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May 19, 2015

Dr. Mark Zacovic President Cuyamaca College 900 Rancho San Diego Parkway El Cajon, CA 92019

Dear President Zacovic:

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges met May 7, 2015 to review the Substantive Change Proposal from Cuyamaca College for the expansion of its Distance Education programs to include an additional 19 associate degrees and three certificate programs (see attached).

The Committee acted to approve the proposal.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express continuing interest in the institution's educational programs and services. It remains the College's responsibility to inform the Commission of any program change. Professional self-regulation is the most effective means of assuring academic integrity, effectiveness and institutional quality.

Sincerely.

Susan B. Clifford, Ed.D.

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Cc: Dr. Wei Zhou, Accreditation Liaison Officer

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## APPENDIX A: CUYAMACA COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREES, CERTIFICATES of ACHIEVEMENT, AND CERTIFICATES of SPECIALIZATION AND GENERAL EDUCATION THAT CONTAIN 50% OR MORE UNITS IN DISTANCE EDUCATION

## **Additional Programs for Approval**

	Units	Units	Max %
Associate Degrees	Required	Available	Available
		Online	Online
Art – A.A. Degree - Drawing and Painting	60	39	65%
Business Administration – A.S Transfer Degree	60	58-59	96-98%
Communication – A.A.	60	36	60%
Degree			
Early Childhood Education – A.S. – Transfer Degree	60	51	85%
Elementary Teacher Education – A.A. – Transfer Degree	60	33	55%
English – A.A – Transfer	60	48-50	80-83%
Degree			
Exercise Science – A.S Degree	60	48-49	80-81%
History – A.A. – Transfer	60	60	100%
Degree			
Infants and Toddlers – A.S. Degree	60	35	58%
Irrigation Technology – A.S. Degree	60	35	58%
Kinesiology – A.A. – Transfer Degree	60	41.5 - 43	69-71%
Mathematics – A.S Transfer Degree	60	46-48	76-80%
Music – A.A. – Transfer	60	31-34	51-56%
Degree			
Networking, Security, and System Administration – A.S.	60	60	100%
Degree			
Paralegal Studies – A.S.	60	45	75%
Degree			
Philosophy – A.A. – Transfer Degree	60	60	100%
Political Science – A.A. – Transfer Degree	60	60	100%
Real Estate – A.S. Degree	60	34-38	56-63%
Studio Arts – A.A. – Transfer Degree	60	48	80%

Certificates of Achievement	Units Required	Units Available Online	Max % Available Online
Bookkeeping	60	53-54	88-90%
Networking, Security and System Administration	60	60	100%
Real Estate	60	38-39	63-65%