# Norco College

# **Professional Development Minutes**

March 8, 2016 Room: IT 218

### Attendees

Dr. Carol Farrar chaired this meeting.

### Members:

Dominique Hitchcock...... Arts, Humanities and World Languages

Mark LewisCommunicationsKris AndersonCommunicationsJanet FrewingMath & SciencesBeverly WimerMath & SciencesStephen ParkMath & SciencesCarol FarrarDean of Instruction

Jethro Midgett...... Counseling

Leticia Martinez..... SFS

Lorena Patton...... Director, Title III STEM Grant

Richard Gillard..... ASNC

#### Absent:

Dr. Gail Zwart...... Business, Engineering and Information Technologies

(ACCJC visit)

Eva Amezola...... Upward Bound

Jefferson Tiangco...... Instructional Technology Specialist (DOI)

# **Guest:**

Gustavo Oceguera...... Grants & College Support Program

# A. Approval of Agenda for March 8, 2016

Motion to approve Tim/Sandra MSC

# B. Approval of Minutes December 8, 2015

Tabled until next meeting

## C. Action Items:

Proposals for:

- a. Active Shooter Training-flyer attached
   Motion to approve as Flex Activity Janet/Dominique MSC
   Motion to approve as Professional Development Activity Bev/Sandra MSC
- b. Game CareerCON-March 12, 2016 flyer attached
   Motion to approve as Flex Activity Mark/Stephen MSC
   Motion to approve as Professional Development Activity Janet/Tim MSC

c. Gaming CareerCON-May 6, 2016
 Motion to approve as Flex Activity Tim/Kris MSC
 Motion to approve as Professional Development Activity Gustavo/Jethro MSC

### **D.** New Business

- a. New Professional Development Coordinator needed
  - Gail will be stepping down as the Professional Development
    Coordinator. Need to identify new coordinator ASAP so that they
    can work with Gail. Please take issue back to your departments
    for discussion. There is a .2 reassign time (fall and spring) and a
    stipend is paid that covers work done during summer and winter.
    The stipend is paid monthly during the course of the academic
    year.
  - Some responsibilities include preparation of the agenda, sending out agenda and minutes, coordination of committee, FLEX calendar, e-blasts, coordination of food for all PDC activities, etc.
  - Opening of terms are extremely busy. May require more involvement due to new statewide initiatives.
- b. Judy Perry has resigned from the PDC committee. She will be going to the Assessment committee. The committee thanks her for all of the work she has done for the PD committee.
- c. We have two new committee members: Welcome Jethro Midgett and Dominique Hitchcock.

# E. Old Business

a. Flex Days Fall 2016
 Reviewed and discussed results of last brainstorming session
 Discussion:

- Do we want a theme? We could return to "All about the College", "All about you", and "All about our Students". Breakfast and general meeting 8:30-11:45 followed by afternoon breakout sessions (two max) 12:00-3:00pm?
- Do we want to do fewer events but go into more depth, especially in the area of pedagogy?

Breakfast 8:30  Broad Spectrum meeting 9:00-11:45			
Breakout sessions			
All about the College	All about the Students	All about You	
Focused application	**Strategies for	*Emotional	
Applying Data	developing	intelligence	
Assessment	GRIT/Resilience	Learning Strategies	
Program Review	Self discipline	How to motivate	

Positive outlook/learned	curiosity Love of Learning
optimism	Pedagogy

- \*Gustavo has lots of resources but needs faculty to come up with interest.
- \*\*Need to find someone for presentation. Gustavo will talk to Sarah regarding speakers and special project.
- F. Electronic Approval Reviewed by committee
- **G.** Part time faculty professional development/assessment approvals Reviewed by committee
- H. Open HearingHope to see you on March 25 and May 6

Meeting adjourned

Next meeting May 10, 2016 12:50-1:50pm IT 218