

2026 Credit for Prior Learning (CPL)

Advisory Committee Members



ORS 350.110 requires the Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) to appoint members to the Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) Advisory Committee representing the below sectors.

ORS 350.110 Requirement	Name	Affiliation
A member recommended for appointment by the State Board of Higher Education representing public universities in this state.	Nicolle DuPont	Portland State University
A member recommended for appointment by the State Board of Education representing community colleges in this state.	Cindy Lenhart	Central Oregon Community College
A member representing independent not-for-profit institutions of higher education located in this state.	Richard Weber	Corban University
A member representing for-profit institutions of higher education offering degree programs to students in this state.	Ravinder Dayal	Carrington College
A member representing the business community.	Debbie Radie	Boardman Foods
A member representing the labor community.	Andrew Friedman	United We Heal Oregon
A member who is a student at a two- year or four-year institution of higher education located in this state.	Open Seat	Open Seat

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Other members appointed by the Higher Education Coordinating Commission based upon a demonstrated interest in and knowledge of prior learning programs.	Institution
Laurie Michaels	Umpqua Community College
Jennifer Hills	Blue Mountain Community College
Amy Burbee	Linn Benton Community College
Linda Samek	George Fox University
Rusty Riis	Rogue Community College
Sara Mustonen	Columbia Gorge Community College
Ellen Osterkamp	Lane Community College
Bonnie Gutierrez	University of Oregon
Wendy Ivie	Oregon Tech
Moneeka Settles	Linn Benton Community College
Emily Sharratt	Eastern Oregon University
Judith Silva	Western Oregon University
Rebecca Mathern	Oregon State University

Staff	Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC)
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