

DACC MEETING

Thursday, January 14, 2016 3-4:30 PM PV 503

Minutes

Attendees: Cynthia Proctor, Melissa Giese, Fran Padow, Karen Moore, Jared Rinck, Mickey McCloud, Christine Meyer, Tristan Londre, Erik Sulilvan, Doug Fishel, Cheryl Carpenter Davis, Nancy Russell, Pat McKean

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were approved.

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Email message sent and read by Cynthia

The chancellor is expected to release the HLC accreditation review report on Friday. The report makes several references to the MCC assessment process so I suggest that DACC review the report and forward its recommendations on how best to proceed. Also, I will want to meet with DACC to discuss it's recommendations.

I would really like to thank DACC for the great work it is doing to integrate assessment into MCC's improvement process and encourage DAC to continue to provide leadership for MCC's assessment initiative. The team report indicates "The college is commended for the work done in successful collaboration among key stakeholders to effect the outcomes of the assessment process. "DACC should continue to provide leadership and direction, even if MCC's HLC quality initiative in this next accreditation cycle is not related to assessment.

Thanks again

- DACC will review, make recommendations, and meet to discuss

IRB Report

- 2 requests
- There will be an official IRB board created (5 committee members)

HLC Committee Report

- IAC will review the report first and they may make further updates
- Steering committee will meet to discuss the HLC report

Survey Reports

- Melissa doing CCSSE presentations at the campuses – let her know if you would like her to visit
 - Data will be going on the website
- Noel Levitz will be this spring (date will be determined)
 - Brainstorm ways to increase response rate (ie, reserved parking spot)

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MCC Open Pathway Improvement Project Report

- PVCC502 April 21 and 26 – Discipline Review Presentations
 - Will potentially extend by an hour one day to fit in Anthropology
 - April 21, 12-4; April 26, 1-3 as potential updated schedule
- Disciplines to talk about data needed at beginning of March
- IR still collecting rosters for assessment data

Higher Learning Commission Update

No report

Assessment Reports

No report

Proposals for new assessment or survey requests

No report

Campus Reports

- BR – No report
- BTC–No one in attendance
- LV – No report
- MW – No report
- PV – No report
- FOCUS Grant – No one in attendance

Old Business

AA Degree Assessment

- How was it done in the past? Unsure. We can now work on aligning general education outcomes and use them to do some course mapping and then work towards aligning that with the degree.
- Faculty Senate voted on a resolution to not have it a requirement that the degree transfer to 4/7 transfer institutions
- Changes would go through DICC? Might be a bigger change than DICC.
- Do we have assessment regarding service learning?
- What courses aren't transferring?
- Melissa can look at transfer reports to see if students are graduating from 4-year institutions. Students from which degrees aren't graduating? Are students satisfied with course variety?

Placement Committee

- Scheduled to meet 3 more times by the end of February and make a recommendation for a new placement tool to Dr. Hillman at that time; testing will begin in Fall 2016 and be used to place for Spring 2017

6th Annual Regional Community College Assessment Conference

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- Deadline for proposals is tomorrow
- 8 spots available for faculty, 4 more still available

New Business

None

Next meeting: February 11, 2016, PVCC 503, 3:00 – 4:30

The meeting was adjourned.
