

## **Student Services Committee Meeting**

Thursday | May 8, 2025 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm | CI-159

Committee Members		
◆ Cinthya Arrieta	◆ Dana Hester	◆ David Rodriguez
♦ Maria Buffo	◆ Coe Lamoureux	◆ Gerald Sequeira
◆ Claudia Castillo	◆ Elaine Lipiz Gonzalez	◆ Jennifer Spalding
♦ Nilda Chavez	◆ Jessica Lopez Jimenez	◆ Ty Thomas
◆ Stephen Fahey	◆ Betzabel Martinez	◆ Maryann Tolano-Leveque
◆ Rosario Garcia	◆ Marie Noriega	◆ Elizabeth Velazquez
♦ Sara Gonzales-Tapia	◆ Sean Osborn	◆ Lilianna Verduzco
♦ Lan Hao	♦ Ana Quiroz	◆ Alexa Gonzalez (ASCC)
◆ Nadine Henley	◆ Richard Rams (Chair)	◆ Natalie Kwok (ASCC)
◆ Michelle Hernandez	♦ Tommy Reyes	◆ Garcia, Christina (Admin)

# **MINUTES**

#### I. WELCOME

a. Dr. Rams welcomed the group to the final SSC meeting of the year.

#### II. INFORMATION

- a. Student Equity Plan (2025-28) Update: Emerging Themes and Next Steps E. Lipiz Gonzalez and B. Martinez
  - i. Dr. Lipiz Gonzalez provided a brief overview of the feedback received regarding the upcoming 2025-28 Student Equity Plan. The two most prevalent topics included the desire to see a LatinX experience program to support Latino students on campus, and cultural awareness programming offered to support the entire student population. Dr. Lipiz Gonzalez highlighted a section in the plan that mentions many of the respective departments; in which they will be called upon for a brief narrative regarding how their activities will align with the student equity plan. Dr. Betzabel Martinez will reach out to you individually for your input on your sections, which will be at 2500 characters max per section. The plan is to work on this during the summer and finalize in the fall, as it is due November 30th.
- b. Legislative Update: House Committee on Education & Workforce reconciliation bill proposal and proposed changes to Federal Student Aid programs *R. Rams* 
  - i. Dr. Rams touched briefly on the legislative bill currently circulating for review and proposed changes. The primary concern currently being major changes in student eligibility for financial aid. Dr. Rams and Dr. Schulz are proactively meeting with other local reps regarding some of these potential changes and impacts.
- c. Drop for Non-Payment Timeline for Summer/Fall 2025 Dr. Rams/ Dr. Sequeira

- i. Drop for non-payment dates have been posted to the website
  - 1. Summer: May 29; June 19
  - 2. Fall: July 17, July 31, August 21
    - a. Fees will be posted on July 2<sup>nd</sup>
- ii. Will now occur at 6:00 am
- iii. Messages will go out on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 8:00 am
- iv. Text messages will go out in the afternoon the day before
- v. When registering, students will be required to check an acknowledgement that they will be dropped for non-payment

### III. NEW BUSINESS: Action Items

- a. Approval of 04/10/25 Meeting Minutes
  - Motion: A. Gonzalez; 2<sup>nd</sup>: C. Lamoureux; Opposed: None; Abstained: M. Buffo, M. Noriega; Approved
- b. Review of SSC Purpose Statement
  - i. Dr. Rams proposed further review by the committee and moving to the fall agenda.
  - ii. Motion: T. Thomas; 2nd: G. Sequeira; Opposed: None; Abstained: None; Approved
- c. Campus Safety AP/BPs B. Macias
  - i. BP & AP 3415 Immigration Enforcement Activities
    - i. Motion: J. Spalding; 2<sup>nd</sup>: R. Garcia; Opposed: None; Abstained: None; Approved
  - ii. BP & AP 3500 Campus Safety
    - i. Motion: M. Noriega; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Quiroz; Opposed: None; Abstained: None; **Approved**
  - iii. BP & AP 3505 Emergency Response Plan
    - i. Motion: S. Osborne; 2<sup>nd</sup>: S. Fahey; Opposed: None; Abstained: None; **Approved**
  - iv. BP & AP 3515 Reporting of Crimes
    - Motion: T. Thomas; 2<sup>nd</sup>: E. Lipiz Gonzalez; Opposed: None; Abstained: None;
      Approved
  - v. AP 3516 Registered Sex Offender Information
    - Motion: J. Spalding; 2<sup>nd</sup>: E. Lipiz Gonzalez; Opposed: None; Abstained: None;
      Approved
  - vi. BP & AP 3520 Local Law Enforcement
    - Motion: A. Gonzalez; 2<sup>nd</sup>: S. Osborne; Opposed: None; Abstained: None;
      Approved
  - vii. BP & AP 3530 Weapons on Campus
    - Motion: S. Fahey; 2<sup>nd</sup>: M. Hernandez; Opposed: None; Abstained: None;
      Approved

### IV. UPCOMING MEETINGS

d. 2025-26 AY **Proposed** Meeting Dates; 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month; 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

- i. August 14, 2025
- ii. September 11, 2025
- iii. October 9, 2025
- iv. November 13, 2025
- v. December 11, 2025 (finals week)
- vi. March 12, 2026
- vii. April 9, 2026
- viii. May 14, 2026
- ix. June 11, 2026 (finals week/ day before Commencement)
- x. Motion: R. Garcia; 2<sup>nd</sup>: L. Hao; Opposed: None; Abstained: None; **Approved**

# **PROGRAM UPDATES**

## Career/Transfer Center

- The Career/Transfer Center will be hosting its Transfer Recognition Ceremony on Wednesday, June 4, 2025, from 4:00-6:00pm in the Campus Center. Students who would like to participate in the Transfer Recognition Ceremony and/or the Transfer Hall of Fame Instagram campaign may complete the following registration form at <a href="https://bit.ly/TransferRecognitionCeremony">https://bit.ly/TransferRecognitionCeremony</a> by Thursday, May 22, 2025.
- Student Services Committee members are invited to attend the Transfer Recognition Ceremony. Please RSVP by Wednesday, May 28, 2025, using the following link: https://forms.office.com/r/RM3NkdxnJe