

I would like to highlight agenda item #9, the curriculum actions approved by CIPD at the beginning of this month.

### **Berkeley City College**

BCC is adding a number of new courses – There is an Astronomy course on Space Weather that is being done in partnership with UC Berkeley;  
There are a variety of new Multimedia Arts courses, one of which is “Ethnic Perceptions in Digital Media.”

### **College of Alameda**

There are three courses which will be a part of a program in Office Administration for the Logistics Industry and a proposed Certificate of Proficiency;  
A course in Geographic Information Systems – GIS  
Two new courses in Truck Mechanics,  
A fee based course in Smog Check Technician Update Training, and

### **Laney College**

There is a new chemistry course, Chemistry of Energy and Environmental Issues;  
16 business courses to be offered through distance education, and  
A variety of business courses being deactivated.

### **Merritt College**

There are new ESL and English courses;  
An additional course for the proposed certificate in online instruction,  
Seven Real Estate courses to be offered as distance education;  
As well as changes being made to five (5) existing courses.