

**ALSO PRESENT**

Dr. Roger A. Ramsammy, President

George JRaneri, Secretary to the

Resolved that the request to posthumously award the title of Trustee Emeritus to Dr. Joseph A. Kapp, in recognition of his excellent and dedicated service to Hudson Valley Community College over the past twenty years (1999-2020) and to present to his family a Certificate of Recognition on behalf of the college's Board of Trustees and the campus community, be and hereby is, approved. The resolution shall read as follows:

WHEREAS, Joe was known and loved for his sense of humor, his keen intellect, his insightful questions, and above all, his devotion to his family, which includes Jolanta, his wife of 17 years; their children Alexander, John, Jack, Cindy and Peter; his siblings James and Judith and many nieces, nephews, and cousins, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, in special recognition of his distinguished and enduring service, the Hudson Valley Community College Board of Trustees wishes to acknowledge Dr. Joseph A. Kapp by this posthumous appointment as Trustee Emeritus of Hudson Valley Community College;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Board herein extends its sincerest appreciation to Dr. Joseph A. Kapp for his dedication to Hudson Valley Community College and to the people of Rensselaer County and the Capital Region, and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board conveys its deepest sympathies to the family and friends of Dr. Joseph A. Kapp; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution is recorded in the minutes of the Hudson Valley Community College Board of Trustees Meeting, dated November 24, 2020.

Upon a motion by Dr. James, seconded by M Grant, the following resolution was adopted unanimously.

CURRICULUM  
CHANGES

Resolved that the following curriculum changes, as recommended by the Academic Senate and the President, be, and hereby are, approved:

1. APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES

A. New Course Proposals:

a. *AUTO 240 – Advanced and Autonomous Vehicles*

The Advanced and Autonomous Vehicle course is being introduced to teach students the needed knowledge for advanced driver assistance and autonomous vehicle systems repair for the new Automotive program within the Applied Technologies Department.

b. *AUTO 285 – Vehicle Data Security*

The reason for the new course, Vehicle Data Security, is to introduce students to the potential threats of cyberattacks on vehicles, especially connected and automated vehicles for the new Automotive program being introduced within the Applied Technologies Department.

B. Change to Existing Course Proposal:

a. *AUTO 280 - Electric and Hybrid Vehicles*

The reason we are taking out the last line of the course description “Students will also be introduced to the operation, diagnosis and repair of current and future autonomous vehicle systems.” because we are changing what is being taught over ~~the~~ ~~class~~. The reason for the change in the course curriculum is due to the introduction of a new course, *Advanced and Autonomous Vehicles*, that will teach Autonomous Vehicle Systems in greater depth.

2. BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, AND PHYSICS

A. New Course Proposals:

a. *BIOL 225 – Introduction to Molecular Biology*

This is an introduction to the core concepts of molecular biology with an emphasis on biotechnology and genetic engineering. This course is intended to serve as a 3 lecture experience in molecular biology, and will be offered on campus and online. This course will be available to current HVCC students interested in advanced molecular biology, but importantly, to students abroad with online offering.

b. ***CHEM 202 – Introduction to Industrial Chemistry***

The course, Introduction to Industrial Chemistry, would be a new chemistry elective for our Physical Science A.S. program (Biology, Chemistry, Physics tracks). Industrial chemistry is defined as the branch of chemistry which applies physical and chem

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Intercollegiate Athletics,  
temp. p/t appt., eff. 10/22/20 \$1,750/yr.

Abbey DeRossi, Assistant Women's Basketball Coach, (emergency hire),  
Intercollegiate Athletics,  
temp. p/t appt., eff. 10/22/20 \$1,500/yr.

Donald Hogan, Assistant Football Coach, (emergency hire),  
Intercollegiate Athletics,  
temp. p/t appt., eff. 10/22/20 \$1,000/yr.