

# BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING 1400 Tanyard Road, Sewell, New Jersey 08080

# REGULAR SESSION MINUTES January 8, 2019

Chair Gene Concordia called the Regular Session of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County to order at 6:17 p.m. in the Cafeteria Annex in the Eugene J. McCaffrey College Center building.

Meg Resue, Sr. Executive Assistant to President and Board of Trustees, read the Open Public Meetings Act Statement: "In compliance with the 'Open Public Meetings Act' of the State of New Jersey, adequate notice of this meeting of the Rowan College at Gloucester County Board of Trustees was provided by the forwarding of a notice on December 20, 2018, to the *South Jersey Times*, the *Courier Post*, the Gloucester County Freeholder Director and Education Liaison, the Gloucester County Administrator, and the College Community."

Meg Resue then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call followed by Trustee DuBois:

### **Members Present:**

Ms. Ave' Altersitz

Mr. Gene Concordia

Mr. Len Daws

Ms. Jean DuBois

Mrs. Ruby Love

Dr. George Scott (6:20 p.m.)

Dr. Frederick Keating, President, Ex-Officio

# **Executive Cabinet Present:**

Ms. Judy Atkinson

Mr. Nick Burzichelli

Mr. Josh Piddington

Dr. Brenden Rickards

### **Members Absent**

Mr. Benjamin Griffith

Mr. Douglas Wills, Esq.

**Advisors Present:** 

Mr. David Rapuano

Ms. Jennifer Hoxworth

Ms. Jen Yager

Chair Gene Concordia welcomed and acknowledged all attendees.

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

President Keating presented the Board with an overview of the Rowan College at Gloucester County and Cumberland County College merger transition plan titled, Pathways to Success. (presentation attached)

# ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

With no corrections to the minutes heard, Chair Concordia declared the December 11, 2018 Regular Session meeting minutes approved as presented.

# **FINANCE**

Ms. Cheryl Lewis, Executive Director, Financial Services provided an overview of the monthly statement.

<u>Informational Item: Statement of Month Ending December 31, 2018:</u> The monthly operating report of revenues and expenditures was presented to the Board. (Report attached).

# **FACILITIES/PROPERTY**

Mr. Nick Burzichelli, VP and Chief Operating Officer provided a brief synopsis of the campus crime statistics and the resolutions being presented to the Board for approval.

Informational Item: Campus Safety Crime Statistics Report for December (Report attached).

On the recommendation of the President, Trustee DuBois made a motion, seconded by Trustee Altersitz and unanimously passed, to approve the following resolution: (resolution attached)

1. Lease agreement – spirit Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, am of Swedesboro.

On the recommendation of the President, Trustee DuBois made a motion, seconded by Trustee Love and approved unanimously, with one abstention by Trustee George Scott, the following resolution: (resolution attached)

1. *Advertise* – for construction services, and negotiate and sign long-term leases for Eds and Meds buildings in the redevelopment area.

## STUDENT SERVICES

Ms. Judith Atkinson, Vice President of Student Services, gave a report to the Board on the different events and activities going on within the Student Services division.

## **ACADEMIC SERVICES**

Dr. Brenden Rickards, VP Academic Services provided a brief explanation of the six (6) Associate degrees presented to the Board for approval.

On the recommendation of the President, Trustee Daws made a motion, seconded by Trustee DuBois and unanimously approved the following resolutions (attached):

- 1. Offer 4 Associate in Science degrees in excess of 60 credits in Biology: Bioscience Technologies, Engineering Science, Equine Science: Pre-Veterinary Option, and Chemistry: Pre-Pharm.D. Option; and
- 2. Offer an Associate in Science: Health, Physical Education and Recreation, and an Associate in Arts and Sciences: Theater Dance Option

### PERSONNEL

On the recommendation of the President, Trustee Love made a motion, seconded by Trustee Altersitz and unanimously passed, to approve the personnel actions as listed. (Actions attached)

Regular Session Minutes January 8, 2019

### **POLICY**

Ms. Sandy Evans, Executive Assistant, President's Office reviewed the list of policies for Board action and inquired if there were any questions. No questions were received.

