5/3/13 BSC Minutes

Present: Victor Cummings, Lauren Servais, Jim Cason, Carlos Valencia, Julie Muzzatti, Anna Brown, Ann Foster, Inez Barragan, KC Greaney, Connie Gozzarino, and Li Collier

Absent: Marty Lee, Billy Oertel, Joel Gordon, Geoff Navarro, Brad Davis, Mary Kay Rudolph, Lauralyn Larsen, Kris Abrahamson, and Gary Allen

Carolyn Cole-Schweizer has chosen to remove herself from committee.

1. **Announcements:**

Motion made to accept 4/5/13 minutes. Motion seconded and approved.

Puente is having a motivational conference on May 10 in Emeritus at 9a for 60 students. There will be transfer, majors, financial aid, networking and cultural identity panels. Richard Ortiz is the key note speaker.

On May 10, 12-3pm, 3CSN is sponsoring a Supplemental Instruction workshop at SRJC. 30 people have registered so far, and there’s still time to register.

At the BSI coordinator workshop at Canada College, Barbara Illowsky stressed supplemental instruction (SI) as a successful initiative to increase the success of Basic Skills students.

De Anza has had a SI program for 15 years. They are a shining star with success and completion.

(SSSP) Student Success and Support Program: key service area for matriculation and follow up services. In 2016, the state will have a new funding formula. Until 2016, the new formula is being phased in. 1st year protect 80% of previous year funding. 2nd year 50% of previous year. 3rd year is fully funded on new program.

2. **Counseling:**

BS is embarking on a new embedded counseling program for BS students in 300-level courses. During the summer, Connie and another counselor will be planning BS counseling for the new year. Victor has told all chairs to disseminate information to faculty that counselors will be visiting specific classes. Scheduling will add this comment to printed and online schedules announcing the counseling component: “This section will include 2 one hour counseling sessions that focus on 3 topics: financial aid, student success strategies, and education planning”.
3. **ARCC 2.0 and BS Baseline Data:**

KC spoke about SRJC’s scorecard. All data can be disaggregated by gender, age, and ethnicity. Prepared means a student places at one level below transfer for English or two levels below transfer in Math. Unprepared student place two levels below transfer in English and three below transfer in Math. Completion means a student earned a certificate, degree, transferred, or became transfer prepared.

2nd outcome is persistence: student must be enrolled in the first 3 semesters (i.e. fall, spring, fall) in a row.

ESL 100, Math 100, and ENGL 100 are degree applicable but not college-level. These courses are not included in SRJC’s scorecard, which is negatively impacting those scores. Many Basic Skills students take these courses, but they are not considered in the scorecard. As a result, there’s a strong push to have those courses renumbered as 300–level courses. If we recode these classes, we can improve our scorecard.

KC hopes this change will come about; it is time that the courses are coded correctly.

4. **Charter Change:**

Victor has received many questions/requests about the Student Success Committee proposal. There are a few concerns that we are trying to do too much, and faculty are worried that BSC is trying to tell faculty what to do. There are questions about who will serve on the committee.

Adjourned at 11:00
Next meeting is September 6, 2013