

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes from October 28, 2020
- III. Next Steps: Top Pathways Projects (30 minutes)
  - Areas of Interest
  - Student Success Teams
  - CPL
  - Technology
- IV. Funding Process (15 minutes)
- V. Mesa Journeys Assessment Tool (10 minutes) – Charlie Lieu
- VI. Spring Flex Activities and MPC Retreat (15 minutes)
- VII. Student Engagement Innovation Grants (10 minutes)
- VIII. Workgroup Reports/Updates (10 minutes)

#### Upcoming Events:

- MPC Spring Retreat: January 22<sup>nd</sup> (time: TBD)
- Flex Week Sorting Activity: January 27<sup>th</sup> (time: TBD)

#### Next MPC Meeting Date:

- Wednesday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 12:45pm – 2:15pm

*\*please send written workgroup reports to Marisa Alioto by  
Thursday, February 4th*

#### Attachments:

- Minutes from MPC Meeting 10/28/20
- Workgroup Reports

# SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

## Mesa Pathways Committee Minutes December 09, 2020

**Attendees:** Andy MacNeill, Claudia Estrada-Howell, Larry Maxey, Mark Manasse, Jennifer Kearns, Linda Hensley, Howard Eskew, Trina Larson, Charlie Lieu, Ashanti Hands, Hai Hoang, Terry Kohlenberg, Anne Hedekin, Manuel Velez, Marisa Alioto, Daniela Perez Padilla, Isabel O'Connor, Sharon Hughes, Toni Parsons

**Guests:** Lorenze Legaspi, Helen Greenbergs

**I. Approval of Agenda: Velez/Larson**

**II. Approval of Minutes October 28, 2020: MacNeill/Estrada-Howell**

**III. Next Steps: Top Pathways Projects**

Previously, at the Campus Community Forum, Areas of Interest, Student Success Teams and Technology were overwhelmingly supported by the campus community as priorities. While CPL was not something that was included, with new Title V language, we are required to move forward with this important work.

- **Areas of Interest** – Working with the Guided Majors & Mapping workgroup, and in consideration (and collaboration) of the work being done across our workgroups, our flex activity will be an opportunity to share models at different colleges and then discuss with the greater campus community how we want to create areas of interest and sort our programs into curricular or career related groupings. These areas can then be analyzed at the department (micro) level in future activities throughout spring semester.
- **Student Success Teams** – would work well with PAIRS (to discuss in a future meeting)
- **Credit for Prior Learning (CPL)** – There is a new Title V language, policy and procedure coming from the State level and Mesa Pathways is required to put that together. This has gone through the senate, district, and throughout the board. A CPL Task Force will be put in place and this will clarify and will consider students' prior learning. Interest among CTE faculty and their leadership is strong, and we will connect with Tasha Frankie to find out if they already have a group. There is also a strong student services component to CPL; Toni can start the process in connect with Strong workforce.
- **Technology** – Charlie will help us shape what this looks like, what type of workgroup this will be, and who will be on it.

**IV. Funding Process:**

Leadership on the funding form and process was moved to the leads. At this point in time, the leads have not had a chance to evaluate and update the form, as it was created 2 years ago. Once the leads have looked over the form and made updates, these recommendations will be brought to MPC for review. Additionally, it was noted that a clear process needs to be created. There is \$1,012,000 in funding. The form was shown, which was modeled after the old Staff Development form and the CAT request form.

## **V. Mesa Journeys Student Survey Results:**

### **Full Online Presentation link:**

[https://cccconfer.zoom.us/rec/share/xTi9APTTbfE53uHScIgeDn8OaznwDv46cbzbDggdrA1\\_4pAzApit601SGv0g80Yv.qwy1gSaEaYTxIgmJ?startTime=1606779912000](https://cccconfer.zoom.us/rec/share/xTi9APTTbfE53uHScIgeDn8OaznwDv46cbzbDggdrA1_4pAzApit601SGv0g80Yv.qwy1gSaEaYTxIgmJ?startTime=1606779912000)

Mesa Journeys (MJ) is a quick and easy online tool for prospective and current students to connect with support programs and services at Mesa College. In partnership with Institutional Effectiveness, this survey was conducted to review the MJ tool for effectiveness. The survey was available from September through October, 2020. 280 students completed the survey and the objectives were shared with MPC. The objectives of the survey included: How are students finding Mesa Journeys? Effectiveness of Mesa Journeys? Improvements to the tool? How to continue to market Mesa Journeys? Based on the results, students are visiting three (or fewer) websites, which is a big number. Students are not currently visiting offices due to the campus closure (COVID). This survey will be launched again when the campus reopens to find out if the numbers change. Students are not currently being contacted after they take the Mesa Journeys assessment. 40% of students would like to be contacted by programs. 80% would like to be contacted via email. Students are also stating they don't know what to do after they complete the tool. 40% stated that this is not important to address in the class. It was noted that if programs contact students and remind them of services they will join or utilize the service, so it is important that programs follow through with students. Next steps were shared to better promote the tool and engage students.

Related technology announcement (Hands): There is a district-wide workgroup that is working on .edu email addresses and text features. Email has been prioritized, but there is a cost and staffing issue; but the conversation is continuing and both are priorities for the district.

### **Spring Flex Activities and MPC Retreat:**

- Spring Retreat - Friday, January 22 from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm.
- Flex Sorting Activity - January 27<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am – 11:30 am.

## **VI. Student Engagement Innovation Grants:**

The Regional Coordinators shared information regarding this \$5000 grant to encourage student engagement. The application is due on Friday, December 11, 2020 (and could be extended). The application was shared with the group and feedback was compiled to put submit an application.

## **VII. Workgroup Reports:**

**Continuing Ed:** Put together a mission statement and want to bridge communication gaps between Continuing Ed and Mesa.

**OCE:** Currently receiving funding from Strong Workforce will be submitting a funding request from January to December of 2021.

**PAIRS:** Mark Manasse is leaving MPC and Gina Abbiate will be taking his place.

### **Upcoming Events:**

- **MPC Spring Retreat: January 22<sup>nd</sup>** – The purpose of the spring retreat is to collectively think about what needs to get done by June 2021, as we are to have a Pathways framework that is institutionalized and sustainable.

Meeting adjourned.

***Next Meeting: February 10, at 12:45 pm in ZOOM***