Graduation Initiative

October 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) Student Success Week (Oct. 8 - 12) would be held. After, the SSP will conduct an assessment to determine benefits and best practices for the future.
   b) The third meeting on high-impact classroom practices would be hosted by Kaia Tollefson and Terry Ballman on Oct. 25, and guest Ken O'Donnell from the Chancellor's Office would be present.

2) What did you do and how will it help?
   a) Student Success Week was held, and included Picture with the President (during the Major Fair), advertising, CI employees + student coffee, and a 90-second slide presentation distributed to all faculty. (Terry Ballman gave a short presentation on Student Success Week at the Oct. 2 Senate meeting.) We are collecting feedback to assess the program and determine if it was beneficial and if it should be an annual event.
   b) The third conversation on high-impact classroom practices was held on Oct. 25. We are continuing to generate and collect ideas that will be made available to all CI faculty.

3) What will you accomplish next month?
   a) The fourth high impact classroom practices meeting will be held on Nov. 15.
   b) A meeting of the Student Success Partnership will be held on Nov. 27 to assess Student Success Week and to discuss at-risk students.
   c) A meeting on Early Start will be announced soon.

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