

**Student Success Committee
Minutes
November 15, 2010**

Attendance:

Ruth Babeshoff Nena Baldizon-Rios Jennifer Coto Lisa Dela Cusack Leah Freidenrich John Hernandez Anne Hauscarriague Jose Lazo Mary Mettler Brian Mills Kay Powell
Eden Quimzon Martin Stringer Christine Umali Kopp Robert Waldren Flo Zysman

Guests:

Maureen Roe, Linda Miskovic, Ed Cervantes, Judy Strother

OLD BUSINESS	DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS	OUTCOME/FOLLOW UP
1. Approval of Prior Minutes from October 18, 2010 2. Early Alert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes from the 10/18/10 meeting were approved. John spoke with Alfonso Oropeza regarding prioritization of the Early Alert program. Early Alert is now in the queue with IT to be implemented. 	Mary Mettler will make and appointment to meet with Sergio in early Spring.
BSI TASK FORCE		
1. BSI Task Force Report – Maureen Roe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The BSI State Plan has been finalized and is due 12/8. Next meeting is 12/3 and will be working on prioritizing department funding. John Hernandez will also be on the agenda to discuss the Completion By Design, Gates Foundation grant. 	
TRANSFER INITIATIVES & CHALLENGES		
1. Updates for Spring Transfers and Brief Overview of Meeting with ASU Representatives - Robert Waldren	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 19 out of 23 CSU's have reopened Spring admissions and lowered admission standards. It has been very challenging for our transferring students and staff keeping up on changes and updates. Dr. Hesse, Vice Provost of Transfer Partnerships at Arizona State, met with President Vázquez, Ruth Babeshoff, John Hernandez, Aracely Mora and Robert Waldren on October 29 to discuss the transfer of students to ASU. ASU is the #1 out of state transfer destination. An Arizona State representative attended our last transfer fair. 	
NEW BUSINESS		
1. 2010 Early Decision & Early Welcome Overview – Linda Miskovic & Ed Cervantes 2. Spring 2011 Meeting Dates 3. Completion By Design – John Hernandez	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last year over 100,000 students lost the ability to get into classes at CSU's. Linda met with a representative from the State Chancellor's Office to inform them of the success SCC has had with the Early Decision/Welcome programs. They were impressed with the outcomes. Ed gave a PowerPoint presentation on these two programs. Even with the decrease in staff, from 3 fulltime and 3 part time to 2 fulltime, these alternative outreach programs have been very successful. Parent orientations also have been well received in the past 5 years. Parents are educated on FERPA, made aware of resources on campus and the educational process. Nga Pham tracked Early Decision outcomes from 2000-2005 which showed ¾ of these students enrolled in English and math classes and had a higher GPA as opposed to 1/3 of students not going through the program. It was 	<p>Julie will send Spring 2011 meeting dates with minutes.</p> <p>Julie will send the Completion by Design narrative with minutes.</p>

	<p>noted there has been a drop in ACE students. May be caused by transportation challenges to students from Placentia/Yorba Linda.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eden presented possible meeting dates for Spring 2011. Committee approved the following dates: 2/7, 3/7 and 4/18. • John gave a PowerPoint presentation and overview of the Gates Foundation Completion by Design grant. The project is geared to 2 year public community colleges with the goal of doubling the number of low-income, young adults who complete post-secondary credentials that have labor-market value. SAC is managing the project which includes SCC, Rio Hondo and Cerritos. Other colleges, one with 9 campuses, have shown an interest in applying for the grant. One grant per state will be awarded. Due date is 11/19/10. A group of faculty and administrators assisted in preparing the grant narrative for SCC. If we are not awarded the grant the thought is to go forward with potential of designing a model pathway for completion at SCC. 	
SUGGESTED FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS		

NEXT MEETING
February 7, 2011 - 3:00-4:30 - E-107