

San Diego Mesa College
Strong Workforce AdHoc Group
Meeting Notes
2/1/2018
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm, LRC 435

Attendees: Amanda Horner, Amanda (Mandy) Johnston, Brian Lesson, Ben Sims, Claudia Estrada-Howell, Danene Brown, Ed Helscher, Genevieve Esguerra, Hai Hoang, Leticia Lopez, Mariam Kushkaki, Mark Manasse, Meegan Feori, Monica Romero, Rachel Russell, Sahar (Mona) King, Shaun Fawcett, Soodeh Nezamabadi, Tara Mariel, Tina Recalde

- Introductions
- Overview of Strong Workforce
 - Why? The main focus of Strong Workforce is to lift low wage workers into living-wage jobs & develop more workforce opportunities.
 - At Mesa: We (as SD Mesa faculty & staff) get to decide what that means
- Purpose of Ad Hoc Taskforce: To integrate CTE funding into more purposeful methods and begin to address long-term SW goals.
- What have we done so far – See PPT for details
 - Round 1 Funding: 2016-2017
 - Allocations: Many programs have already submitted applications for funding
- Immediate Goal: Round 2 Funding: 2017-2018
 - Amount – See PPT
 - Application – Homework to review draft of online form that mirrors state form
 - Rubric – Next meeting
- Long Term Goals
 - Work Based Learning
 - Tutoring
 - Career Center
 - Mesa Pathways
 - Professional Learning
 - Marketing/Outreach
- Meeting Dates from 4:00 – 5:00, in LRC 435
 - 2/15
 - 3/1
 - 3/15
 - 4/5
 - 4/19
 - 5/3
 - 5/17