

## Council of Undergraduate Academic Advisors

May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015

### Minutes

In attendance: Vanessa Merine (Transfer & Transition Services), Angela Bullard (Business), Jody Glassman (Admissions), Paige Johnson (SJMC), Charlie Andrews (UE), Jacky Diaz (CAS), Shimon Cohen (CAS), Hazel Hooker (UE); Walter Maldonado (Advising Tech), Sophonie (Education), Aisha Williams (CARTA), Luis Rodriguez (OneStop), Danilo Le Sante (Retention & Graduation), Francisco Marrero (SJMC), Korrin Anderson (Orientation).

#### -Admissions Update

For Summer, Freshman are at 1534 matriculated, 1280 projected for enrollment. For Fall, Freshman are at 2808 matriculated, 2436 projected for enrollment (low end projections for both). For transfer, 1713 matriculated for Summer; these numbers should stay pretty true for enrollment (only half have already enrolled). Fall Fall transfer, 2073 matriculated (294 enrolled). No more FTIC for Summer, barring exceptions. Deposit link will close May 15<sup>th</sup> for Summer FTIC. Deposit link open for Transfers.

#### -PERC Reminder

A few science classes were problematic and had to be excluded. PERC was successful for Journalism & Social Work classes. Expired ALEKS scores contribute to complications. ALEKS scores expire after 1 year; students must re-take at this point. Financial Aid students are also being looked at closely because they cannot be dropped by PERC as their financial aid has been disbursed. The student needs to be contacted in order to swap out the course or pay money back.

#### -Cohort Lists

1. 2014 FTICs who have not enrolled for Spring 2015– 74% have enrolled for Fall (80% of those are @ a 2.0 or higher). Financial aid related holds have been lifted. Advisors will reach out and work with these students.

2. 2014 FTICs under a 2.0 who have not registered for Summer but who could potentially get a 2.0 or higher if they take courses in Summer. 196 students, 72 advisors (with 1-2 students per advisor on average). Included in lists is information about the minimum grades in course over Summer (3 credit, and 6 credit scenarios) needed to get to a 2.0 cum gpa.

3. Potential graduates list – FTIC and AA students (focusing on 2009FTIC and 2011AA, even though 2010 and 2011 FTICs cohorts are lagging). Currently at 52% for FTIC 6 year rate. With outreach efforts projecting 55-56% rate.

\*Discussion of rebate program by Dr. Havens to provide aid to students who might need help with Summer for example. But, the student would have to pay up front and then be reimbursed if they earned the appropriate grade.

\*Also suggestion of cohorted Boot camp program with interventions targeted at Failed courses and incentive with this rebate program.

\*Luis brought up the GSI grants as a way to provide funds to students in the Summer.

-Election for Vice-Chair

HAZEL HOOKER has been elected as our Vice Chair / Chair Elect for next year.

-Chair Transition

Shimon as Chair; Hazel as Vice Chair; Aisha as Secretary.

-Updates from Sub-Committees:

Transfer: Pseudo codes being developed for new UCC; training to come. Common slides have been created for transfer orientations. Vanessa met with advising leads and will be adding to the presentation to create a cohesive and consistent college/school presentation for transfers. Goal for launch is July 1<sup>st</sup>.

Tech: No updates.

Policy: Meeting next week to discuss survey of advising outcomes. Will continue next year to develop them. Revisit advising awards next week as well.

Orientation Updates:

May 19<sup>th</sup> transfer is full. June 1 & 2 freshman orientation has been cancelled.

OneStop Update:

Finishing academic standing; communication going out this afternoon/evening to dismissed students.

Processing forgiveness's quickly to avoid unnecessarily. Also processing repeat course checking. SAP for financial aid will be run next week; academic plan still required for those who did not make SAP.

Last day for academic reinstatements is May 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Transfer Panther Camp – August 7<sup>th</sup> through the 9<sup>th</sup>

### **Next Meeting:**

August 28, 2015 2:00-3:30pm in ECS451 (CAS Dean's conference room)