

**CLUSTER MINUTES**  
**Thursday, March 22, 2012**  
**1:00 – 4:00 p.m.**  
**Lake Worth Campus**  
**BA 308**

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**ITEM 1.** The FYE department requests faculty participation at the campus student convocations that will be held on Friday, September 7. Faculty will be part of the procession and will wear their graduation regalia. The FYE department understands that this event is not a contractual event but it is a great opportunity to welcome our new incoming freshman students.

Discussion: Discussed in the general meeting

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**ITEM 2.** What books are being used for CGS 1100 Microcomputer Applications in the fall 2012 on each campus?

Discussion: Most faculty use the Go! text, and only two faculty are using the Shelley-Cashman text.

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**ITEM 3. New College Credit Certificates**

Discussion: The Computer Science area could show more completers and also encourage students to continue on to complete the longer CCCs and AS degrees if we add these CCCs. We have only 10 to 20 completers per year across all of our programs, yet we have over 200 students in the core classes for the CCCs and AS degrees. This does not including CGS 1100 students. The Information Technology Technician College Credit Certificate is a revised version of a previously presented CCC.

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Action: All approved the Information Technology Technician College Credit Certificate; the Java Programming College Credit Certificate requires further research to see if individuals from industry can be credentialed to teach the advanced Java classes. These classes could be offered in Boca Raton.

The Information Technology Technician College Credit Certificate has 21 credits and is

part of the Network Administration degree.  
CGS 1100 Microcomputer Applications  
COP 1000 Introduction to Programming Logic  
CTS 1110 Operating Systems  
CTS 1150 Computer Maintenance and Repair  
CTS 2130 UNIX Installation and Administration using Linux  
CNT 2402 Implementing and Adminstrating Network Security  
CNT 2000 Network Technologies

The Java Programming College Credit Certificate has 18 credits and is part of the Programming degree.

CGS 1100 Microcomputer Applications  
COP 1000 Introduction to Programming Logic  
COP 1220 Introduction to C Programming  
COP 2800 Java Programming  
COP 2805 Advanced Java Programming  
COP 28XX Java Servlets

**ITEM 4.** Faculty are researching a new text for COP 1000 Introduction to Programming Logic.

Discussion: Gaddis and Prelude to Programming were discussed.

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## **OTHER.**

### **Attendance:**

Marg Chauvin	Ali Fazelpour	
Elizabeth I. Horvath	Mary Vitrano	Carol Grimm
Mike Copper	Jeanne A. Murcia	Tommy Martin

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