

Student Success Partnership September 11, 2012

Present: Terry Ballman, Ginger Reyes, Damien Peña, Cindy Wyels, Marie Francois, Kaia Tollefson

Notes

- Terry: Student Success Report, Ken O'Donnell
 - Ken wants to attend the October 25 High Impact Practice – continuing the conversation meeting at 8:00. Terry will send invitation. We all will bring a few colleagues.
- Status of high impact classroom practices conversation (first mtg. held on Sept. 6 at 8am in El Dorado)
 - Terry/Kaia will send the PowerPoint to the SSP
 - The PPT could be made more broadly aware as these conversations develop
- Gateway courses
 - The list of courses was distributed. No decisions were reached as to next steps.
- Student Success Week activities
 - Terry will announce in Senate today
 - Marie has build into FolioCI – midterm assessment available; can be sent to any instructor for use (introduction to FolioCI
 - Damien suggested that a PPT be prepared, 1 minute timed, discuss what SS-Week is, quotes from students, resources available, activities we're doing – sent to faculty, ask during Senate to ask faculty to show this PPT presentation in class
 - Damien will send logos, images – Terry and Kaia will draft the slides and submit to Genevieve
 - Damien:
 - Check banners to see that all words are spelled correctly
 - Damien has sent info to be shown at the SUB
 - Banners will be created – 3 of them – will cost \$330 all together
 - Where to hang? Send six alternatives to the President – request his support in clearing approval. One confirmed place is hanging from Student Union balcony
 - T-shirts, \$5 per – how many should we order?
 - Posters, resources of different centers – will go all around the campus – like “characteristics of a CI grad”
 - Kaia: Vista can pay for the GSC poster – let's make a list of centers to include, figure out which of them have funds to pitch in to cover cost of poster for their advertisement
 - Picture with the President
 - October 9, in front of Broome Library, Major Fair (11:00-2:30)

- One corner dedicated to pics with Pres, 11:30-12:30
- Student success videos
 - We need to pilot some video interviews – figure out what the sub-questions are to “what is success to you” – the questions that will get at the stories – e.g., who is the person who contributed most powerfully to your success?
 - Perhaps flip cameras could be used
 - Student Life homepage – click on Get Involved video (Cindy stars! ☺)
 - Pick some high traffic spots, in front of Broome, in housing, in front of Madera –
 - Sample video interview questions:
 - Who is the one person who leaps to mind when you think about who has contributed most significantly to your success at CI (e.g., family, friend, faculty, staff)?
 - How did that person help you to understand what the word “success” at CI means, for you?
- Coffee with faculty – SUB, El Dorado
 - Can we ask Islands Café to offer \$5 lunch for two days that week? If faculty take their lunch there, ask them to sit and engage with students. Even if they don’t, just visibility is good. Terry will ask Dave Nuremberg.
 - Possibility of coffee being reduced if a faculty member or staff brings students
- “Have you checked your CAR today?”
 - Free parking!
 - Have you moved your CAR?
 - Are you in the driver’s seat? (Multiple pathways, multiple places where a course can count)
 - Transfer Credit Report/CAR: include on posters
 - Pdf file – one for Transfer Credit Report, one for CAR. Hyperlinks take you right to the required action steps needed to take.
- Political action steps – Wednesday activities?
 - Awareness raising of issues affecting higher education, without particular political agenda – these are the issues, here are steps you can take
 - There are open forums, campus community invited during lunch hour. Also look at student government.
 - Need to find out what is already happening the week of SSWeek, is there a series we can help advertise? Activities that ask, Where are we, where should we be instead?