

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS DIVISION – OFFICE OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION

BIOLOGY IFCC MEETING

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

9:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Central Georgia Technical College

Macon GA

IFCC MEETING AGENDA

Time	Activity/Topic	Name(s), if applicable
8:50-9:00	Check In	Dr. Dames
9:00-9:05	Call to Order	Dr. Maloof
9:05-9:10	Welcome: College Roll Call	Dr. Maloof
9:10-9:15	Approval of Minutes from April 2023 meeting.	Dr. Maloof
9:15-9:20	Biology IFCC Consortium Officers, College Representatives - Point of Contacts	Dr. Maloof
9:20-9:25	Nominations and Election of new term Consortium Officers Visit the following website for duties and responsibilities. IFCC Guidelines (tcsge.edu)	Dr. Maloof
9:25-9:50	TCSG Updates	Dr. Dames
9:50-10:20	Biology IFCC Microsoft Teams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sharing curriculum materials 	
10:20-10:50	Curriculum Material Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SoftChalk OpenStax YuJa 	GVTC Representative
11:00-12:00	Optimizing BIOL 2114/2114L <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proposed changes and Voting 	Dr. Maloof
12:00-12:45	Lunch	
1:00-2:00	Attention and Review of TCSG BIOL Courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify Courses Offered & Review Course Descriptions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BIOL 2100 : Survey of the Human Body BIOL 2107/2107L : Biological Principles BIOL 1111/1111L : Biology I BIOL 1112/1112L : Biology II BIOL 1210/1210L : Introduction to Botany BIOL 2113/2113L : Anatomy & Physiology I BIOL 2114/2114L : Anatomy & Physiology II BIOL 2117/2117L : Introductory Microbiology BIOL 2120 : Research Methods in Biology BIOL 2210 : Cell Biology and Immunology BIOL 2250 : Applied Biotechnology Internship BIOL 2311: Human Pathophysiology 	Dr. Maloof

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2:00-2:30	Advancing Professionally within your Science Department <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimizing efficiency of your department • Contacting Publishers – negotiating pricing 	Dr. Maloof Dr. Bean
2:30-3:00	Open Discussion, Questions & Best Practices – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are Colleges operating <i>Remote Work</i> • How are Colleges operating Budgets and Purchasing of Supplies/Equipment • Use of OpenStax/free materials – best practices & cautions 	
3:00-3:15	Official TCSG Biology Instructional Faculty Consortium Committee (IFCC) Officers Transition - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome of New (and Continuing) Term Biology IFCC Officers and College Point-Of-Contacts 	Dr. Dames
3:15-3:30	Adjournment	

*ADDITIONAL NOTES