

Imperial Valley College



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Agenda

Friday, August 9, 2024

7:30 a.m. **Coffee and Light Breakfast**
College Center

8:15 a.m. **Welcome Address**
Campus Updates
IVC Foundation Updates
Introduction of New Employees

8:55 a.m. **General Session**
Artificial Intelligence

11:15 a.m.-
12:00 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**
(See Breakout Sessions schedule)

12:00 p.m. **Lunch**
Gym

1:00 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**
(See Breakout Sessions schedule)

1:55 p.m. **Division & Department Meetings**
(See detailed schedule)

3:00 p.m. **Union Meetings**
(Information provided by Union Representatives)



Breakout Sessions

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Artificial Intelligence

College Center

10:20 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

An overview about enhancing human capabilities and transforming industries for a better future using Artificial Intelligence (AI).

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CANVAS

Room 804

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

The Least You Should Know About Canvas: Meeting the New Requirements. "The Least You Should Know About Canvas: Meeting the New Requirements" Last semester, the Academic Senate voted to approve the use of Canvas campus-wide to help increase equity and decrease the confusion many students are facing when trying to find scattered information about their courses. Starting in the fall, faculty will be asked to post their syllabus and course meeting information in Canvas and begin to shift communication with students to the Canvas Inbox. This session will cover the syllabus and home page sections of Canvas to ensure faculty have the tools they need to comply with this policy.

Collaborative Communication *Room 209*

10:20 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

Communication is an important skill to develop, but not many people understand why it is so important to communicate well. This class is applicable to parents, spouses, partners, colleagues, and bosses. It explains why better communication can enhance our lives by teaching us new things. This is an interactive class, in which participants will get to practice the new techniques that are taught.

Creativity Online

Room 808

10:20 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

"Creating More Engagement In Your Class" Join me to see how a little creativity in your course can create more engagement and critical thinking with your students. Let's explore different ways to get our students interested in the subjects that we teach.

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Cyber Security

Room 204

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

In this presentation on cyber security awareness, we'll explore the crucial aspects of protecting personal and organizational information in the shifting landscape of today's digital age. We'll discuss common cyber threats, focusing on phishing attacks, which are deceptive attempts to steal sensitive data through fraudulent emails or websites. Real-world examples will illustrate how these attacks occur and the potential consequences of falling victim to them. Attendees will learn to recognize the signs of phishing attempts and best practices for avoiding them. By the end, attendees will be better equipped with practical tips to enhance their cyber security awareness and safeguard themselves while online.

Career Services Center's Insights, Opportunities, Goals, and Successes

Room 207

10:20 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

Join us for an engaging presentation of our Strategic Plan, designed to elevate the Career Services Center through greater alignment with NACE Standards. Discover how we plan to enhance student career readiness and success with tools such as Handshake, targeted boutique-style career fairs, and our strong commitment to student success. Learn how you can be part of the efforts to strengthen institutional and employer partnerships, boost student participation, and integrate work-based learning opportunities.

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Microsoft

Room 803

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

"To use Teams or not to use Teams: Learn to use Microsoft Teams effectively." Microsoft Teams is a communication tool that allows you to collaborate, chat, video call, share files, and more! In this training, we will discuss how you can use Microsoft Teams to make your life easier (in the workplace, of course). Explore the exciting features Teams offers that will help you communicate with internal and external users. The best part is that everything connects to your IVC Microsoft account!

Open Education Resources (OER)

Room 812

10:20 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

"OER: What, Why, Where, and How." Open Educational Resources (OER) are high-quality educational materials that not only reduce or eliminate textbook costs, but can be tailored to the needs of both faculty and students. Whether you're brand-new to the concept, beginning to experiment, and/or looking for more guidance, join IVC's OER Coordinator Cerise Myers for a conversation about why OER matter, where to find them, how to use them, and how to leverage IVC resources to get your courses to ZTC (zero textbook cost).

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Outcomes

Room 811

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

"Student Learning Outcomes Data Collection: From Nuventive to Canvas Outcomes" With the recently updated ACCJC standards focusing heavily on disaggregated data for Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs), IVC is moving its SLO collection from Nuventive to Canvas Outcomes. Nuventive does not have the capability to disaggregate SLO data, whereas Canvas Outcomes does. This breakout session will show you how to complete SLOs in Canvas Outcomes, which will begin campus-wide in the Fall 2024 Semester.

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The 5 Buckets Principle

Room 206

10:20 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

1:00 p.m.

Is it possible to meet the competing demands of finances, friends and family, work, health, and community? The resounding answer is yes! In this fun, interactive seminar, participants will learn the 5 Buckets Principle of work/life balance to get the tools to prioritize what is and should be important to them. Employees will learn how to think about the BIG PICTURE without ignoring the little things that matter. How to find the time to manage it all, including time for themselves, and for fun, by identifying priorities, making choices, and managing expectations.

DIVISION MEETINGS

1:55 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

DIVISION

ROOM NO.

