

# Professional Development Council Report: “Super” PDC

## Meeting Date: 3/2/17

*Overview: Super PDC was a special joint meeting of PDC, CPDC, FPDC, & MPDC called to focus on planning – specifically the development of our annual report. Brief reports were also discussed from various units.*

### **PDC Short-term Plan for 2016-2017 Annual Report**

After much discussion about approaches to collecting our end-of-year summary of campus professional development, it was determined that data about non-POD activities would be collected informally this year using sources such as ePie and information from PDC members. This approach will reduce confusion when we roll out a formal data gathering plan for 2017-2018.

### **PDC Long-term Plan for Data Gathering**

PDC will connect with IEC to explore adding a professional development area to ePIE reporting processes, specifically to gather data on professional development activities and outcomes as well as professional development needs.

### **PDC Short-term Plan for 2016-2017 Annual Report**

The group brainstormed learning outcomes for POD programs and activities toward examining the possibility of revising our plan to be more outcomes-oriented. A special task force will be meeting to propose revisions to the plan and will use this feedback on that work.

### **Strategic Planning Integration**

The group agreed on the goal to integrate Professional development planning into the campus strategic planning process before the end of this calendar year.

*Other updates:*

### **PDC Updates**

- PDC is preparing for the ACCJC Visit with a special meeting on 3/8/17 to accommodate an interview, as needed.
- Spring Flex Day on 2/24 was successful. Over 250 faculty, managers, and staff attended and participated in the twenty different sessions on a wide array of topics.

### **CPDC**

- The committee is focusing now on their professional growth approval process.

### **FPDC**

- Liesel participated as part of the Pathways Institute team for a meeting in Tempe, AZ. Among the topics were growth mindset, pathways pedagogy, and merging equity and pathways.
- The Inspired Teaching Conference is open for registration and will be held 4/7/17 on campus. The theme is the “Right Question” program for improving student inquiry in the classroom.

### **MPDC**

- MPDC is working on a management professional development plan and reviewed the results of the management retreat survey.

- Liesel Reinhart & Lianne Greenlee