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Continuous Accreditation Readiness Team (CART)

Friday, May 3, 2013, 10:00 a.m.

**Board Room** 

Attendees: present in yellow			
Administrative Council		Instructional Council	Other Members
Management Council		(Non-Administrative)	
Betty Kakiuchi	Sergio Lopez	Becky Green	Trini Arguelles, Non-Teaching
Bill Gay	Taylor Ruhl	Carol Hegarty	Faculty#
Carlos Fletes	<mark>Ted Ceasar</mark>	Cathy Zazueta	Brian McNeece, Teaching Faculty#
Efrain Silva	Tim Nakamura	<mark>Daniel Gilison</mark>	Michael Heumann, Teaching Faculty
Gloria Carmona	<mark>Tina Aguirre</mark>	David Drury	Alex Cozzani, Teaching Faculty
Jeff Cantwell	Todd Finnell*	David Zielinski	Eric Lehtonen, Academic Senate
Lisa Seals	Travis Gregory*	Edward Wells	President
Omar Ramos	Victor Jaime*	Jose Lopez	Jessica Waddell, College Council
Rick Webster	John Lau*	Jose Ruiz	President
Jill Nelipovich	Kathy Berry*	Rick Castrapel	Oscar Hernandez, Teaching Faculty
		Rick Goldsberry	Jim Fisher, Teaching Faculty
		<mark>Terry Norris</mark>	Bradford Wright, Teaching Faculty
		Sydney Rice	Grace Espinoza, Classified
	*Executive Council	Leticia Pastrana	Norma Nunez, Non-Teaching Faculty
	# CART Co-chair	James Patterson	Mary Carter, Confidential
		Craig Blek	Paige Lovitt, Non-Teaching Faculty
		<mark>Kevin White</mark>	Patricia Robles, Classified
			Toni Gamboa, Classified
			Jeff Beckley, Teaching Faculty
			Kevin Marty, Teaching Faculty
			Emily Bill, Adjunct Non-Teaching
			Faculty
			Audrey Morris, Teaching Faculty
			Lisa Tylenda, ASG President

Guests: None

Recorder: Linda Amidon

## AGENDA ITEMS/DISCUSSION

- A. Call to Order Brian
  - The regular meeting of the Continuous Accreditation Readiness Team (CART) was called to order at 10:08 a.m.
- B. Review and Approval of Minutes of April 19, 2013 Meeting (in Dropbox)
  - M/S/C Berry/Blek to approve the minutes of the April 19, 2013 meeting as presented
- C. Update on Previous Discussion Items
  - a. Results of CART Process Survey Were Sent to All Members Brian
    - The committee will use the survey as the basis for its evaluation of the CART process

## D. New Discussion

- a. Implementation of Actionable Achievement Plans as Per Self-Evaluation Study: Timeline and **Relevant Parties - Kathy** 
  - VP Berry provided committee members with a brief explanation of the action plans:
  - the actions plans were identified in the self-evaluation

  - generally, the actions plans will need to be addressed over the next year to show movement
    however, if the college is sanctioned, the plans will need to be addressed by March 2014
  - Committee members reviewed the action plans and identified:
  - ✓ Plans that have been completed/resolved and those currently being addressed
  - ✓ Key individuals to be involved in responding to the action plans (see attachment)
  - ✓ Concerns about how to address the action plan related to professional development, considering existing power struggles/ownership issues
  - ✓ The need for assessment of current professional development processes
  - Discussion:
    - ✓ Recommendations made to:
      - add a column to the action plan table to show status of each plan
      - set up another repository with a folder for each action plan so that parties can begin collecting evidence
    - $\checkmark$ the Student Success Initiative includes a proposed professional development component that addresses funding, dedicated staffing, and the required number of professional development days, among other items; if the proposal is implemented it would help to address IVC's professional development issues
    - College Council established a Campus Hour/Professional Development Committee to  $\checkmark$ address professional development needs/ activities of faculty and staff; whether professional development should be under College Council purview is under review
    - $\checkmark$ A successful staff development/flex program previously existed at the college in which faculty and staff were involved as participants and administrators of the program
- E. Action Items
  - a. Form Committee to Implement Changes Required by ACCIC Recommendations and Prepare Written **Response to ACCJC Recommendations** 
    - VP Berry described the process and timeline:
      - ✓ ACCIC will review the team's findings in June 2013
      - ✓ ACCJC staff and its legal counsel will finalize the evaluation report and send it to the college president for public disclosure in July 2013
      - ✓ If the college is sanctioned, a follow-up report will be due in March 2014
    - Discussion:
      - ✓ Committee identified issues with timeline: Faculty and staff will return in August which creates a very short turn-around time for completing the follow-up report
      - ✓ Response to sanctions is usually a two-year process
      - Committee considered options for identification and selection/appointment of leads and teams and meeting schedule; committee agreed that:
        - Leads should be identified and teams established in May in order to prepare them over • the summer
        - Leads would determine team membership
        - First meeting should take place Monday July 22 after the evaluation report is made public; notify the teams of their purpose and present a plan of expectation at that time
        - Leads would be held accountable for progress on recommendations
      - ✓ Use CART as the coordinating committee and hold monthly meetings to obtain progress reports from team leads
      - Revisit the configuration of CART membership
      - ✓ Friday classes might impact committee activities

- ✓ ACCJC again cited deficiencies in the college's planning process; it will be necessary to clarify the process
- b. Appoint Overall Author for Upcoming Response to Recommendations
  - Item tabled
    - Discussion:
      - $\checkmark$  ~ The college editing team found the self-evaluation to be disjointed
      - ✓ The follow-up report needs to be written in one voice
      - ✓ It's important to work in teams, but the college needs one person as author
      - ✓ The author would be compensated via stipend

## F. Other

- Trini Arguelles has stepped down as CART Co-chair; Dean of Health and Science Tina Aguirre agreed to serve as Co-chair
- G. Next Meeting: Friday, August 23, 2013, 10:00 a.m., Board Room

## **ADJOURNMENT**

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The meeting was adjourned at 10:57 a.m.