**Diversity in Action Group**

Meeting Minutes

September 21, 2010

Members Present

Sylvia Aguirre-Alberto Student Services/Multicultural Center

Martin Bednarek Admissions & Records/Int’l Students

Fauzi Hamadeh Student Services/Student Activities

Kate Motoyama Language Arts/Speech Communication

John Vehikite EOPS

Henry Villareal Admissions & Records/Dean

Alex Quintana Student Representative

The meeting was called to order by Chair Villareal at 12:10 p.m.

For the 2010/2011 academic year Henry Villareal will remain Chair; Martin Bednarek will remain the Recorder with Fauzi Hamadeh as back-up.

Minutes from the May 2010 were not available and will be reviewed at our next meeting along with minutes from September 21, 2010

Chair Villareal stated the IPC had made changes to the Educational Master Plan over the summer. He asked us to review the DIAG goals and objectives (page 21) prior to our next meeting, and to pay attention to the timeline. DIAG worked on Goal #1 during the spring 2010 semester, and proposed we concentrate on Goal # 2 during the 2010/2011 academic year.

PRIE is currently capturing and compiling data regarding student’s lack of success in reaching their educational goals. DIAG will be depending on PRIE to generate the data for DIAG to review. IPC is asking for a dollar amount to implement some of the action steps required to improve student success rate.

The new Learning Resource Center (LRC) in Building 10 has space, with no funding or program. DIAG has been asked to identify resource gaps that may help support the LRC.

Chair Villareal suggested DIAG create an events Calendar to publish – possibly including events on the CSM web page, as well as on the large Trinitron screens on campus. Upcoming events: 9/27 John Tresvina; 10/7 Michael Chabone; 10/11 Dr. Ronni Sanlo; 10/27 Anne Lamount (pres. Speaker series); 11/4 Webinar – Undocumented students. He also encouraged a Spring 2011 calendar of events.

The Enrollment Management committee this year is chaired by Andreas Wolf. Chair Villarea plans to meet with the committee to help define “enrollment management.” Currently the committee has no specific and targeted outreach for overlooked (underrepresented) populations in the high schools. He will propose that data from the Student Equity Report be used. He also discussed the recent Math Boost workshops coordinated by the Math Department, and workshops coordinated by athletics to improve math placement results. Our accreditation mandates we address these issues.

DIAG Budget: $4,000 total; Proposed expenses include $0 for John Tresvina talk, $660 for Dr. Sanlo’s talk and $293 for the 11/4 Webinar

The next DIAG Planning Committee meeting will be September 28, 2010

The next DIAG meeting is scheduled for October 5, 2010, 12 noon – 1 p.m. in Admissions.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.