

**Study Techniques Meeting**  
**April 3, 2008**  
**1:15 Room 112**

Attendees: Lori Walker, Pat Bower, Luisa Fuller, Carolyn Robinson, Rick Stepp-Bolling, Matt Munro, Barbara Gonzales Lysette Trejo

<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Discussion</i>	<i>Outcome</i>
1.0 Recorder		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lori</li> </ul>
2.0 Review Minutes		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No Changes</li> </ul>
3.0 Update: Use of STDY 85 by Bridge Program  Guest Speakers: Matt Munro, Lysette Trejo	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Matt discussed the desire for a new STDY class like 85a-e that would be “Study Skills Applied to Math.” There was also discussion of a Community class that would have its own STDY “number”.</li> <li>2. Lysette explained that Learning Communities are now as follows:              Patricia Maestro – Bridge              Lysette Trejo – Freshman Exp              Anabel Perez – New LC              Growth              Matt Munro – Overall Reorg. of LCs.</li> <li>3. Barbara Gonzales suggested that STDY profs. Be included in teaching of new/existing STDY/LC courses.</li> <li>4. The STDY Committee said</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Lysette agreed to bring STDY Committee questions/concerns to Patricia Maestro for discussion.</li> <li>➤ STDY Committee agreed to meet with those teaching the STDY/LC courses to discuss the brain-based focus of the curriculum.</li> <li>➤ STDY Committee agreed to meet with matt Munro and others in the future to create a Math-specific Study Techniques course. (It was suggested that Carolyn Robinson be involved in this discussion ASAP.)</li> <li>➤ Lori agreed to talk with Patricia Maestro and Matt Munro about next steps in terms of meeting times, scheduling issues, and etc.</li> </ul>

	we are open to new courses. Our current concern is that the STDY courses are all now brain-based, and this needs to be conveyed to those teaching them and evident in the way the curriculum for the courses is constructed and carried out.	
4.0 Adjunct Update		➤ Lori agreed to send current description to Committee for comments.
5.0 Technology Update: LASSI	Committee expressed desire to keep LASSI if budget to do so is logical.	➤ Lori will discuss with Margie
6.0 AA Degree Update	Lori announced that STDY 100 is now listed as optional requirements for the Arts and Humanities and Languages (name??) AA Degrees.	➤ n/a
7.0 STDY Assessment Plan		➤ tabled
8.0 Student Learning Outcomes		➤ tabled