

JOINT CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
of the
Arizona Board of Regents and the Arizona Community Colleges
BYLAWS

Article I. ORGANIZATION AND MISSION

- A. The name of this organization is the Joint Conference Committee (JCC)
- B. JCC has responsibility for the oversight of agreements between the community colleges and universities that enhance the access of students throughout the state to four-years degree programs.
- C. The mission of the JCC: Recognizing that growth, accessibility and integration are critical issues, the Joint Conference Committee – made up of representatives from the Arizona Board of Regents, university presidents, community college presidents and community college trustees – is committed to delineating and supporting a cooperative statewide articulation and transfer system.

Article II. MEMBERSHIP

- A. Membership of the JCC shall consist of 8 voting members. 4 members representing Arizona’s public community colleges and 4 representing the public universities.
 - 1. University members shall consist of 1 university president and 3 members of the Arizona Board of Regents, of which 1 is the voting student regent.
 - a. The university president shall serve a 1 year term, which can be extended for 1 additional year, with the consensus of the other 2 university presidents.
 - b. The 2 regents will serve staggered 3-year terms.
 - c. The student regent will serve 1 year.
 - 2. Community college members shall consist of 2 community college presidents, 1 rural and 1 urban, and 2 governing board trustees, 1 rural and 1 urban.
 - a. Community college presidents shall serve staggered 2 year terms.
 - b. Trustees shall serve 3 year staggered terms.
 - c. Community college presidents and trustees shall each represent different districts.
 - 3. The executive director of the Arizona Board of Regents and the executive director of the Arizona Community College Association shall serve as non-voting ex-officio members.

Article III. MEETINGS

- A. Meetings shall be scheduled at least twice a year, but not more than 4 times a year
 - 1. Meetings will be scheduled following the regular meetings of the Academic Programs Articulation Steering Committee (APASC).
- B. One university board member and one community college trustee shall be selected annually to serve as JCC co-chairs.
- C. Meetings shall be hosted on a one-year rotating basis between the Arizona Community College Association and the Arizona Board of Regents.

Article IV. QUORUM

- A. A quorum shall consist of fifty percent of the voting members, with at least 2 representatives from each constituency (community colleges and universities).