

October 14, 2015 Minutes

Present:

NM: Laura Beilke, Elaine O. Hardwick, Susan Mucha, Anthony Riesberg, Wendy Sandstrom, Lisa Schickling, Marilyn Weber

FBO: Vanessa Anderson (Student Senate), Annie Davies (DOC, Student Senate), Nicole Hamilton, Candy Laven, Elizabeth Prange

PHONE: Susan Tarnowski

GUEST: Peter Wruck (FBO campus)

1. Minute Taker Volunteer: EOH
2. Approval of Minutes: Motion/LS, Second/AR; unanimous
3. Student Engagement/Retention Plan – Dr. Tarnowski & Susan (10 Minutes):
  - Met last week to review CTF and determine priorities to be in new 2-yr plan to coincide with SCC's 2015-17 Strategic Priorities
  - Basis: ask this cmte to decide which goal is of interest for creation of workgroups
  - guidelines: CTF; Strategic Priorities; previous conversations within this cmte
  - Cross-walking: similar to Diversity Cmte for their Diversity Plan & CTF?
    - a. 2 year plan to coincide with SCC's 2015-2017 Strategic Priorities
    - b. Ideas for goals/subcommittees
      - i. Strengthen Academic Advising:
      - ii. Technology Tools to Support Student Success
      - iii. Financial Literacy Program for Students & Families
      - iv. Develop a Comprehensive Student Success Plan
      - v. Develop Student Focus Groups
      - vi.
4. Data – Peter
  - a. CCSSE Results
  - b. Strategic Performance Measures for Student Success from the MnSCU Accountability Dashboard
    - See attachment that Peter sent via email for more detailed information (e.g., p 17 gives definitions)
    - SENSE survey – an individual's skills; engagement from high school, etc
    - Track SENSE & CSSEE after 2 yrs
    - P 7: achievement gap for student of color (0.88) – MN has worst racial gap in the nation
    - BPs: examples
      - o what does SCC do well? – FYE, Capstone, # students registered before classes begin at orientation; some advising; encouraging/promoting diversity
      - o what does SCC need to improve? – writing intensive course offerings; internships/experiential learning; engagement throughout summer
    - AR asked Peter to get retention and success data for the most current years for all of the groups that he did show us
    - CONCERNS:
      - o Annie Davies/FBO: campus inequality; last minute schedule changes have drastic effect on students
      - o Email Peter a "Wish List" of info you want to know (e.g., most current retention rate?)
5. Action Items

**Next meeting:** Wednesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 11 – 11:50 a.m., NM E-130, FBO C37