

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes from May 26, 2021
- III. Introductions (Leadership Team) - 10 min
- IV. Workgroup Updates (Howard Eskew) - 30 min
  - A. Summer Project Updates
  - B. Plans for Fall Semester
  - C. Logistical Updates: membership, website, etc.
- V. Student Success Teams (Ian Duckles and Gina Abbiate) - 45 min
- VI. Workgroup Reports: Structure for Fall – 5 min

Next MPC Meeting Date: Wednesday, September 8th, 12:45pm – 2:15pm

# SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

## Mesa Pathways Committee Minutes August 25, 2021

**Attendees:** Isabel O'Connor, Ashanti Hands, Amy Darios, Ian Duckles, Jennifer Kearns, Linda Hensley, Howard Eskew, Charlie Lieu, Marisa Alioto, Sharon Hughes, Gina Abbiate, Karla Trutna, Ashanti Hands, Larry Maxey, Anne Hedekin, Shawn Fawcett, John Crocitti, Bridget Herrin, Paula Gustin

**MPC Fellows:** Daniela Perez

**Guests:** Toni Trejo Parsons

**I. Approval of Agenda:** Duckles/Hughes

**II. Approval of Minutes May 26, 2021:** Abbiate/Lieu  
**Abstentions:** John Crocitti

**III. Introductions**

**IV. Workgroup Updates (Howard Eskew)**

**A. Summer Project Updates**

On July 26-30<sup>th</sup>, the Curriculum and Excellence Review committee was led by Chris Sullivan and Janue Johnson. Equity and Excellence were explored on how they shape, enrich our curriculum and in teaching strategies. Around 35 participants attended and each looked at their data and shared ideas on how to enhance their classes. Another CER course will be offered in the future since it's in the process of debriefing.

On August 12 and 13<sup>th</sup>, Credit by Prior Learning 101 workshop was held. On Day 1, Candace Rose and Benjamin Mudgett from Palomar College attended and spoke about what CPL is, why we do it, equity involved, and walked us through the Palomar journey since they are the leading college in the State for CPL. On Day 2, Shelly Hess shared the CPL process from the District Office. Andrew Hoffman shared the curriculum process at Mesa and explored the benefits of CPL on how it supports our students' journey and how important the equity part on acknowledging students prior learning and experience. Be on the Lookout for future invites if you weren't able to attend these meetings.

**B. Plans for Fall Semester**

**Guided Majors and Mapping:** Ian shared that the workgroup will put together some language around the Academic and Career Pathways for the website, so there can be descriptions on the labels for students to know what they are clicking on. Once the language is established and have the proposals of the layout for the website, the group will bring it to MPC for approval. The group has collected maps and will figure out what to do with those. More faculty representation needed for this workgroup.

**Onboarding and Career Exploration:** Sharon shared that two NANCE were hired to help the Mesa Journeys project and College Technical Analyst project assistant. A view book for Mesa (sample view book: <http://www.auburn.edu/viewbook>) is also being developed. For Career Planning the Career Canvas Shells will be finalized soon, and the RIASEC tool and Career Readiness videos will also be incorporated into these Canvas shells. Mesa Journeys is being upgraded. Orientation will be working on workshops. Outreach will be redesigning Mesa Reg Fest to include UMOJA and Mesa Academy. More faculty representation is needed for this workgroup.

**Continuing Education:** Karla shared that Cat Prindle will be joining the CE workgroup as the new Co-Chair. In mid Fall semester the CE webpage content will be up.

**Pathways Communication:** Anne shared that the workgroup will be meeting to discuss the open agenda items like the glossary and the Plain Language Badge.

**PAIRS:** Gina shared that her workgroup began thinking about the completion of English and Math within the first year. AB705 defunded some of the Basic Skills classes and students still need support in those areas. More faculty representation needed for this workgroup.

C. Logistical Updates: membership, website, etc:

Send your membership changes to Howard to keep the website updated.

#### **V. Student Success Teams (Ian Duckles and Gina Abbiate):**

Ian shared that beginning on September 13<sup>th</sup>, his workgroup will be holding weekly Roadshows through the end of October. These meetings will be promoted through various committees throughout the campus. Each meeting will be via Zoom and cap is 35 participants per event. There will be a \$100 opportunity drawing per Roadshow and it is open to faculty/classified professionals on a first come first serve basis. Gina shared the presentation that will be shared on the Roadshow. First part would be the presentation, followed by breakout groups to be able to collaborate with others across campus. Next, there will be discussion related to the goals of Student Success Teams to retain students.

#### **VI. Workgroup Report: Structure for Fall:**

Marisa shared that last Spring there was a method of sharing the work progress and will continue throughout the fall where there were monthly reports to cut down on meeting time and have that information in printed form. Also, Marisa will be sending out emails to collect those reports to be added to the archives and a share drive will be created. MPC membership list and workgroup information will be updated on the website.

#### **Announcements:**

- GMMWG meets every (second and fourth Friday at 12:30-2:00)
- Dates and times for MPC will remain the same (second and fourth Wednesday at 12:45-2:15pm)
- Howard will be sending emails for faculty representation in various workgroups.

Meeting adjourned.

***Next Meeting: September 8, 2021, at 12:45 pm in ZOOM***