ECONOMIC & WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT

207

HUMAN RESOURCES

2500

HEALTH & PUBLIC SAFETY

3201

STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY

2734

COMMUNICATIONS,
MARKETING, PUBLIC
RELATIONS

BOARD ROOM



DEPARTMENT MEETINGS

1:55 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

ARTS, LETTERS & LEARNING SERVICES

ESL

Room 204

ENGLISH

Room 205

HUMANITIES

Room 206

**WORLD LANGUAGES & COMMUNICATION
STUDIES**

Room 209

**LIBRARY & LEARNING
SERVICES**

LIBRARY

ECONOMIC & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



Entire division will meet at 1:55 p.m. in Room 207

**EWD
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL**
Room 207

**CHILD, FAMILY, &
CONSUMER SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT**
2300

**INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY
DEPARTMENT**
Room 3113

BUSINESS & AGRICULTURAL
Room 3111

2:25 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

1:55 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

MATH & SCIENCE

**BEHAVIORAL &
SOCIAL SCIENCES**
Room 804

**EXERCISE SCIENCE
WELLNESS & SPORTS**
ROOM 808

MATH

Room 811

SCIENCE

Room 812

Special Thanks

Convocation Committee

Teaching Learning Center Team

Human Resources Team

Information Technology Team

Maintenance & Operations Team

Breakout Session Facilitators:

Genaro Ayala, Irene Drye, Miguel Gutierrez,

Kevin Howell, Elizabeth Kemp

Maricela Moreno, Cerise Myers

Nicole Rodiles, Jonathan Singh, Xochitl Tirado



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Breakout Sessions Presenters

Terrence M. Taylor

Collaborative Communication

Terrence M. Taylor is an accomplished professional having gained knowledge in many fields through educational and work experience. In these venues, he has constantly maintained a position of being a sponge, gathering valuable information that can be utilized and passed on to others whenever possible.

In working for the private and public sectors, he amassed experience in various areas: regulatory compliance (state and federal), healthcare/healthcare management, patient records, mental health issues, Health & Safety, Equal Employment Opportunity, Human Resources, Substance Abuse/Reasonable Suspicion, Workers' Compensation, and budget. He has provided consultation regarding employment-related litigation. Terrence also has experience working in post-secondary education as a Supplemental Instructor for Environmental Science, developing content that led to a 95% success rate in student's grades being raised. Through his work in education and the private/public sectors, he has provided training on a variety of topics to all levels of employees (rank and file, supervisory, management, executive, health care professionals, students, etc.) often developing the curriculum needed. He has covered topics including health and wellness, employee development, management/supervisory training, diversity and inclusion, performance improvement, leadership and development, performance evaluation, reasonable suspicion, effective communication, emotional intelligence, finances/estate planning, and other topics.

Financial background: Various Sales, Operations, and Training roles at a mortgage lenders, which involves credit decisioning, reviewing Borrower's financial profiles, writing underwriting guidelines, sales/origination, etc.

Terrence is also an active performer (singer, pianist, organist, composer, and arranger) in California, having recently performed at such illustrious venues as the Hollywood Bowl, the North Sea Jazz Festival, JEN Festivals, and at various venues across the greater Los Angeles area.

Terrence recently returned to California State University, Long Beach/The Bob Cole Conservatory of Music to complete his degree in music (jazz studies), with the plan to attend law school. He previously attended California State University, Sacramento and Long Beach City College. With everything that he pursues, his ultimate goal is to help others by paying forward/sharing the information and experiences that he has been fortunate enough to obtain.

Lori Jones

The 5 Buckets Principle

Lori Jones has been teaching, training, and educating people from all walks of life for decades. Her work experiences have included military service, educational institutions, community-based organizations, and government. She is a self-employed yoga instructor and author. At home, work and play she is energized by sharing her natural talent to inspire people to live in balance by taking positive actions and integrating them into their lives. She has done this in all areas of her own life including, career, relationship, family, nutrition, finances, physical and behavioral health. Her notable strengths include woo (winning others over), positivity, communication, developer, and inclusivity; when she is utilizing these strengths she is energized and embodies her passion for delivering meaningful material to benefit the lives of those in her audiences in varied settings.

After becoming a veteran in the 1980s she completed her education and has enjoyed a 30-year career as an applied sociologist working in education and government in the fields of sociology, criminal justice, behavioral health, and public health. She holds

Bachelor's and Masters of Arts degrees in Sociology and has taught courses in sociology and demography. She has trained undergraduate and graduate students, researchers, health planners, community planners, interns, colleagues, managers and supervisors and the public. She has over a decade of experience developing and facilitating trainings with managers and supervisors on leadership and she has conducted trainings on a wide variety of topics including substance use and misuse, recovery from addictions and harm reduction for health planners and professionals. She has been trained and has delivered trainings on diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging (DEIB) with experience working with LGBTQIA+, people living with and vulnerable to HIV, all genders, ages, races, ethnicities, and sexual orientations. Her DEIB training experience includes anti-racism, neurodivergence, and the experience of being homeless, transgender and non-binary.

She has been an active member of twelve-step recovery programs herself for over 30 years and she brings her lived experiences to inform and educate others on overcoming addictions and maladaptive behaviors. She is certified to teach kundalini yoga, yin yoga and yoga on a standup paddleboard (SUP). She has taught yoga as an adjunct instructor at community colleges, aquatic center, treatment centers, retreats, cruise ships, both indoors and outdoors. She has developed a 20-hour SUP yoga teacher training certification program. And is the author of the book, The Yogic

Journey through the Twelve Step, which she has used to facilitate groups in treatment centers and at retreats.

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Our Mission

The mission of Imperial Valley College is to foster excellence in education that challenges students of every background to develop their intellect, character, and abilities; to assist students in achieving their educational and career goals; and to be responsive to the greater community

Our Vision

To provide quality education that enriches lives and builds futures.

