# Instructional Budgeting, Review,

**Budget Committee '** 

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#### Overview

- Levels of Budget Development and Decision-Making &
- Review of Tasks and Challenges
- Steps of overall process
- Analysis of variability

# Levels of Instructional Budget Development and Decisions

Annual College-wide Instructional Budget

Department Instructional Budget Allocations

Schedule Development

#### Task at Hand

 Determine a college-wide total instructional FTEF (full-time equivalent faculty) budget that meets overall college expectations for FTES, with a clear expectation of projected faculty salary expenses that fits within the larger college budget

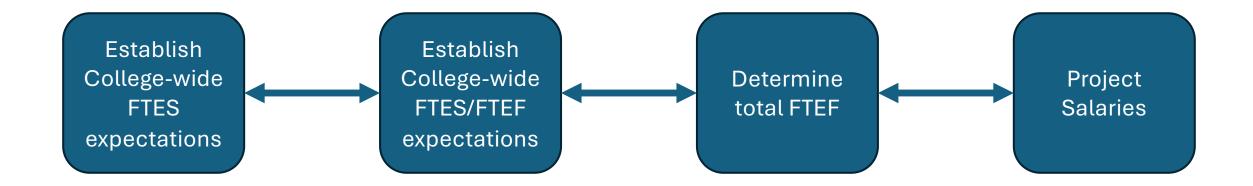
#### Challenge: Dollars vs FTEF

- Finance Office & Budget Committee work with budgets in dollars
- Instructional programs work in FTEF
  - Example: running the Dental Assisting program requires 2.3 FTEF in the Fall and 2.6 FTEF in the Spring
- Actual salary expenses depend on specific faculty assigned

#### Challenge: Timing

- Schedule development for an academic year starts in January/February
- College budget development starts after Governor's January budget, but is subject to change based on May Revise, actual state adopted budget, June tentative college budget, and September final adopted budget
- Difficult to implement large changes in instructional budgets once schedule is published, registration has started

#### Process Overview \*



### Example: FTES Expectations \*

	Actual 2023-24	Projected 2024-25	Expectation 2025-26
Credit	11,300	11,500	12,000
Noncredit CDCP	2,100	2,300	2,400
Noncredit non-CDCP	1,300	1,500	1,600
Total	14,700	15,300	16,000

FTES figures are resident FTES and are rounded. AY 2025-26 FTES expectation is an example.

# Example: FTES/FTEF Expectations \*

	Actual 2023-24	Projected 2024-25	Expectation 2025-26
Credit	13.4	13.6	13.8
Noncredit CDCP	22.4	23.0	23.3
Noncredit non-CDCP	20.6	20.3	20.6
Overall	14.7	15.0	15.2

# Example: Resulting FTEF \*

	FTES Expectation	FTES/FTEF Expectation	Resulting FTEF
Credit	12,000	13.8	870
Noncredit CDCP	2,400	23.3	100
Noncredit non-CDCP	1,600	20.6	80
Total	16,000	15.2	1,050

FTEF figures are semester FTEF, and are rounded & One FT faculty teaching a full load in Fall and Spring contributes 2 semester FTEF. &

#### **Projecting Salary Expenses**

- Instructional FTEF divided into:
  - FT faculty inload instruction
  - PT faculty instruction (including PT temporary upgrades)
  - FT faculty extra pay instruction
- Faculty salaries projected based on:
  - Projection of FT inload instruction
  - Average cost for PT & FT extra pay instruction

# Projecting Inload Instruction \*

Total FT Faculty	390	
Counselors	51	Includes EOPS, DSPS
Librarians	14	
Student Health	3	
Department Chair Reassigned Time	28.5	
AFT/DCC Contractual Obligations	13.3	
Additional Reassigned Time	9.6	Academic Senate, Grant-funded &
Leaves	19.0	Sabbatical, Pre-retirement, Partial Load, Sick
Net Projected Inload Instruction	251.6	

#### Conversion to PT Instructional Salaries \*

Annual Instructional FTEF	1,050.0
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6
Remaining Instruction FTEF	546.8
Average Salary per semester FTEF	\$41,700
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M

#### Sensitivity to Variability

- Many factors can impact faculty salaries:
  - Impacts to inload instruction from FT faculty:
    - Retirements
    - Reassigned time
  - Salary structure changes
  - Variability in part-time faculty assignments & average salary
  - FTES/FTEF ratio
  - FTES Expectations
- Which ones are most impactful?

