

Planning & Budget Committee (PBC) Minutes February 3, 2023 12:30 p.m. Regular Meeting

Recorder: Dawn Renee Neideffer

Note: 10 members required to meet quorum

Attendance:

Chairs (3)	Classified Senate (3)	Dr. Susan Sperling	
☑ Jonah Nicholas (DO) non-voting	Noell Adams (CC)	Danita Romero	
⊠ Noell Adams (CC)	☐ David Rodriguez (LPC)	Heather Hernandez	
⊠ Sarah Thompson (LPC)	☐ Chasity Whiteside	Angela Castellanos	
Administration (5)	Classified Union (3)	Ron Gerhard	
☐ Dr. Theresa Fleischer Rowland (DO)	☐ Virginia Criswell (CC)	Ashley Young	
☐ Dale Wagoner (CC)	□ Nalan Smith (LPC)	Rachel Ugale	
⊠ Anette Raichbart (LPC)	☐ Cathy Gould (DO)	Tracey Coleman	
⊠ Rajinder Samra (LPC)	Student Senate (2)	Daniela Baliff	
⊠ Nathaniel Rice (CC)	☐ Thomas Blakely (LPC)	Christine Herrera	
Faculty Association (2)	☐ Stacy Harris (CC)		
☑ Jeff Drouin (CC)	Guests:		
☑ Thomas Orf (LPC)	Dr. Dyrell Foster		
Academic Senate (4)	Sui Song		
⊠ Miguel Colon (CC)	Dio Ramos		
⊠ Tina Inzerilla (LPC)	Na Liu		
☑ Dr. Patricia Shannon (CC)	Cynthia G. da Cruz		
Sarah Thompson (LPC)	Dave Fouquet		

Meeting commenced 12:32 p.m.

Agenda Item	Information/Discussion	Action
1.	Welcome Guests and Quorum Check For information	None
	Quorum met with 16 voting members, excluding Jonah Nicholas.	
2.	Approve Today's Agenda For action	February 3, 2023 agenda approved
	Jonah Nicholas asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Sarah Thompson moved to approve the agenda and Cathy Gould seconded the motion. <u>The agenda was approved, unanimously</u> .	
3.	Approve Previous Meeting Minutes For action	January 20, 2023 minutes approved
	The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed. An amendment will be made showing Thomas Orf was present on January 20 th . Jonah Nicholas asked for a motion to approve the minutes as amended. Dale Wagoner moved to approve the previous meeting minutes, Thomas Orf seconded the motion. <u>The minutes were approved, unanimously.</u>	
4.	Briefing on Impact of AB 1705 on Enrollment and CalGETC For discussion	None
	Sarah Thompson gave a presentation how AB 1705 and CalGETC effects enrollment growth, externally. The goal of AB 1705 was to get as many students as possible in college-level English and math courses.	
	 AB 1705: Throughput is up across the state (there are more students in college-level English and math courses) Success is down (for students who struggle in these course) Good for some students (for students who do not struggle in these courses) Barriers for others No longitudinal data/across discipline data (cannot determine if this throughput is enough for success downline) 	

Attrition

- The bane to enrollment
- Lack of success leads to drops and non-enrollment for 50% of students attempting college-level
 English and math
- Possible Counter Strategies
 - o Abandon the recommended first year protocol for at-risk students
 - o First year "attachment programs" for non-learning community students
 - o Encouraging exploration first semesters rather than practical, check-the-box
 - o Build support networks first
 - o Statewide changes? Only if we are willing to invest and take the risk

The other external threat is the CalGETC (transfer pathway for students). This is an efficient pathway for students, however, it will negatively impact the following courses which are used to balance-out the smaller capped courses: arts, humanities, kinesiology, health and nutrition. This is a concern for enrollment targets once CalGETC takes hold.

- Possible Counter Strategies
 - o Exerting what power we have left over our own local degrees
 - o Offering free, on-campus health and kinesiology classes
 - o Recruiting specific populations for life-long learning classes

There are current discussions being had about what [CLPCCD's] local degrees will look like. There is nothing set in stone, but currently, local degrees will follow the same transfer-pattern of the CalGETC (this may replace matheficiency with math courses, which impacts local degrees in math as there are no college-level math requirements). Whatever Title V identifies as core, the colleges must incorporate, but the colleges are allowed to add additional requirements. At-risk courses can be bulked up by offering them at no cost. Recruiting for life-long classes may have to happen. In addition to losing courses, productivity would also be lost. Discussion ensued.

5. Review of PBC Charge (Emphasis on Planning)

For discussion

Sarah Thompson led the discussion. PBC was previously called the District Budget Committee. This item is to address this committee's work in districtwide planning. Dave Fouquet suggested to have the classes impacted by CalGETC offered as non-credit courses. Sarah Thompson suggested the committee could plan in terms of the SCFF

None

	metrics, enrollment, whether that enrollment is recruitment or retention, or even specific types of retention. Trish	
	Shannon suggested the colleges [committees] determine what is needed institutionally for enrollment in order for	
	PBC to analyze the data and see where the needs align. David Rodriguez suggested [the committee] understand the	
	"why" for planning and leave the "what" to the colleges to govern as needed in their respective operations. Jonah	
	Nicholas said it would be a good exercise for this committee to review what revenue we are generating under the	
	SCFF and what we are receiving under the SCFF. Another good exercise for planning is to look at the revenue and	
	gap between SCFF and hold harmless funding to determine what the District would do if targets are not reached by	
	Fiscal Year 2025-26. Sarah Thompson said it's important to identify the priorities. Dave Fouquet said this work	
	needs to be addressed in DEMC as well. Discussion ensued.	
6.	Budget Status Reports	None
	For information	
	The budget is on track for all sites.	
7.	Future Agenda Items	None
	For discussion	
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Meeting adjourned 1:29 p.m.