



**Student Equity Committee
Meeting Minutes
March 28, 2016 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.
Ragan Room, 9B**

Members

xCarolyn Keys (Co-Chair)
xBarbara Quinn
xDon Sciore
xJane Nazzal

x Tony Rivas (Co-Chair)
x Fabian Pavon, AS Rep.
x Ana Tafoya-Diaz

_ Hilary Lackey
x Liza Becker
 _ Jeff Archibald

Research Team: Barbara McNeice Stallard

Guest: Robin Cash

<u>Item</u>	<u>Agenda Topic</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Meeting Outcome</u>
1.0	Review Agenda/Minutes	03/14/16 Student Equity Meeting Minutes	Minutes Approved.
2.0	Ethnic Studies –Fabian Pavon	Mt. SAC needs a gender and ethnic studies program. There is a connection regarding cultural relevance and student success in classes; it's about inclusiveness. Currently, there are four (4) resolutions being presented before the A.S. body regarding ethnic studies, LGBTQ classes, bringing awareness, and graduation requirements.	Don suggested how they can be incorporated into classroom SLO's. Reference was made to "Pathways to General Education", Christina Estrada.
3.0	Classified Representation	Robin Cash, classified member and guest at the committee meeting, shared that she was directed to visit this Student Equity committee meeting on behalf of the Mt. SAC Classified Senate President, John Lewallen (who signed the S.E. Plan). Questions were addressed before committee members seeking to clarify the participation and possible membership of another Classified representative on committee. Currently, the only classified member is Ana Tafoya-Diaz (who works for EOPS) and she was appointed on behalf of the V.P. of Student Services.	Carolyn would get feedback from Audrey and others to determine how to move forward in ensuring Classified representation.

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4.0	Student Success and Equity Conference – T. Rivas	<p>Tony shared information about two conferences that he recently attended which were related to Student Success and Equity. The S.S. conference was in Sacramento and hosted by the CCCC; the equity one was in Riverside and hosted by the CCLC (Community College League of California). Tony shared information about student success efforts and the current status of other regional/statewide community colleges who are making progress at the same pace as Mt. SAC. Liza Becker also attended the S.S. conference and she mentioned how some community colleges have a combined effort of BSI, SSSP, and S.E.; it could be an idea worth considering in order to help prospective proposal applicants who are seeking funds from these multiple entities. As it related to student equity, Tony mentioned an online certification provider which serves to train campus community about equity and diversity. Tony inquired about how POD could collaborate to support this delivery of certification. Handouts were provided to committee members on this and other information and they will also be emailed to all members.</p>	<p>A recommendation was made by committee members to have Co-Chairs contact Lianne Greenlee (POD) in reference to potential equity and diversity training at Mt. SAC.</p>
5.0	Research – Evaluation Rubric	<p>Barbara M-S provided committee members with a DRAFT of the Activity Evaluation Form which will serve to help the applicants complete them accordingly. Committee members provided Barbara with feedback in order to make revisions accordingly.</p>	<p>Barbara will revise Activity Evaluation Form and provide to committee members in future meeting.</p>
6.0	Other	N/A	