



METRO COLLEGE SUCCESS PROGRAM

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Contract Grading Proposal and Scope of Work August 2023

We respectfully submit the following proposal to run training for faculty at Cañada College (Attn: Kiran Malavade)

Subject: Contract Grading

Date: ~~October 11th~~ for 2 hours

Format: Recommending Zoom for more participation

Narrative: We propose that Metro provide faculty at Cañada College an introductory workshop on contract grading. We propose the following possible content areas for inclusion in the workshop.

- Overall context and history of grading in the United States
- Why contract grading is an anti-racist practice
- Why Metro pursued contract grading programmatically
- Piloting contract grading, successes and challenges
- Faculty discussion about grading and assessment

Ongoing Work: This could be part of a series of trainings that Metro could offer. We can propose the following content areas for future workshops:

- 1) Developing literacy around ungrading contract possibilities
- 2) Implementing contract grading in your classroom
- 3) Setting a foundation for a community of practice
- 4) Introducing contract grading in multiple disciplines
- 5) Other topics to be developed in collaboration with the college faculty

Budget Considerations:

The Metro team charges \$150 per hour, per facilitator (3). Total estimated cost=\$2600

Typically, a training that is 2 hours long would require 4 hours of preparation.