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ASCCC Noncredit Committee

Agenda

October 21, 2014 @ 5:00-6:30pm

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1. Welcome & agenda adjustments
 - a. Present: Debbie Klein, Jarek Janio, Leigh Anne Shaw, Wheeler North, David Norton
 2. Comments from the public (5 min each)
 3. Approval of minutes from October 17, 2014 – minutes to be approved at next meeting
 4. Important dates
 - a. Fall Plenary registration deadline: October 29
 - b. Fall Plenary: November 13-15 @ Irvine Marriott
 5. Debrief our October 17 meeting & presentation
 - a. Comments: good feedback from participants, and many were from the Chancellor's Office, good discussion stemming from it
 - b. Senate wants to give local senates the autonomy to decide which courses would make up credit/noncredit. Future resolutions may come out of the Noncredit Committee regarding this after we hear from the field; it should be driven by the colleges.
 - c. Concerns that major initiatives across CCC and K-12 systems are not talking to each other
 - i. Common Assessment Initiative, Common Core, etc.
 - d. Unintended fallout – a local AB 86 consortium accessed the Oct 17 presentation and misinterpreted that CCCs are not connecting to Adult Ed appropriately. Concern about how others might read the ppt apart from its intention, which was to show successful collaborations and relevant concerns.
 6. Discuss Noncredit FAQ sheet
 - a. Clarification of K-12 Adult Ed Noncredit, CCC Noncredit, and Community Service classes
 - b. Clarification of CDCP and changes
 - c. Other wordsmithing of document
 7. Discuss CDCP funding equalization implications (Wheeler) – tabled for next meeting
 8. Discuss our fall plenary back-to-back breakouts: Thursday November 13 – tabled for next meeting.
Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm. Minutes: Leigh Anne Shaw

SECOND BREAKOUT SESSION (11:20 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

Adult Basic Education Course Development and new CDCP Funding: Hopes, Dreams, and Concerns

Presenters: Michelle Grimes-Hillman, Ginni May, Candace Lynch-Thompson

The Chancellor's Office has proposed to bring the CDCP (Career Development and College Preparation) funding rate up to the credit funding rate starting in 2015/16. How does this new funding model change our conversations about adult education and basic skills courses? This session offers information and raises questions about curricular implications

SECOND GENERAL SESSION (12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.)

Keynote Panel Presentation: Adult Education At a Crossroads (1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.)

Panelists: Leigh Anne Shaw (ESL Instructor, AB 86 consortia co-chair, Skyline College, ASCCC Noncredit Committee) Donna Burns (Dean of Continuing Education, Mt. San Antonio), Chantée Warner (Academic Affairs, Chancellor's Office), contacting Kathleen Chavira (Principal Consultant, Senate Education Committee)

The restructuring of adult education in California has become a vibrant focus of statewide, regional, and local conversations about student success. New conversations involving the Community College and K-12 systems and changes to noncredit funding will open new curricular and organizational possibilities for many of our colleges. Please join us for a panel presentation that will feature Chancellor's Office representatives involved in AB 86 planning and faculty and administrative voices involved in restructuring their district's adult education, noncredit, and credit programs as they discuss the implications of the changes to and possibilities for adult education and noncredit that our system is currently facing.

THIRD BREAKOUT SESSION (3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.)

Exploring New Possibilities for Student Success Through Noncredit

Presenters: Debbie Klein, Diane Edwards-LiPera, Leigh Anne Shaw

The concurrent restructuring of adult education and the equalization of funding for CDCP noncredit courses are game changers for our students, faculty, and communities. We will discuss the opportunities these changes are opening up for our students. We will also discuss emerging challenges as colleges expand their noncredit programs, including: minimum qualifications, faculty workload, full-time/part-time faculty ratios, compensation, etc. Please join us for this informational session and discussion.

Next meeting: October 28, 2014