

## Professional Development Council Report: Meeting Date: 6/1/17

### PDC Updates

- The annual PDC planning retreat will be held on June 15, 2017. The retreat draft agenda has been put together to include the following topics: conference and travel process clarification, purpose and function, annual goals, and professional development plan update.
- Academic Senate is recommending that the college integrate sustainability into professional development, such as curriculum integrations and other work to move the campus toward a net zero carbon emissions “sustainability promise.”
- PDC discussed the scope of campus-wide professional development planning and content delivery that occurs without coordination with the council or our plan. The new PIE form provides an option to identify goals in relationship to professional development and is a starting point for future collaboration

### FPDC

- FPDC proposed a FLEX Day focus group; they will also be compiling a survey to send out to the campus.
- Professional Learning Team received an award from Academic Senate
- Professional Learning Academy and Faculty professional development Coordinator office remodeling has begun, should be finished by end of summer. Hoping to use new space for touchdown workspaces and for faculty to meet in groups of 6-8.

### CPDC

- Great Staff retreat went very well, it was a successful event.
- New Employee Welcome: Friday, June 9, 2017. Hoping next year to include new managers and new faculty.
- Classified Professional Development Day is in the planning stage, a call for proposals announcement went out to the campus.
- CPDC and FPDC will bring their goals and objectives in the fall for PDC to review

### MPDC

- MPDC is considering to do a quarterly blast training announcement/flyer with upcoming training for management.
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### Conference and Travel

- 2016-17 will end with \$29,000 of unused C&T funds. Much of this remainder is the result of canceled trips, rescinded requests, and trips coming in under budget.
- 2017-18 PDC has already approved 7 requests in the amount of approximately \$14,000.
- Assembly Bill 1887 that went into effect in January which prohibits travel to states that have laws that are discriminatory, Kansas, Mississippi, North Carolina, and Tennessee cannot use state funds to travel to these areas. It specifies UC's, border regions and Cal states but, it does not specify community colleges. It is unclear in that matter. Lianne asked for clarification on behalf of PDC and confirmed that Mt SAC is not subject to these restrictions.

- Liesel Reinhart & Lianne Greenlee