

**APPLICATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF A
DEPARTMENTAL POLICY FOR EQUIVALENCY**

From (Chair): Carey L. Karle

Date: 8-10-17

Department: Composition, Literature, and Reading

Extension: 3421

Discipline(s): Film Studies

I. TENURED FACULTY SIGNATURE(S)

Signature of the Tenured Faculty Who Determined that the Proposed Policy Should Satisfy the Equivalency Requirements:


Printed Name: EILEEN APPERSON

Signature:  Date: 8/11/17

(If tenured faculty member in the discipline is not available, a tenured faculty member from a "related discipline", as defined in the Minimum Qualifications for Faculty and Administrators in California Community Colleges handbook, may sign after consulting with the non-tenured faculty.)

Other members of the discipline are encouraged to sign either in support or denial of the policy.

Printed Name: DAVID BOROFA

Signature:  Date: 8/11/17

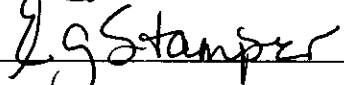
Support: Oppose:

Printed Name: RICK GARZA

Signature:  Date: 8/14/17

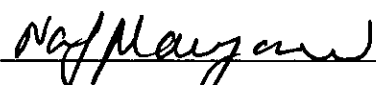
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Printed Name: Edaine G. Stamps

Signature:  Date: 8/14/17

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| Printed Name: <u>Rebecca Snyder</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u>Rebecca Snyder</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Printed Name: <u>Deb Frazier Borofka</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u>[Signature]</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
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| Printed Name: <u>Kate Watts</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u>Kate R. Watts</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
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| Printed Name: <u>DEBORAH LYONS</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u>[Signature]</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
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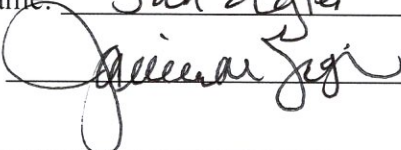
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| Printed Name: <u>Lori Levine</u> | Date: <u>8/14/17</u> |
| Signature: <u></u> | Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Printed Name: <u>Jan Zigler</u> | Date: <u>8/14/17</u> |
| Signature: <u></u> | Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Printed Name: <u>Ryan M. LaSalle</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u></u> | Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Printed Name: <u>Heather Paul</u> | Date: <u>8.15.17</u> |
| Signature: <u></u> | Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Printed Name: <u>David Dominguez</u> | Date: <u>8/15/17</u> |
| Signature: <u></u> | Support: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oppose: <input type="checkbox"/> |

DEPARTMENT CHAIR OR DIVISION REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE

Printed Name: Carey L. Karle

Signature: Carey L. Karle Date: 8-14-17

Do any of the colleges in the district offer a comparable program? Yes No
If so, which colleges: Fresno City College and Clovis Community College

If applicable, have RC Faculty reviewed this departmental policy with the appropriate faculty at the other colleges offering a comparable program? Yes No
If so, which instructors: Eric Fletcher (FCC) and Cynthia Elliott (CCC)

(Faculty from other colleges may include a statement of support or non-support).

DEAN OF INSTRUCTION SIGNATURE

Printed Name: G. Todd Davis

Signature: [Signature] Date: 8-15-17

I. Statement of minimum qualifications as defined in the *Minimum Qualifications for Faculty and Administrators in California Community Colleges* handbook:

Master's degree in film, drama/theater arts or mass communication

OR

Bachelor's degree in any of the above

AND

Master's degree in media studies, English or communication

OR the equivalent.

II. Recommended Departmental Policy for an *Equivalency*:

Master's degree in film, drama/theatre arts, or mass communication

OR

Bachelor's degree in film studies, media studies, theatre arts, mass communication, or English

AND

Master's degree in film studies, theatre arts, mass communication or English

AND

At least five years film studies research and/or 10 units of coursework in film studies.

III. Please provide an explanation that justifies this policy if different than state minimum qualifications:

A Master's degree in film studies is not offered at any local college or university; moreover, Reedley College, in its rural setting, does not attract individuals with such credentials. Therefore, the department has no instructors available with such qualifications.

ACTION OF THE REEDLEY COLLEGE ACADEMIC SENATE COMMITTEE ON EQUIVALENCY

The Department Policy is: approved: denied:

Signature of Equivalency Committee Chair (or designee): Emily Berg

Date: 8/18/2017

Comments: Approved by majority vote of the committee on August 18, 2017.