

Graduation Initiative
Monthly Reporting Form
June-July 2012

Campus: Channel Islands

Team Leader: Provost Dawn Neuman

- 1) *What did your team commit to completing during this month? (What did you promise?)*
 - a) To review spring data related to disqualified and probationary students and research and recommend early interventions
 - b) To make an appointment with Provost Neuman to discuss student success and the Fall 2012 Faculty meeting.
- 2) *What did you do and how will it help?*
 - a) Jane Sweetland and Terry Ballman met with IR Director Nelle Moffett on June 2 to discuss gatekeeper courses and other issues (first generation college, GPA, etc.) and implications for retention. Sweetland and Ballman also received the preliminary results of a survey of Spring 2012 students on academic probation conducted by Monica Rivas.
 - b) Terry Ballman met with Dawn Neuman on June 19 and asked to give a presentation with Kaia Tollefson at the Fall faculty meeting.
 - c) The SSP Steering Committee met on July 17. We welcomed AVP and Dean of Students Damien Peña as the new co-lead on the Student Success Partnership, and expressed how Jane Sweetland will be missed. We discussed issues concerning Early Start, and duties and responsibilities of Student Success Week Oct. 8 -12 were discussed. The SSP is hopeful that the week will serve as a kind of culture shift for CI. The Majors Fair has been scheduled for Oct. 9 in Broome Plaza along with Photos with President Rush.
- 3) *What will you accomplish next month?*
 - a) An Early Start recap meeting has been called for August 21 to identify good practices and areas needing improvement in preparation for Summer 2013.
 - b) Terry Ballman and Kaia Tollefson will give a presentation at the Fall faculty meeting on behalf of the SSP.
 - c) The SSP will meet in August at which time data from IR and from the finalized survey on Spring 2012 academic probation students will be discussed. We will discuss recommendations on early interventions, and how to respond to the gateway courses issue.

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