

Irvine Unified School District Career Technical Education (CTE)
Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: May 8, 2020

Time: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Location: Zoom Meeting

Facilitator: Dr. Ulises Garcia

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Dr. Ulises Garcia welcomed members and facilitated introductions.
- Participants were reminded to mute their microphones when not speaking and to sign in using the chat box.
- Attendees were asked to review the minutes from the previous meeting and asked if they would approve the previous meeting minutes. Minutes were approved.

2. IUSD - CTE Program Overview

- A general overview of the CTE program was presented, emphasizing the vision, pathway and course offerings, summer school, labor market study, and funding sources.
- Discussion highlighted the collaboration with the Coastline Regional Occupational Program and Vital Link
- Discussed funding from various sources including district funds, CTEIG, Carl Perkins, and K-12 SWP grants.

3. IUSD Facilities and Current Industry Equipment

- Planned facility upgrades were discussed, ensuring that they reflect current industry standards.

4. CTE Overview

- The meeting delved into the CTE academic program, focusing on the diverse and equitable academic program offered to students, including UC/CSU admission requirements, early college credit opportunities, industry-recognized certifications, and student leadership.

5. Business and Industry Partnerships

- There was a robust discussion on industry trends and needs, aiming to generate feedback to guide the CTE program.

6. General Discussion

- The conversation focused on curricular needs related to providing students with authentic learning experiences that prepare them for college and careers.

7. Upcoming Events

- Updates were given on the postponement of the College and Career Fair and the OC Student Leadership Conference.

8. Questions and [Feedback from Attendees](#)

- Attendees were encouraged to ask questions and provide feedback, ensuring a participative and interactive session.

Closing Remarks:

- Dr. Garcia thanked all participants for their contributions and insights, highlighting the importance of ongoing collaboration in the development and improvement of the CTE program.
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Action Items:

- Committee members provide additional feedback and recommendations through the industry sector participant survey, IUSD staff survey, and student/community survey.
- Members continue exploring career exploration opportunities and industry trends to inform the CTE program.

Next Meeting: TBD