On the recommendation of the President, Trustee Altersitz made a motion, seconded by Trustee Love and unanimously passed, to approve the following new, revised, reaffirmed or rescinded policies:

- 1. New 3007 Student Attendance and 8005 Student Attendance Documentation;
- 2. Revised 3009 Health, Physical Education & Recreation;
- 3. Reaffirmed 7032 Professional Staff Teaching Assignments and 7018 Personnel Records
- 4. Rescind 7018 Bereavement and 7019 Personal Days

# **PUBLIC RELATIONS - DATES TO REMEMBER**

Mr. Josh Piddington, VP, Chief Information Officer presented to the Board examples of some new marketing pieces and reviewed upcoming events as follows:

<u>January</u>	
11 & 12	KotoriCon Anime Convention, 4:00-9:00 p.m., Friday; 10:00 a.m9:30 p.m.,
	Saturday, College Center
17	College Professional Development Day (faculty/staff), 8:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
21	Holiday – College closed, Martin Luther King Jr. Day
31	Fire Academy Graduation, 7:00 p.m., Performing Arts Center
<u>February</u>	
7	Board of Trustee Meeting, 6:15 pm, Cafeteria Annex

Chair Concordia inquired if Ms. Jennifer Hoxworth, Faculty Representative and/or Ms. Jen Yager, College Assembly Representative had anything to add for the evening, and both indicated there were none.

# **PUBLIC PORTION**

Dr. Geraldine Martin expressed her excitement over all the positive changes (past to present) occurring at Rowan College at Gloucester County.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

At 7:30 p.m. Trustee Love made a motion, seconded by Trustee Daws and unanimously passed, to adjourn the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Douglas Wills, Esq., Vice Chair

Notes taken by Meg Resue

# ROWAN COLLEGE at GLOUCESTER COUNTY MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2018

				12/31/2018		
		Budget		Actual		Delta
Current Operating Revenues		Amount		Y-T-D		Y-T-D
Current Operating Revenues						
Educational and General						
Student Tuition - Credit	\$	17,346,134	\$	15,489,076	\$	(1,857,058)
Police Academy - Tuition		80,000		48,511		(31,489)
Fire Academy - Tuition		52,000		31,464		(20,536)
Continuing Education		1,468,000		742,750		(725,250)
Fees		10,548,534		9,716,039		(832,495)
Out of County		40,000		22,032		(17,968)
Government Appropriations						
State		5,487,610		2,558,976		(2,928,635)
Police Academy - State Funding		198,523		99,262		(99,262)
Fire Academy - State Funding		9,430		4,715		(4,715)
Continuing Ed - State Funding		107,168		53,584		(53,584)
County	1	7,950,000		4,022,528		(3,927,472)
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Other Revenues		40,000		71,033		31,033
Auxiliary Enterprises		610,800		389,334		(221,466)
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Reserve from FY18	1	483,387				(483,387)
Drawdown from Unrestriced Fund Balance		330,306				(330,306)
Total Revenues	_	44.754.000	•	00.040.000	_	
Total Revenues	\$	44,751,892	\$	33,249,303	\$	(11,502,589)
Current Operating Expenditures						
Instruction - Total	\$	15,735,711	\$	7 005 609	\$	9 640 102
Personnel - FT	Ψ	7,299,454	Ψ	7,095,608 2,884,526	Φ	8,640,103
Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc		1,470,564				4,414,928
Benefits		3,865,619		1,083,772		386,792
Personnel - PT				1,492,834		2,372,785
Expenses		2,677,435		1,450,423		1,227,012
Expenses		422,639		184,053		238,586
Continuing Education - Total	\$	1,737,041	\$	750,693	\$	986,348
Personnel - FT		448,146		209,408		238,738
Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc		1,000		380		620
Benefits		242,232		108,375		133,857
Personnel - PT		253,700		109,201		144,499
Expenses		791,963		323,329		468,634
Police Academy - Total	\$	538,771	\$	217,033	\$	321,738

Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses		302,158 2,700 161,488 32,000 40,425	120,705 - 62,469 15,982 17,877		181,453 2,700 99,019 16,018 22,548
Fire Academy - Total Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses	\$	307,328 133,459 8,000 70,651 46,000 49,218	\$ 146,694 63,816 3,040 33,027 27,330 19,481	\$	160,634 69,643 4,960 37,624 18,670 29,737
Academic Support - Total Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses	\$	3,659,594 1,571,509 116,000 827,626 554,000 590,459	\$ 1,791,158 708,696 40,855 366,773 229,767 445,067	\$	1,868,436 862,813 75,145 460,853 324,233 145,392
Student Services - Total Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses	<b>\$</b>	8,390,194 4,307,245 33,226 2,281,018 447,162 1,321,543	\$ 4,018,917 2,133,113 34,388 1,103,954 238,512 508,950	\$	4,371,277 2,174,132 (1,162) 1,177,064 208,650 812,593
Institutional Support - Total Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses	\$	7,778,235 3,096,791 13,000 1,635,066 115,269 2,918,109	\$ 3,210,224 1,397,411 3,492 723,205 43,634 1,042,482	\$	4,568,011 1,699,380 9,508 911,861 71,635 1,875,627
Operating & Maintenance - Total Personnel - FT Personnel - FT OT, OL, Misc Benefits Personnel - PT Expenses	\$	5,986,017 1,904,291 112,000 1,009,300 72,500 2,887,926	\$ 2,648,229 884,996 45,552 458,014 15,002 1,244,665	\$	3,337,788 1,019,295 66,448 551,286 57,498 1,643,261
Leasing Expenses Retiree Benefits Auxiliary Enterprises	\$ \$	64,000 555,000	31,931 233,357 44,360	\$ \$ \$	32,069 321,643 (44,360)
Total Operating Expenditures	\$	44,751,892	\$ 20,188,204	\$	24,563,688

# **ROWAN COLLEGE at GLOUCESTER COUNTY** SAFETY AND SECURITY DEPARMENT



# **REPORT**

TO:

Dominick Burzichelli, Vice President, C.O.O.

FROM:

Joseph Getsinger, Executive Director of Safety and Security

DATE:

December 19, 2018

SUBJECT: CRIME STATISTICS for the month of December 2018

In accordance with New Jersey Statute P.L. 2015, Chapter 220, S485, supplementing Chapter 3b of Title 18A, enacted January 19, 2016 the President of each public institution of higher education shall report to the governing board of the institution, at each of its regular meetings, all crimes, fires and other emergencies which occurred on campus during the previous reporting period. For the purpose of this report Rowan College at Gloucester County is following the Clery Act definitions for reporting crime statistics.



# RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING A LEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN ROWAN COLLEGE AT GLOUCESTER COUNTY AND SPIRIT CHRYSLER, DODGE, JEEP, RAM

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of Gloucester County College (hereinafter the "College"), a body corporate in the State of New Jersey, is authorized to lease property under and pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:64A-12, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Board authorizes entering into a Lease Agreement, with Spirit Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram; and

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County will pay \$463.94 per Month for 60 months; and

**WHEREAS**, the College solicited three (3) quotes for the lease of a security vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, the Vice President and Chief Operating Officer has determined that the total value of contract will exceed \$17,500; and

**WHEREAS,** the New Jersey Local Unit Pay to Play Law, N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4, *et seq* provides that when the values of a contract with a vendor exceeds \$17,500, that vendor is subject to the Pay-to-Play law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Vice President and Chief Operating Officer certifies the funds are available; and

WHEREAS, Spirit Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that neither Spirit Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram, nor anyone with an interest in it has, during the one year period preceding the award of the contract made a reportable campaign contribution (as defined by N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4, et seq.) to any County committee of a political party in the County of Gloucester if a member of that political party is serving in an elective public office of the County of Gloucester at the time that the contract is awarded, or to any candidate committee of any person serving in an elective public office of the County of Gloucester when the contract is awarded, and that the contract will prohibit from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County on the 8th day of January, 2019 that the President or his designee are authorized to enter into contracts with Spirit Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram of Swedesboro, N.J. for the 60 month lease of a Jeep Vehicle in the monthly amount of 463.94.

