

ACCREDITING COMMISSION for COMMUNITY and JUNIOR COLLEGES

Western Association of Schools and Colleges

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Dr. Brian Murphy President De Anza College 21250 Stevens Creek Boulevard Cupertino, CA 95014

Dear President Murphy:

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges met May 3-4, 2016 to review the Substantive Change Proposal from De Anza College to offer:

• Distance Education: 15 degrees and 22 certificate programs (see attached list) via distance education or electronic delivery.

The Committee acted to approve the substantive change.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express appreciation for the work that the College undertook to prepare this Application for Substantive Change. The Commission encourages the College's continued work to ensure educational quality and to support student success. Accreditation and peer review are most effective when the College and the ACCJC work together to support continuous quality improvement in higher education. Thank you for sharing the values and the work of accreditation.

If you should have any questions concerning this letter or the Commission action, please don't hesitate to contact me. We'd be glad to help you.

Sincerely,

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De Anza College Substantive Change for Distance Education - May 2016

Degrees

- 1. Accounting: Practice Emphasis
- 2. Accounting: Taxation Emphasis
- 3. Associate for Transfer Business Administration
- 4. Associate for Transfer Political Science
- 5. Business Administration
- 6. Enterprise Security Professional
- 7. Environmental Resource Management and Pollution Prevention
- 8. Global Studies
- 9. Journalism
- 10. Liberal Arts: Arts and Letters Emphasis
- 11. Liberal Arts: Business and Computer Information Systems
- 12. Liberal Arts: Science, Math and Engineering Emphasis
- 13. Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Sciences Emphasis
- 14. Management
- 15. Marketing Management

Certificates

- 1. Accounting (Certificate)
- 2. Accounting: Practice Emphasis (Certificate-Advanced)
- 3. Accounting: Taxation Emphasis (Certificate-Advanced)
- 4. Business Administration (Certificate)
- 5. Business Office Clerk (Certificate)
- 6. Computer Aided Design Mechanical (Certificate-Advanced)
- 7. Energy Management and Building Science (Certificate)
- 8. Enterprise Security Professional (Certificate)
- 9. Entrepreneurship (Certificate)
- 10. Environmental Resource Management and Pollution Prevention (Certificate Advanced)
- 11. Environmental Resource Management and Pollution Prevention (Certificate)
- 12. Global Studies (Certificate Advanced)
- 13. Management (Certificate)
- 14. Marketing Management (Certificate Advanced)
- 15. Marketing Management (Certificate)
- 16. Medical File Clerk (Certificate)
- 17. Medical Records Clerk (Certificate)
- 18. Network Administration (Certificate)
- 19. Network Basics (Certificate)
- 20. Tax Practitioner (Certificate-Advanced)
- 21. Visual Basic Programming (Certificate)
- 22. Web Development (Certificate)