## ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION 4021

## SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

## CAREER EDUCATION PROGRAM DISCONTINUANCE

- I. Each college will develop a process to evaluate career education programs every two years to ensure they:
  - meet labor market demand,
  - do not represent unnecessary duplication of programs in the area, and
  - demonstrate effectiveness as measured by the employment and completion success of its students.

A written summary of the findings of the bi-annual review shall be submitted to the Board as an information item and made available to the public.

- II. Career Education Programs not meeting the requirement:
  - When a career education program does not meet the requirements noted above, a program vitality study shall be completed within one year and a recommendation will be made to revitalize or discontinue the program.
  - When programs are eliminated or program requirements are significantly changed, the institution makes appropriate arrangements so that enrolled students may complete their education in a timely manner with a minimum of disruption to students.

## References:

Education Code Section 78016 Title 5 Sections 51022 and 55130 ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.A.15

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