**ADOPTED:** At a regular meeting of the Rowan College at Gloucester County Board of Trustees held January 8, 2019.

By:

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:



RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDENT AND OR VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER TO TAKE ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY IN CONNECTION WITH ADVERTSING FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES AND NEGOTIATING AND SIGNING LONG-TERM LEASES FOR PROPOSED BUILDINGS IN THE AREA OF NEED OF REDEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, the Rowan College at Gloucester County has been actively pursuing projects for the area of need of redevelopment; and

WHEREAS, the College has also been actively engaged in discussion with, tenants who are interested in occupy two (2) proposed buildings in the redevelopment area; and

WHEREAS, building one (1) will be a 15,633 square foot office building with three (3) tenants which are the New Jersey Department of Labor, the Gloucester County Chamber of Commerce and the Gloucester County Economic Department; and

WHEREAS, building two (2) with be a two (2) story 56,545 square foot building for Rowan University School of Osteopathic Medicine to comprising of four (4) medical practices on the first floor and academic space for 144 medical students on the second floor; and

WHEREAS, the County of Gloucester on behalf of Rowan College at Gloucester County has agreed to finance the construction and purchase of all furniture, fixtures and equipment of both buildings; and

**WHEREAS,** Rowan College of Gloucester County will contribute its 2018 and 2019 Chapter 12 Capital Funding allocations towards the project; and

**WHEREAS**, Rowan College is now ready to proceed with the bidding of the project; and

**WHEREAS**, the College is requesting authorization to advertise this project for construction services; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County on the 8th day of January 2019 approves and authorizes the President and or the Vice President and Chief Operating Officer to take all actions necessary in connection with advertising for construction services and negotiating and signing long-term leases for the project.

**ADOPTED:** At a regular meeting of the Rowan College at Gloucester County Board of Trustees held January 8, 2019.

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Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:





# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN BIOLOGY: BIOSCIENCE TECHNOLOGIES OPTION IN EXCESS OF 60 CREDITS.

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that in compliance with the waiver directives by legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-58 permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Biology: Bioscience Technologies Option in excess of 60 credits; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, this program will provide students transfer opportunities to out of the state of New Jersey partner schools who offer a baccalaureate degree in Biology: Bioscience Technologies; and

**WHEREAS**, these partner schools are not bound by the 60 credit hour legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-57(a) and accept greater than 60 credit hours for transfer; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Biology: Bioscience Technologies Option in excess of 60 credits beginning September 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:





# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN ENGINEERING SCIENCE IN EXCESS OF 60 CREDITS.

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that in compliance with the waiver directives by legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-58 permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Engineering Science in excess of 60 credits; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, this program will provide students transfer opportunities to ABET accredited Engineering Programs that offer baccalaureate degrees who are reviewing their credits and accreditation; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Engineering Science in excess of 60 credits beginning September 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:





# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN EQUINE SCIENCE: PRE-VETERINARY MEDICINE OPTION IN EXCESS OF 60 CREDITS.

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that in compliance with the waiver directives by legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-58 permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Equine Science: Pre-Veterinary Medicine Option in excess of 60 credits; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

WHEREAS, this program will provide students transfer opportunities to out of the state of New Jersey and out of the country partner schools to satisfy the first two years of a baccalaureate degree in Pre-Veterinary Medicine or to apply directly to a Veterinary Medicine doctoral program that accepts associates degree candidates; and

WHEREAS, these partner schools are not bound by the 60 credit hour legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-57(a) and accept greater than 60 credit hours for transfer; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Equine Science: Pre-Veterinary Medicine Option in excess of 60 credits beginning September 1, 2019.

ADOPTED at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of

Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:





# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN CHEMISTRY: PRE-PHARM.D. OPTION IN EXCESS OF 60 CREDITS.

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that in compliance with the waiver directives by legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-58 permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Chemistry: Pre-Pharm.D. Option in excess of 60 credits; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, this program will provide students transfer opportunities to out of the state of New Jersey partner schools to satisfy the first two years of a Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) program; and

**WHEREAS**, these partner schools are not bound by the 60 credit hour legislation N.J.S.A. 18A:62-57(a) and accept greater than 60 credit hours for transfer; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Chemistry: Pre-Pharm.D. Option in excess of 60 credits beginning September 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:





# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION.