#### Retirements and Reassigned Time

- When FT faculty retire and are not backfilled with new FT hires, some savings can be achieved even without changes in the overall schedule
- Changes to the amount of reassigned time will also impact total part-time faculty salaries

#### Retirements \*

	Current	5 Retirements	10 Retirements
Annual Instructional FTEF	1,050.0	1,050.0	1,050.0
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6	246.6	241.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6	246.6	241.6
Remaining Instruction FTEF	546.8	556.8	566.8
Average Salary per FTEF	\$41,700	\$41,700	\$41,700
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M	\$23.2M	\$23.6M
Change in PT Salaries		+ \$0.4M	+ \$0.8M
FT Salary Savings (@ \$137K)		-\$0.7M	-\$1.4M
Net Savings		-\$0.3M	-\$0.6M

# Reassigned Time \*

	Current	+4 FTEF Reassigned Time	-4 FTEF Reassigned Time
Annual Instructional FTEF	1,050.0	1,050.0	1,050.0
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6	247.6	255.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6	247.6	255.6
Remaining Instruction FTEF	546.8	554.8	538.8
Average Salary per FTEF	\$41,700	\$41,700	\$41,700
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M	\$23.1M	\$22.5M
Change		+ \$0.3M	-\$0.3M

#### Salary Structure Changes

- District/AFT CBA included a 3% increase in AY 2024/25 and a 2% increase in AY 2025/26
- Average Salary also dependent on which faculty are assigned

	Average Part-time Salary per FTEF	Change
Spring 2024	\$39,900	
Fall 2024	\$40,900	+2.5%
Projected AY 2025	\$41,700	+2.0%

# Salary Structure Changes \*

	Average Salary +2.0%	Average Salary +1.5%	Average Salary +2.5%
Annual Instructional FTEF	1,050.0	1,050.0	1,050.0
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6	251.6	251.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6	251.6	251.6
Remaining Instruction FTEF	546.8	546.8	546.8
Average Salary per FTEF	\$41,700	\$41,500	\$41,900
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M	\$22.7M	\$22.9M
Change		-\$0.1M	+ \$0.1M

### Changes in FTES/FTEF

- Average FTES/FTEF ratio can be impacted by several factors: &
  - Changes in average class size
  - Changes in mixture of classes offered

# FTES/FTEF Changes \*

	Current	Lower FTES/FTEF	Higher FTES/FTEF
FTES Projection	16,000	16,000	16,000
FTES/FTEF Projection	15.2	14.7	15.7
Total Instruction FTEF	1,050	1,090	1,020
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6	251.6	251.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6	251.6	251.6
Remaining Instruction	546.8	586.8	516.8
Average Salary per FTEF	\$41,700	\$41,700	\$41,700
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M	\$24.8M	\$21.6M
Change		+ \$2.0M	-\$1.2M

#### Changes in FTES Expectations

 Changing our FTES expectations while not changing our FTES/FTEF expectations will impact the number of classes that need to be scheduled, which will change our salary expectations

# FTES Expectation Changes \*

	Current	-500 FTES	+500 FTES
FTES Projection	16,000	15,500	16,500
FTES/FTEF Projection	15.2	15.2	15.2
Total Instruction FTEF	1,050	1,020	1,090
Inload Instruction – Fall	251.6	251.6	251.6
Inload Instruction – Spring	251.6	251.6	251.6
Remaining Instruction	546.8	516.8	586.8
Average Salary per FTEF	\$41,700	\$41,700	\$41,700
Total Projected Salary	\$22.8M	\$21.6M	\$24.5M
Change		-\$1.2M	+ \$1.7M

# Review of Impacts \*

Example	Estimated Budget Impact to PT Faculty Salaries
10 FT retirements backfilled with PT faculty	– \$0.6M d
Reduction of 4 FTEF of reassigned time	– \$0.3M d
0.5% change in average salary per FTEF	± \$0.1M ‹
FTES/FTEF expectation change of ±0.5	+ \$2.0M to – \$1.2M
FTES expectation change of ±500 FTES	+ \$1.7M to – \$1.2M

Questions? \*