

## Faculty Senate Student Equity Committee

Date: May 13, 2010  
Time: 1:00-2:00pm  
Location: 1415-01 (Social Science Division Conference Room)  
Present: Chuck Helms, Adela Lopez, Carolyn Facer, Pilar Ellis, Alin Roman, Mark Greenhalgh, Jeanne Costello and Chris Lamm.  
Absent: Stewart Kimura and Emilio Montes  
Guest: Lily Espinoza

### Agenda/Meeting Notes

1. Welcome to the last schedule meeting of the 2009-2019 School Year.
2. Recognize our two student representatives - soon to be graduates of Fullerton College.
  - a. [Alin Roman](#)
  - b. [Emilio Montes](#)
3. How do we want the End of the Academic Year Report to look?

Format? Information to Include?? • Strategies??

**Brainstorming:**

  - follow the format of the Plan?
  - highlight what we did accomplish this year
    - website
  - continue to bring DSS on board
  - highlight progress, steps taken, actions accomplished, next priority.
  - **bring areas of representations**
  - progress made in establishing communication and aligning with the following key committees: Diversity Committee, Staff Development, Basic Skills
  - V.P. of Board, Barbara Dunsheath is on the Commission on the Future which plans to focus on **Success, Access, and Equity**. Use this to frame the end of year report.
  - use to support the section of the Plan on "hiring practices" - Trustee M. Tony Ontiveros expressed his concerns regarding the District's hiring practices and the lack of diversity in upper management
  - proposal to the Senate that was accepted - web site.
  - Success Summit - revisit.
    - Smart Start, etc.
    - AB540 strategies

- during a time of limited resources, show how the ideas/strategies in the Equity Plan: can bring all the pieces together.
- Cadena Center - Campus Diversity Calendar (designed by Vince White)
  - A place to go to see the Big Picture!
- how the Equity Committee is being vigilant regarding creating "Community" vs. "Territory or Turf" - Being vigilant to support as aspects of the FC community working together.
- rethinking the multicultural education graduation requirement.
  - it was receptive on the Social Science Division and Curriculum Committee
- identify everything that is happening on campus addressing issues within the Equity Plan (Smart Saturday, Diversity Forum, Umoja Community, etc.)
- people on campus are receptive when they feel that there is movement towards "actions"
  - majority of the people really want to do something and want to do it well - but don't know how. Provide that link to action.
- Student Government - looking at this committee for their support is a positive indication that we are doing something good.
- recommendation: Back fill of categorical fundings to support the key services for our students (counseling, outreach, EOPS, CalWorks, DSS, matriculation, veteran affairs, etc). It was suggested earlier to invite the Director of Veterans Affairs and Paul McKinley of DSS to join us.
- message to the Board of Trustees: let the Campus help you to do what you said you would do☺.
- develop a collaboration with Second Harvest Food Bank to bring access to free food for students to pick up.
- look into the college application to see if there can be a place for students to check from the list to donate ie. \$1.00 for support of students in need (such as food). Also can look to faculty/staff as well. This is not supporting programs - but students basic needs!

#### 4. Next Steps:

- a. **Chris** will pull all the ideas and data together in a rough draft and send to everyone to begin the fine tuning process.
  - i. Identify those individuals that may be able to meet to work on the next and/or final revision.
  - ii. Send the final draft to the committee.
  - iii. Present the Student Equity Committee's end of the academic year report to the President.

5. **Committee Focus for Fall 2010.**

- a. We will be submitting a more detailed report to the President and Board in November 2010.
- b. The Board may want a report next month as well.
- c. 2010-2011 - Committee Meeting Schedule and Membership

- **SUCCESS!** Today at Faculty Senate:

- *Carolyn, Adela and Chris* will continue to serve
- *Ken Collins* signed up *Sean Chamberlin*, representing the Science Division (out of Oceanography)
- Recruited *Jose Miranda* from Technology and Engineering Division (out of automotive technology/vocational area).
- *Jeanne Costello* will be going off the committee but will find someone from Humanities Division and submit name to Ken Collins. She will continue to serve as a resource person as chair of the Basic Skills/Student Success Committee.
- *Chris* will contact the new AS President and Darlene Jensen to put on the agenda for first meeting in fall to recruit two new excellent student representatives.  
*Alin and Emilio* - start the recruitment process now so that students can work their classes around our meeting times.
- *Pilar, Mark and Chuck* - are you still willing to be on the Committee next year? I forgot to ask you☺.
- *Chris* will check with *Stewart*.