credentialing As You Go” – advanced to second round of IES review
  - e. HB19-1206 – implementation plans due to the department by August 1 (all community and local district colleges plus Adams, Mesa, Western)
4. New, modified, and closed programs

#### New

##### *Colorado School of Mines*

- Graduate Certificate in Carbon Capture, Utilization, and Storage

##### *Fort Lewis College*

- B.S. in Health Sciences

##### *Western Colorado University*

- B.S. in Psychology

#### Modified

##### *Fort Lewis College*

- B.A. Environmental Studies changed to B.A. Environmental Conservation and Management
- B.A. Gender and Women’s Studies changed to B.A. Gender and Sexuality Studies

##### *Metropolitan State University of Denver*



- Undergraduate Certificate in Outdoor Recreation Leadership changed to Undergraduate Certificate in Outdoor Recreation and Adventure Tourism
- B.S. in Human Nutrition – Dietetics changed to B.S. in Nutrition and Dietetics
- M.S. in Human Nutrition and Dietetics changed to M.S. in Nutrition and Dietetics
- Graduate Certificate in Human Nutrition Science changed to Graduate Certificate in Nutrition Science

**Closed Programs**

*None*