

Counselor Meeting

May 7, 2012

In attendance: R. Allen, T. Ilarde, A. Khoo, C. McLean, L. Scurry, M. Zielke

Measure A funds

In response to an email re: Measure A funds that need to be spent, staff indicated what their needs are in terms of the 'computer refresh.'

SLO's

R. Allen reminded Counselors who are teaching to complete the entry of their assessment results into Task Stream no later than May 31, 2012.

Visiting High School Students

M. Zielke reported that students from Mandela (Fremont High) came to campus on Friday, May 4 and completed assessment. Overall, the visit went well.

Students from Skyline High are expected on Wednesday, May 23. She is requesting assistance from Counselors between 1:30 and 3:00 for assessment results and course selection. Please email her if you are available.

Transfer, etc.

T. Ilarde reported that UCLA is coming to campus on Friday, May 11 to present Merritt with a banner for our support of their efforts.

The U.C. Office of the President has sent statistics re: transfer. Based on their data, Merritt had 36 students who applied to UC campuses. Of the 36, so far we know that 16 have been admitted. T. Ilarde is still working on the data.

Concurrent Enrollment – approximately 15 students attended the meeting on 4/26. The deadline to apply for Concurrent Enrollment is the last day of the semester, May 25 (applications must be handed in to T. Ilarde).

Student Success Task Force

C. McLean reported that he attended a SSTF meeting last week. A math instructor from BCC presented on an approach to statistics that doesn't require completion of math 201 and math 203. The instructor will have data on his pre-statistics course spring, 12 after the semester ends.

11th Month

Dr. Gravenberg stopped in to respond to our inquiry about whether we would have an 11th month contract for the 2012-13 academic year. He is awaiting the state's May revised budget, thus he was unable to provide an answer.

Final Gathering for Spring, '12

We have changed our off-campus gathering to Monday, May 21 at 3:00 at Fenton's on Piedmont Avenue. Tanya will inform Dr. G of the change and request that counselors' schedules be blocked.