**WHEREAS,** Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Health, Physical Education and Recreation; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, this program will provide two years of concentrated study in education for those who plan to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Health, Physical Education and Recreation; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Science Degree in Health, Physical Education and Recreation beginning September 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Attested:

Jean L. DuBois, Secretary

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson



# RESOLUTION TO GRANT ACADEMIC SERVICES PERMISSION TO OFFER AN ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE IN ARTS AND SCIENCES: THEATER: DANCE OPTION

WHEREAS, Rowan College at Gloucester County's Board of Trustees hereby certifies that permission has been granted to Academic Services to offer an Associate in Arts Degree in Arts and Sciences: Theater: Dance Option; and

WHEREAS, this program will be offered beginning September 1, 2019; and

WHEREAS, this program will provide two years of concentrated study in education for those who plan to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Theater and Dance; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County hereby authorizes and directs the approval of the resolution for Academic Services to offer an Associate in Arts Degree Arts and Sciences: Theater: Dance Option beginning September 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** at the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rowan College at Gloucester County held January 8, 2019.

Gene J. Concordia, Chairperson

Attested:



# PERSONNEL ACTIONS Date: 1/8/2019

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Title	Reason for Reassignment	Name	Salary	Effective Date
Team Coordinator, Level V	Change in Scope	Denise Buttari	\$31,268.64 per annum	12/3/2018
Team Coordinator, Level V	Change in Scope	Lisa Ford	\$33,124 per annum	12/3/2018
Feam Coordinator, Level V	Change in Scope	Denise Gerace	\$34.638.24 per annum	12/3/2018
Executive Director, Finance	Change in Scope	Cheryl Lewis	\$98.119.84 per annum	1/7/2019
Assistant Director, Athletics	Reassignment	Leanne Schoening	\$45.497.74 per annum	1/7/2019
Instructor I, Business Studies	Reassignment	Ryan Hoxworth	\$42,500 per annum	1/22/2019

# (2) Two Part-Time Hires:

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Title	Reason for Vacancy	Name	Salary	Effective Date	_
Science Laboratory Technician	New Position	Christopher Martino	\$17,38 per hour	12/17/2018	
Publications Assistant	Temporary	Matthew Borginis	\$10.00 per hour	10/1/2018	

# (1) One Resignation/Termination:

Title	Name	Salary	Effective Date
tant Professor	Sarah Baxter	\$61,556.24 per annum	6/30/2019

# (1) One Retirement:

Position	Effective Date



# **Board of Trustees Policy Synopsis**

# 1. POLICY (NEW) 3007 STUDENT ATTENDANCE

## Background for policy development:

The new policy was created in order to formalize documentation and expectation of student attendance in class. Faculty and adjunct faculty will provide additional information regarding student attendance in class based on the varied requirements of the class. The content of this policy continues to adhere to New Jersey Statute.

# 2. POLICY (REVISION) 3009 HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND RECREATION

## Background for policy revision:

The revised policy aligns with the New Jersey State requirement, Senate Bill No. 1265, for Community Colleges to provide degree programs of no more or less than 60 credits. A Health, Physical Education, and Recreation class will no longer be a requirement for every course of study, however, it will remain an elective. The content of this policy continues to adhere to New Jersey Statute.

# 3. POLICY (REAFFIRMATION) 7032 PROFESSIONAL STAFF TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS

# Background for policy reaffirmation:

The policy will be reaffirmed with a revision to the academic procedure for a clarification on the maximum number of credits an employee can teach as an adjunct instructor. The content of this policy continues to adhere to New Jersey Statute.

# 4. POLICY (NEW) 8005 STUDENT ATTENDANCE DOCUMENTATION

# Background for policy development:

The new policy was developed in order to formalize the existing administrative procedure. The content of this policy continues to adhere to New Jersey Statute.

# 5. POLICY (REAFFIRMATION) 7018 PERSONNEL RECORDS

### Background for policy reaffirmation:

It is requested that Policy 7018 Personnel Records be reaffirmed without any changes. Policy 7018 Personnel Records was inadvertently rescinded at the 11/13/18 Board of Trustees meeting instead of Policy 7018 Bereavement.

# 6. POLICY (RESCIND) 7018 BEREAVEMENT

# Background for policy rescinding:

Policy 7018 Bereavement is to be rescinded since it was merged with Policy 7009 Leaves of Absence and approved at the 11/13/18 Board of Trustees meeting. Two Policy 7018s had existed during revisions to various policies.

