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You're Invited!

Advisory Board Meeting Computer Information Science Department

Date: Thursday, April 25th Time: 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (Pacific Time)

Location: <https://smccd.zoom.us/j/83970881983>
Meeting ID: 839 7088 1983

Join us for an engaging discussion at the Advisory Board Meeting of the Computer Information Science Department at the College of San Mateo. Your input and expertise are invaluable in shaping the future of our program.

Agenda:

- Review of Program Updates
- Discussion on Curriculum Enhancements
- Industry Trends and Insights
- Opportunities for Collaboration

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Your participation is highly encouraged as we strive to enhance our educational offerings and prepare our students for success in the ever-evolving field of Computer Information Science.

To RSVP or for more information, please contact: Eftekharik@smccd.edu

We look forward to your presence and contributions.

Sincerely,
Department of Computer and Information Science
College of San Mateo



CIS Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

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Dear Esteemed Board Members, I am thrilled to extend an invitation to our upcoming College Advisory Board meeting. Your expertise and insights are instrumental in guiding the strategic direction of our institution. Below, please find the proposed agenda for our discussion:

1. Program Overview

- A brief overview of the programs we offer by Kamran

2. Changes Since Last Meeting

- Introduction of the Foundations of CS certificate by Kamran.
- Introduction of three new courses and a certificate in AI by Kamran.

3. Proposed Additions or Changes

- Introduction of a new degree in Data Science by Professor Pacheco.
- Discussion on the possibility of incorporating an AS-T degree, considering the shift in GE requirements to Cal-GETC by Professor Pacheco.
- Proposing a new Program: Game Development by Professor Andres Calle.
- Introduction of a new degree in AI by Kamran.

4. Department Name Change

- Open discussion on the potential department name change. All members are encouraged to share their thoughts; each opinion holds equal weight.

We eagerly anticipate your participation and valuable contributions to our meeting. Please use the provided Zoom link and meeting ID to join the meeting.

Warm regards,
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Minutes of College Advisory Board Meeting

Date: 4/25/2024

Time: 5:30 pm

Location: on Zoom <https://smccd.zoom.us/j/83970881983>

Attendees:

- Dr. Francisco Gamez (Dean)
- Faculty Members:

- Hellen Pacheco
- Andres Calle
- Kamran Eftekhari
- Bryce Martens
- Stan Isaacs
- David Chin

- Industry Representatives:

- Hamid Rategh
- Babak Pezeshki
- Hadi Semi
- Daniel Elfving
- Erica Jin
- Zhili Wang
- Tom Ryan
- Su Latt Phone
- Joshua Magashaz
- Stormy Maddox
- Brian Troy
- Anthony Wang

Absent with Excuse:

- Narges Norouzi
- Ms. Kimberly Roberts
- Stephan Pieraldi
- Myra Roldan

Agenda Item 1: Introduction The meeting commenced with a warm and friendly atmosphere as attendees introduced themselves.

Agenda Item 2: Discussion on Cybersecurity and Career Training There was a comprehensive discussion on cybersecurity and strategies for effectively training students for successful careers in the field.

Agenda Item 3: Proposal Presentations

- Professor Hellen Pacheco presented her plan for an Associate of Science (AS) degree in Data Science.
- Professor Kamran Eftekhari introduced a new AI/ML certificate program and proposed its expansion to include Deep Learning, with eventual plans to transition it into an AS degree in Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning.
- Professor Andres Calle proposed the development of a certificate program in Computer Game Programming.

Agenda Item 4: Approval of Proposals All proposals, including the AS degree in Data Science, the AI/ML certificate expansion to an AS degree, and the certificate program in Game Programming, were unanimously approved by the advisory board.

Closing Remarks: The meeting concluded on a positive note with excitement about the approved proposals and their potential impact on student education and career opportunities.

Next Meeting: April 2025

Adjournment: 7:00 pm

Respectfully Submitted by: Kamran Eftekhari, Ph.D.