

**Approved** 

Student Services Council Thursday, December 7, 2023 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. District Office, Room 220

## **Minutes**

Present:

Shakerra Carter San Diego College of Continuing Education

Ailene Cua Crakes San Diego Mesa College
Georgina Garcia San Diego City College
Adrian Gonzales San Diego Miramar College

Shelly Hess District Office

Roberta Krauss San Diego College of Continuing Education

Larry Maxey San Diego Mesa College

Reem Putrus San Diego College of Continuing Education

Juan Carlos Reyes San Diego City College
Cynthia Rico Sam Diego Mesa College

Susan Topham District Office

Absent:

Jennifer Aase San Diego Miramar College Allison Douglas-Chicoye San Diego Miramar College

Victor DeVore District Office Poppy Fitch District Office

Kevin Gallagher San Diego Miramar College

Carolina Gonzalez San Diego College of Continuing Education

Guillermo Marrujo San Diego Mesa College Marciano Perez San Diego City College

The meeting began at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 11:07 a.m.

## 1. Approval of Minutes

• The November 2, 2023, meeting minutes were approved by consensus.

## 2. Review of SSC Charge

- Vice Chancellor Susan Topham would like to review the charge and committee composition of Student Service Council (SSC) next semester to reflect the work that is happening at the local and district level. Reviewing the committee composition would also be beneficial to ensure all necessary parties are receiving the communication. What is the purpose and then build up who should be included, ensuring decisions are made with an equity lens.
- Miramar College is replacing their SSC with a Student Success Committee.

ACTION: This topic will be added to the spring 2024 SSC charge.

- 3. Standards of Academic Progress\* (Hess)
  - Dean of Instructional Services Shelly Hess shared the Academic and Progress Standards document.
  - Discussion
    - Soften the language and soften the approach.
    - Training will be needed and there will need to be consistency in terms of the process and contract. A contract revision will need to be completed to update the language.
    - The catalog goes to print at the end of January, so the Administrative Procedure (AP) needs to be approved by then.
       Topham mentioned that District Governance Council (DGC) has decided to change to meeting once per month instead of twice. This will impact the approval timeline.

ACTION: Topham recommends this is added to the Spring Counselor Conference agenda. Topham will add the AP to the December 8, 2023, VPI meeting, the December 14, 2023, CIC meeting, then to the Chancellor's Cabinet for two readings and the January 17, 2024, DGC for first reading. The SSC will share the information with their colleges.

- 4. AP 5013 Students in the Military\*
  - Topham shared an update to AP 5013.
- 5. Spring 2024 Meeting Schedule\*
  - Topham shared the January June 2024 SSC meeting schedule.

## 6. Other

- Title 5 Changes to the associate degree. The changes were approved in 2022-23 to take effect in 2023-24. There has been discussion about other colleges recommending a delay in putting the changes into effect. CIC is recommending that San Diego Community College District (SDCCD) not wait because Ethnic Studies is required effective 2024.
- Legislative Changes Presentation. Topham will ensure the presentation is shared with the SSC.

ACTION: Educational Services will share the legislative changes presentation with SSC.

- Remote Work Schedule. There is one-day remote work schedule
  permissible at each college. There are one-offs in terms of ADA
  accommodations. Mesa and Miramar have a level of understanding
  regarding remote work. At City College, adjuncts who meet certain levels
  of responsibility can work remotely.
- New Enrollment Process at San Diego College of Continuing Education (SDCCE). Carter shared that phase one has been successful, and they are moving on to phase two. There are over 5,000 enrollments for Spring 2024 which is double from this time last year.
- Juan Carlos Reyna has accepted a position as Interim Dean at Mira Costa College beginning in January 2024.
- Statewide Student Services Leaders Conference in March.

(\*) See handout.