

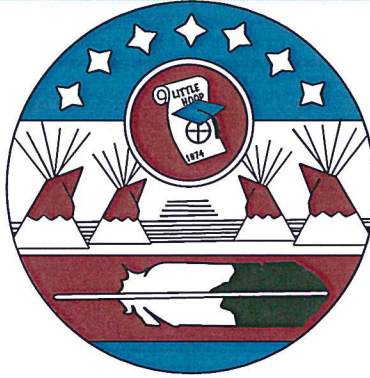
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# GRAPHIC ARTS PROGRAM REVIEW

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Cankdeska Cikana Community College

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## Program Review – AAS in Graphic Arts

### Program Description

#### A. Role of the Program

- a. The Graphic Arts program at Cankdeska Cikana Community College (CCCC) was designed to provide training to students which would allow them to become entry level workers at a print shop.

#### B. Current Staff

- a. CCCC has a full-time graphic arts faculty member that teaches all core classes for the program.

#### C. Program Productivity Summary

- a. Enrollment in graphic arts program has greatly declined. Currently there are two enrolled.

#### D. Program Revenue

- a. The only revenue created by the graphic arts program has been the tuition and fees collected from the two full-time students.

#### E. Program Budget

- a. Although the Graphic Arts program is a CTE approved program our NACTEP grant does not support it financially.

#### F. Advisory Team

- a. CTE Advisory Committee, which meets 2 times a year.

### Program Self-Evaluation

#### A. Faculty

- a. Curriculum was initially set up and approved by the CCCC curriculum committee.
- b. Melody Volk is the full-time faculty

#### B. Student Relations

- a. There are two students enrolled as graphic arts and one student that graduated in December. 2018

C. Curriculum Content, Design, Delivery

- a. The Graphic Arts faculty uses a variety of different content, textbooks, and instructional materials to meet with industry standards and practices.

D. Institutional Support

- a. A computer lab was dedicated to the Graphic Arts program.
- b. It is believed that CCCC does possess adequate facilities, equipment, and technology to maintain the effectiveness of its courses and programs at the current time. Facilities are very clean and well maintained. Adequate whiteboard space, chalkboards, and audiovisual equipment, including computer labs, fax machines, laminating services, Native craft demonstrations, smart boards, laptops, iPads, and software updates/replacements are provided. Technical support, when needed, is very helpful and timely. Cankdeska Cikana Community College also provides wireless Internet access in the facility, as well as an Alert System. The program doesn't experience any difficulties in procuring needed supplies and/or materials.
- c. The college offers many opportunities for learning for faculty, staff and community through events held at the college. Many of these events are culturally relevant which has significant implications for faculty. Cankdeska Cikana Community College has funds set aside for educational opportunities for its faculty. Administration supports and encourages all faculty and staff to attend conferences and workshops. Continuing education is also rewarded through college incentive programs.

E. Other

- a. Due to UND discontinuing the Business Communications degree program, the Graphic Arts program does not meet the current standards for the Graphic Design degree program through their Fine Arts Department.

## APPENDIX A

### Program Demographics

1. Program Faculty: Melody Volk
2. Program Staff: none
3. Total Student Enrollment: 2 full-time 2018 fall, 1 graduate December 2018

### Success

1. There have been 6 graduates from the Graphic Arts program since 2011. One graduate continued education to Bachelors, 2 graduates started their own photography business, one graduate is currently working for CCCC and 2 other graduates are not working in the Graphic Arts field.

Due to the fact the credits do not transfer to a four-year college, I have changed the two current students to pursue a liberal arts degree and take as many fine art courses that CCCC has to offer. They will then be in a better situation to transfer to UND and NDSU where they want to transfer. That is why I am requesting that the Graphic Arts program is put on furlough.



## Program Evaluation and Review

Criteria	Program Exceeds Expectations	Program Meets Expectations	Program Needs Improvement	Program Does Not Meet Expectations
<b>Sec II Enrollment</b>	Increasing	Steady	Decreasing	Unsustainably Low
<b>Sec III Quality of the Program as Determined from Assessment Information</b>	The program's quality is substantial and notable.	The program's quality is substantial but could be strengthened through curricular and/or program enhancements, e.g. providing additional resources, adding or deleting courses	The program's quality could be strengthened through reconfiguration, e.g. substantial modification of the curriculum and the reorganization of faculty.	The program's quality and/or contribution to the institution is not substantial enough to justify its continuance
<b>Sec IV Cost Effectiveness</b>	Net Gain	Break Even	Net Loss	Unsustainable Losses
<b>Sec IV Projected Occupational Need (Regional and State Level)</b>	Large Need and Growth in This Area	Moderate Need	Minor or Low Need	No Clear Need for This Degree
<b>Sec V Ability to positively impact CCCC's relationships, partnerships &amp; alliances</b>	Relationships are strong – benefits the overall mission of the college	Relationships, partnerships, and/or alliances could be developed to strengthen the program	Relationships, partnerships, and/or alliances need to be reconfigured in order to positively impact the college	Relationships, partnerships, and/or alliances are not positively impacting the college. The program's reduction or phase out would not adversely impact other programs.

The Curriculum Committee makes the following recommendation:

*X* Recommended furlough due to lack of instructor and lack of interest.  
Follow up actions and timeline:







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## Completed Program Reviews Verification

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