

Faculty Senate Student Equity Committee
Fall 2011

Date: December 8, 2011
Time: 1:00-2:00pm
Location: 1415 Social Science Conference Room

Committee Members:

Chris Lamm, Faculty Senate Student Equity Committee Chair; Faculty/Social Science Division: Child Development & Educational Studies Dept.

_____, Faculty/Natural Sciences Division (**need replacement**)

Adela López, Faculty/Social Science Division: Ethnic Studies Department

Carolyn Facer, Faculty/Mathematics & Computer Sciences Division: Math Dept.

Jose Miranda, Faculty/Technology & Engineering Division: Automotive Dept.

Rosalinda Ruiz, Faculty/Humanities Division: English

Stewart Kimura, Counseling/Matriculation

Pilar Ellis, Manager of the International Student Center

Mark Greenhalgh, Dean of Mathematics & Computer Science Division

Chuck Helms, Classified Representative/Skills Center

Janine Cirrito, Career Center Coordinator, Career & Life Planning Center

Alex Reyes, A.S. Representative

Anna Yoo, A.S. Representative

Manuel Burciaga, ICC Representative

Resource People: Rajen Vurdien, Ken Meehan, Toni DuBois, Terry Giugni, Michael Perez, Maria Duque, Chris Sanchez, Sean Chamberlin, Paul McKinley

Present: Janine Cirrito, Chuck Helms, Stewart Kimura, Mark Greenhalgh, Chris Lamm, Adela Lopez

Agenda/Meeting Notes

Today's Discussion:

1. **New Student Success Committee (SSC) - Need representative from the Student Equity Committee**
 - Need to take the concept of basic skills outside the concept of only seeing via two divisions.
 - Need to broaden the discussion of student success - across the disciplines.
 - Terry Giugni - wanted to expand it even more
 - The entire campus discussion will be on Student Success (work with all entities on campus)
 - The most important committee on campus - focus all resources on Student Success.
 - EVERYTHING
 - No budget - this is a coordination of what we are doing.
 - **Meetings:** First Monday - 3-4:30pm; first Monday in February 6, 2012.
Chris has a class from 4-7pm and will not be able to be the Committee representative unless it is moved back to 2pm as originally scheduled.
 - **We need a strong voice representing Student Equity!**

2. **Supporting Veterans at Fullerton College**

3. **Committee Recommendations:**

• **Campus Website**

- need to focus on the immediate need to have a full-time web designer.
- missing the critical part.
- need to be proactive
- Stewart presented the recommendation. Approved to send to Dr. Vurdien, Faculty Senate and Campus Web Site Work Group via Andrea Hanstein.

• **Staff Development**

- no money in Staff Development
- focus: getting the campus together
- cost factors for technology training
- survey - what do staff and faculty need to address the need of our students?
 - what expertise do we have on campus?
- need to develop something ongoing to be able to track over time.
- need to have on going small group gatherings.
- need to create a MOVEMENT - everyone needs to take responsibility.
- gatherings around coffee?

Recommendation:

- look the equity highlight things that are do-able.
- give the Staff Development Committee, Faculty Senate and Administration direction.

- **FC Food Bank Collaborative** (letter of support for the record). We have completed four FC Food Bank Collaborative meetings and have a second draft of the guidelines. This work group came out of the Student Equity end of the year reports.

4. **Focus for Spring 2012**

- Continue to review our Plan and end of the year report from Spring 2011 and provide recommendations and/or bring work groups together to develop strategies to address the identified issues.

Updates: Master Plan and ACCCJC Response

- It is clear that faculty, administration and students have a different vision and understanding of what a Master Plan (especially and Educational Master Plan) should look like.
 - Administration: It is a Living Document.
 - Faculty/Students: How it got to a "living document" is in question.
 - Question: How do we move beyond - "us" versus "them" mentality?
 - Trust is a key: however, historically we as a campus and district do not a good track record.
- Recommendation: (1) The three entities come together to use attentive listening to hear each other's perspectives. (2) After some reflection, come back at a later date to have a discussion to how to proceed.

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 13, 2012- 1-2pm

Alex, Anna and Manuel, We hope you will be able to continue as student representatives for the Spring 2012 semester.