# 7. POLICY (RESCIND) 7019 PERSONAL DAYS

### Background for policy rescinding:

Policy 7019 Personal Days was merged with Policy 7009 Leaves of Absence which was approved at the 11/13/18 Board of Trustees meeting.



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9 Policy:

NEW

10 Title:

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

11 Area:

Academic Services

Approved:

TBD

Students attain maximum academic benefit through regular class attendance. Nothing else has yet been discovered to replace the value of daily, cumulative, educational growth that results from regular participation in class. This is especially true where ideas, concepts, points of view, social development, confidence, knowledge, and success derive from the interaction of students and faculty.

Attendance has a direct impact on financial aid for students and financial revenues for the College; the eligibility status for student-athletes; the successful completion of educational foundations courses; and student grades determined by each instructor consistent with his/her stated policy in the course syllabi/outline.

Additionally, changes to federal financial aid regulation in recent years have highlighted the importance of accurate reporting on student attendance and participation in all courses, including distance education courses (online and hybrid/blended courses).

The President will have administrative procedures developed for accurate and timely student attendance reporting.

In the event of a conflict with a collective bargaining agreement, the agreement will govern.

References:

Rowan College at Gloucester County Administrative Procedure, 3007 Student Attendance and 8005 Student Attendance Documentation

 Rowan College at Gloucester County Board of Trustees Policy Manual, 8005 Student Attendance Documentation



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# **REVISE**

Policy: 3009

Title: HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND RECREATION

Date: 5/3/78
Revise: TBD

The HPER policy, effective May 3, 1978, is:

The purpose of health, physical education, and recreation is to provide health, skill, and leisure-related fitness concepts and skills in order to create an environment that promotes the development of life long movers. Students taking a health, physical education, and recreation course will be provided with opportunities to make good decisions regarding components of their health and wellness.

A. One (1) course in general Physical Education shall will be required as partial fulfillment for the A associate degree, when appropriate.

B. The Physical Education requirement may be waived upon presentation of a medical excuse or upon written approval from the Associate Dean of Student Services or his designee. However, an approved waiver from Physical Education shall require the completion of a Health Service course (HPER 201) in lieu of a Physical Education course Vice President of Academic Services, or his/her designee.



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Policy: 7032 REAFFIRM

9 Title:

PROFESSIONAL STAFF TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS

10 Area:

Human Resources

11 Approved:

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There are many teaching opportunities that come up during the academic year in which full-time professional staff employees may be requested to teach. Teaching qualifications for these employees will be the same as those for full-time and adjunct faculty members (see policy, 7063 Teaching Qualifications). Full-time professional staff members who teach are expected to prepare for classes and complete student progress evaluations outside of the regular workday. The Board of Trustees will offer no less than the current overload rate to full-time professional staff employees who accept such adjunct teaching assignment(s).

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The Board of Trustees in approving these assignments will consider the needs of the students while continuing to recognize that the primary responsibility of the employee is his or her full-time position.

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The President will have administrative procedures developed to implement this policy.

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In the event of a conflict with a collective bargaining agreement, the agreement will govern.

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References:

37 Rowan College at Gloucester County Administrative Procedure, 7032 Professional Staff
 38 Teaching Assignments

Rowan College at Gloucester County Board of Trustees Policy Manual, 7063 Teaching

Qualifications



Rowan College at Gloucester County 1400 Tanyard Road Sewell, NJ 08080 **NEW** Policy: Title: STUDENT ATTENDANCE DOCUMENTATION Area: **Student Services** Approved: **TBD** Students attain maximum academic benefit through regular class attendance. Nothing else has yet been discovered to replace the value of daily, cumulative, educational growth that results from regular participation in class. This is especially true where ideas, concepts, points of view, social development, confidence, knowledge, and success derive from the interaction of students and faculty. With this in mind, faculty members will daily and accurately record student attendance as formal documentation. The President will have administrative procedures formulated and disseminated for this policy. References: Rowan College at Gloucester County Administrative Procedure, 3007 Student Attendance and 8005 Student Attendance Documentation