Professional Development Council Report

PDC Meeting Date: 10/5/17

PDC Updates

- A list of our accomplishments for 2016-2017 and our updated purpose, function, and membership are being advanced to PAC for their review.
- PDC discussed implications of college-wide strategic planning work on the work of our Council
- POD's website now includes a "conference connection" to share off-campus conferences, workshops, courses, and lectures. Employees can submit conferences for inclusion on the site.

FPDC

- FPDC reviewed FLEX Day evaluation data and made recommendations to the FLEX Day Task Force for future sessions, including designated courses for adjunct and newer faculty and opportunities for collaboration across disciplines
- FPDC will be recommending to Senate that faculty adopt the Chancellor's recommendation to boycott travel to states that discriminate against LGBT travel, per Assembly Bill 1887.
- FPDC has three committee vacancies and has reached out to noncredit to suggest they send a representative.
- FPDC has identified a need for compensation for professional development curriculum designers and presenters and additional incentives for learner participation

CPDC

- Great Staff retreat evaluation feedback was shared and was very positive.
- Work is being done to refine the PGC process. There is a need for a regular group of presenters to deliver workshops so classified can earn their professional growth credit. PDC discussed the need to compensate or incentivize presenters.
- CSEA is completing contract-related trainings.

MPDC

- A schedule for the next management retreat was shared
- Management will now be holding monthly trainings, and a schedule for 17-18 was shared.

Conference and Travel

• We are well ahead of expenditures from this time last year.

- Liesel Reinhart & Lianne Greenlee