



CALIFORNIA STUDENT AID COMMISSION  
DATA, RESEARCH, AND STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING  
MEETING MINUTES

September 8, 2021

1:30 pm

Virtual Meeting

Marlene L. Garcia (Executive Director)

**COMMISSIONER**

**PRESENT:**

Debra Maxie (Chair)  
Juanita Doplemore (Vice Chair)  
Patrick Day  
Hal Geiogue  
David O'Brien

**COMMISSIONER**

**ABSENT:**

Steve Ngo

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**1. Call to Order and Roll Call**

Committee Chair Debra Maxie called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m.  
Roll call was taken and a quorum was recognized.

**2. Public comment on items not on the agenda**

There was no public comment.

**3. Committee Chair's Report**

Committee Chair Maxie welcomed everyone and welcomed  
Commissioner David O'Brien back to the Commission.

4. **Approval of the Data, Research and Strategic Planning Committee minutes of June 23, 2021 (Action)**

Commissioner Doplemore **moved to approve** the minutes. **Seconded by** Commissioner O'Brien.

Roll call vote:

**In Favor** (4): Day, Doplemore, Maxie, and O'Brien

**Abstain** (1): Geiogoue

**Absent** (1): Ngo

**Carried (4 to 0)**

The DRSP Committee **APPROVED** the minutes of the June 23, 2021 virtual meeting.

5. **Cal Grant Policy Brief on award letters (Information)**

Committee Chair Maxie invited Patrick Perry, Director of the Data, Analysis, and Research Team, to present item 5.

Mr. Perry provided a brief background of the award letters and the Commission's work with the California Policy Lab team. He invited Jesse Rothstein, Professor of Public Policy and Economics Faculty Director, California Policy Lab, to present on the award letters and findings.

6. **New business to be considered at future meetings (Information/Action)**

Commissioners would like to receive an update on net costs for colleges on these award letters, specifically related to intersegmental costs.

7. **Adjournment**

Committee Chair Maxie adjourned the meeting at 2:34 p.m.

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DEBRA MAXIE  
COMMITTEE CHAIR