

Apprenticeship Employment Program
Resolution 2010-07

Whereas, the Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function is to make recommendations with respect to academic and professional matters (Title 5, 53200), and is primarily relied upon for curriculum and instruction, for grading policies, for student preparation and success, and for degree and certificate requirements (BP 3255); and,

Whereas, the Academic Senate of Mt. San Antonio College has previously affirmed and recommended that the District should prioritize services that support student learning and student success (Res. 2009-15); and,

Whereas, the tutoring services at Mt. San Antonio College served a combined 14,956 students in the Fall 2009 and Winter 2010 terms, providing over 144,950 hours of tutoring support, which has markedly improved student success; and

Whereas, the District's recently revised student employment policy severely and impractically restricts the pool of qualified candidates for employment at the various tutoring centers on campus;

Resolved, that the Academic Senate of Mt. San Antonio College recommends that the District implement an "apprentice employment program," functioning independently of student course load, as permitted under Title 5, in order to maintain the quality and robustness of the College's tutoring and academic support services.

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Withdrawn by authors