



Guided Pathways Committee Meeting Minutes



Facilitator: Nicole Jones & Sheri Berger
Date: June 1, 2022

Recorder: Dorothy Bush
Time: 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Vision

Compton College will be the leading institution of student learning and success in higher education.

Mission Statement

Compton College is a welcoming and inclusive community where diverse students are supported to pursue and attain student success. Compton College provides solutions to challenges, utilizes the latest techniques for preparing the workforce and provides clear pathways for completion of programs of study, transition to a university, and securing living-wage employment.

Minutes

1. Introductions/Check-In – Desiree Corona-Ramirez

- There were 32 attendees.
- Desiree shared screen of the agenda and also dropped it in the Chat.
- She provided an overview on the Guided Pathways and also on the Swag committee to committee.
- Followed by a presentation on the Student Equity Plan data and how we will connect this data to our North Stars.

2. Consultative Council Updates – Sheri Berger

- Provided recommendations to Consultative Council regarding the membership of the committee. The Consultative Council accepted our recommendations, then we forwarded it to Dr. Curry and he accepted it as well.
- Membership changed from 6 administrators to 5 administrators, 12 faculty, a Classified staff to students. We also said, “we would like to have Resource members added.” This would be a good opportunity to identify and brainstorm the Resource members. Any thoughts, please share ideas?

Suggestions:

- Math or English department
- SRC, Library Student Success center
- Athletics
- Student Services Advisors
- Workforce Development, Career & Transfer Center, etc.
- We’re going to be working on defining the roles and responsibilities of all of the memberships and the Resource members as well. Resource members doesn’t need to be at every meeting, plus they don’t vote.
- This membership goes into effect fall semester.
- Made the recommendation to meet once a month and that was accepted. We will be meeting on the first Wednesday of the month starting fall semester, so we have one more meeting in June.
- Desiree put the dates of the meetings in the chat.

3. SWAG Committee – Desiree Corona-Ramirez

- They had their first meeting and discussed the history based upon the former group, reviewed notes dated back to 2020, what was collected and tentative timeline moving forward with all of this in mind. If anyone interested in participating on this committee, please inform her.
- The goal for this semester is to hopefully finalize our schedule and then identify vendors from the Business office. Hopefully, we will meet over the summer to finalize the local collector, quotes, submit the order and recommendation to get approval from the CEO and Cabinet.
- If completed by summer, we can order and distribute to each TST. Depending on the schedule it might rollover to fall.
- Any questions or ideas, based upon what she shared?
- Already did our work with the Tartar Mascot, she’s super excited to see what’s to come with the data recommendations and the survey that we created. Also, changing the name, she’s thinking of something that resonates with our history.
- She thanked the folks that have volunteered.

4. Student Equity – Lydell Willis

- Shared screen and provided an overview presentation of the Student Equity Plan (draft) with committee members. Lauren assisted with data and metrics as well.
 - Questions about:
 - Pacific Islander student population
 - Why do we have 25% to 35% of students finishing a semester with zero credit?
- VP Berger: We need to talk about how we might incorporate that into our goals for the next academic year, also think about as we move to the next phase is revisiting our North Stars notes. These are all great points.

5. North Stars Presentation – Nicole Jones

- Shared screen and provided an overview presentation on the North Stars which included successful enrollment with committee members. The data breakdown is by year, ethnicity and gender.
- **Suggestions:**
 - Maybe reach out to students to do a short survey to see why they didn't complete their program or continue to come back to Compton college. Also, a survey about their opinions about our academic programs and our campus.
 - Classes vs. remotely learning or in-person
 - Gas prices, etc.
- Lauren shared screen and reviewed a survey from students who withdraw from classes and their reasons why. It was broken down by gender as well.
- VP Berger: Did breakout rooms by TST's to discuss how we can tailor our programing to our North Stars for the upcoming academic year. We can look at ways on how to have a more concrete idea and how we're going to deal with this problem and closing these achievement gaps.
- Desiree dropped the link in the Chat.
- Committee members reported out.
- We will be meeting in two weeks and will continue this conversation.

6. TST's Updates:

- **TST's - Dr. Jimenez:**
 - No Updates
- **Noemi:**
 - Art Exhibition, Thursday, June 9th, held in the Library Success Center – Gallery @ 5pm. Everyone invited. Put the flyer in the Chat.
 - Virtual paint, Thursday and Friday.
 - Went to Disneyland with students, participated in the workshop about Park designs. At the end, they built their own theme park and they did a presentation to the group.
- **Student Success Center - Shay:**
 - Met today and just did a recap of our conference on last Thursday. Discussed ways to improve the conference with different ideas to market for next year and draw a bigger audience. Event went great and they enjoyed the panelists.
 - Since this is our last week, we trying to promote our Study Jams and get students to submit proof, if they have attended any tutoring services through the SSC this semester.
- **Social Sciences – Beatriz:**
 - They had an amazing virtual event last night, as part of the Social Justice speaker series which focused on environment justice. Mark Lopez, guest speaker which he talked about Environmental Activism and Racism institutional barriers on our communities. How it's placed on us and we don't always realize it.
 - 28 students participated and shout out to Dr. Radcliffe and Professors Lopez and Wilkins for their help with these events.
 - This past Saturday, they had a field trip to the California African American Museum and Library Park. Thanked Dr. Rex and Professor Nathan.
 - Dr. Radcliffe added: Thanked Beatriz for helping to organize all of this, as well as Dr. Jimenez. The TST's Guided Pathways initiative really connected students with the community and it's probably one of our most positive activities and hopefully we can continue to do this next year.
 - Our goal is to connect these trips to various part of Los Angeles to our history courses which Professor

Lopez will be teaching in the fall of 2022. Thanked to both of her colleagues, Professors Wilkins and Lopez for participating.

- Dr. Roach: He thinks we should press forward to having four letters for each division. He suggested it before, but don't know what became of it.
- Sheri Berger replied, well banner does use four characters for each division. We can figure out what it would take to officially change them.
- We can add it to the next agenda to discuss.

7. Announcements – All

- No report

Meeting adjourned: 4:32pm

**Next Scheduled Meeting
Wednesday, June 15, 2022 @ 3:00pm**