

AQIP Student Mentoring Committee

Meeting Notes

Project Charge: *The Student Mentoring project will explore, study, and recommend the design of a mentoring program scaled to serve all MCC students and involving the entire campus community.*

Goal Statement: *To increase credit attainment, retention and completion rates by providing guidance to our students to enhance their college experience and achieve their educational goals.*

September 22, 2016

Location:
ML2001

Time:
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Co-Chair(s): Ronda Brinch, Jimmie Baber
Liaisons: Aaron Gulyas

Note Taker: Amanda Burleson

In Attendance: Janette Cartagena, Nancy Metcalfe, Andretta Newton, Lauren Ruffin, Jennie Welliver, Theron Williams, Amanda Burleson

Absent: Joi Callahan, Amy Witham, Michelle Glenn

Agenda:

1. Present results from homework assignment
2. Categorize types of mentoring programs
3. Next Meeting: **October 6, 2016 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm, ML3012**

Notes:

1. Team members presented their research of college/university mentoring programs
 - a. Hostos Community College/CUNY – Strive for Success
 - b. Ferris State University – SCHOLAR Peer Mentoring Program
 - c. Belleview Community College, Washington – Tiered Mentoring
 - d. Normandale Community College - current students paired with Alumni in professional fields
 - e. Saginaw Valley State University – current student paired with Alumni
 - f. Marymount University – Peer to peer mentoring
 - g. Roxbury College – Mentoring for Success
 - h. West Texas A&M – New students with faculty/staff mentors
 - i. Paradise Valley Community College – Mentoring part of course, earn credits
2. Types of mentoring programs:
 - a. Peer-to-peer
 - b. Faculty/staff to student, professional to student
 - c. Developmental course requirement
 - d. Specific age group
 - e. Gender specific
 - f. First year experience
 - g. First generation

- h. Minority
 - i. Tiered mentoring
 - j. At-risk students/on-track students/3.0 GPA/On-probation
 - k. Service Learning component (Honors, PTK, Student Leadership/Government)
3. Common components of successful mentoring programs
- a. Leadership buy-in
 - b. Program participation
 - c. Understanding of resources

Agenda for next meeting:

1. Categorize aspects of programs
2. List and eliminate items from categories
3. Review items to be done/determined