1. **Web Site Updates**  
   1) UOP artic agreement for School of Pharm & Health Sciences plus link to School of Pharm/HS home page; 2) new ASSIST links to UC TCA, CSU Bacc, CSU GE, & IGETC on Merritt page; 3) link to all CCC catalogs on CCC page (when reach linked page, click on “Links” on sidebar, then scroll down to “Catalogs”); 4) link to all U.S. and World Colleges & Universities on Advising and Info page; 5) link to all California higher ed catalogs (UCs, CSUs, CCCs, and Independents) on the web site under Advising Information and Resources (first box on first page); 6) ASSIST pointers for all CSUs and UCs have been updated to take you to the 03-04 academic year agreements.

2. **SFSU Nursing Agreement Updated**  
   SFSU has updated the Nursing major agreement on ASSIST. The changes are editorial; no new course agreements have been made.

3. **SDSU Liberal Studies Substitutions**  
   There have been many changes made to the SDSU Liberal Studies major for the 2003/04 Catalog. Because of these changes, the liberal studies committee has decided to allow some substitutions to ease the transition for transfer students. These substitutions are designed for junior-level transfer students that have already taken course work that satisfied specific requirements in the lower division prep for the major allowed under the 2002/03 Catalog. Please advise students to take the 2003/04 required course work if they have not already taken a course in the old major. These waivers will be in effect for students matriculating at SDSU in 2003/04 and 2004/05 ONLY. Students satisfying requirements by any of these waivers must complete their degree by August 2008. SDSU is providing this information for counselors and Transfer Center Directors only, without printing it for students (who can frequently misinterpret) or posting it on ASSIST. I’ve posted the list of substitutions on the SDSU page of the Counselor Web Site.

4. **CSUDH Major Changes**  
   The Bachelor of Arts in Travel and Tourism at CSU Dominguez Hills is discontinued as of fall 2003. A minor in Travel and Tourism begins in Fall 2003. The minor consists of five upper division courses. There are no lower division requirements for the minor in Travel and Tourism.

5. **UCSD New Artic**  
   We’ve been able to get articulation in the top 20 majors at UCSD (finally!). As new agreements come in, I’ll keep you posted (and they will also appear on ASSIST).

6. **Patten Changes Name**  
   Patten College has changed its name to Patten University. Their address and website remain the same. They now have a toll free number: 1-877-4PATTEN.

7. **CSULA Agreement Renewed**  
   The articulation agreement with CSULA was renewed and posted on ASSIST July 15, 2003.
8. **CSU, Chico Agreement Renewed**  The articulation agreement with CSUC was renewed and posted on ASSIST August 2, 2003

9. **SFSU Artic Changes**  SFSU has made some significant changes in their major preparation agreements in Computer Science, Business Administration, Liberal Studies, and Family and Consumer Sciences. They have also added new majors in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences, Apparel Design and Merchandising, and Interior Design. The new agreements, with changes, were posted on ASSIST 8/14/03.

10. **CSUMB Artic Agreement Updated**  The new artic agreement for CSU, Monterey Bay for 03-04 has been published on ASSIST. Major rep agreements are now available for all majors.

11. **CCAC Artic Agreement Updated**  We received the most recent artic agreement from California College of Arts & Crafts on 8/22/03. I've posted it on the CCAC page of the Counselor Web Site.

12. **New Dominican Agreement**  A new artic agreement with Dominican University of CA was completed and posted on the Counselor Web Site 8/22/03.

13. **UCB L&S Updated**  As of 8/2/03, CIS 3, 5 and 6 are approved to clear the Quantitative Reasoning Essential Skill Area of UC Berkeley’s L&S’s General Education requirements.

14. **UCR Major Changes**  A number of changes to majors at UC Riverside are effective this fall. Here is a summary (all changes have been posted on ASSIST):

   - Biological Sciences  (new Medical Biology track)
   - Chemical Engineering  (new Bioengineering option)
   - Creative Writing  (changes to lower division requirements)
   - Environmental Science  (new Environmental Education option)
   - Geology  (new Biogeography option, changes to geophysics option)
   - Geophysics  (changes to lower division requirements)
   - Film and Visual Studies  (changes to lower division requirements)
   - Human Development  (discontinued)
   - Liberal Studies  (Revised text information regarding elementary credential candidates.)
     (Changes to lower division requirements.)
   - Math  (added recently approved articulation for linear algebra courses, as requested of CCCs in 2/03)

16. **CSU, Fresno ASSIST Update**  1991-92, 1992-93, and 1993-94 course to course articulation by MAJOR has been removed on ASSIST. Course to course by DEPARTMENT is still available for these years on ASSIST.