

Meeting Minutes
MERRITT COLLEGE COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

Date: 11/30/2020

Time: 1:30 pm

Attendees: Salceda, Perez, Gonzalez, Webb, Chinn, D. Ross, Ciddio, Moy, Scurry, Allen, Alturk, DeVito, Pantell, Khoo, E. Ross.

Allotted Time	Topic	Person(s) Responsible
1:30-1:35pm	<p>Dean's Corner <i>Dean Webb will be meeting with Jason Ilagan to make updates to e-SARS.</i> <i>Carlos Gonzalez (Centro Latino) was introduced as a new adjunct faculty.</i></p>	Dean Webb
1:35-2:05 pm	<p>Child Development <i>Alice Chinn provided updates related to Child Development. She will be providing the Counseling Department with a word document that highlights her talking points.</i> <i>Commission on Teacher Credentialing: Issues child development permits. Permits are required for facilities that receive funding from the Department of Education and Head Start.</i> <i>Department of Social Services: Monitors licensing requirements.</i> <i>Child Development Department helps students obtain permits.</i> <i>Any follow-up questions can be directed to: merrittcollegechdev@gmail.com</i></p>	Alice Chinn
2:05pm – 2:35pm	<p>Virtual Campus <i>Steve Pantell provided an overview of the Virtual Campus. No application required. Video was shared with the Counseling Department. The Virtual Campus will offer fully enabled home colleges and fully enabled teaching colleges. Link is available on the Merritt College Counselor Site.</i></p>	Steve Pantell
2:35– 2:50 pm	<p>Standing Items: Reports from Programs - Puente, Sankofa, FYE, Veterans, SAS, EOPS, Transfer Center, etc.</p>	All

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	<p><i>Transfer Center: UC application extended to 12/04.</i></p> <p>Committee Reports <i>Health and Safety Committee: Police Department contract ended. Security services with unarmed personnel will now be contracted.</i></p>	
2:50– 3:00 pm	<p>Announcements: <i>Lesley Scurry: GoFundMe page has been created to help CARE students.</i></p>	All