



BOT Report 12.08.23

Recognitions

Thank you Trustee Gonzalez for your words at the Chancellor's Holiday Party and the recognition given to the faculty and staff who serve our students. Your words were evidence of your insight and connection with the work that is done on the campuses each and every day.

Information to Inform Policy

The Distance Education Committee at San Bernardino Valley College reaffirmed the commitment and need for ongoing training for those who are teaching in the online environment. As part of that commitment, they have reaffirmed and support the roll out of the refresh training that will start in Spring 2024. The recommendation of the DE Committee, as supported by the Academic Senate, is that faculty training for online training will be Online DE Training will be refreshed every three years. The refresh will focus on key points related to equity, culturally responsive teaching, and engagement of students, as well as updating of regulation and legislation changes.

Related to the DE training needs, AP 4105 should reflect the training requirements of each campus. This AP is going through the process now and we look forward to support of the BOT.

Eliminate Barriers to Student Access and Success

As an update to the ZTC/OER conversation, San Bernardino Valley College has begun full engagement with and action on the goals established by ZTC/OER Workgroup for the ZTC/OER Planning and Implementation Grant. We have been approved for the Implementation Grant in the amount of \$180,000.00 to support the completion of our Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Sciences degree as a ZTC Degree and the expansion of ZTC/OER offerings for GE requirements. Additionally, we have received confirmation of acceptance of our Acceleration Grant proposal, which includes the degree pathways for Film, Television & Electronic Media, Psychology, and Library Sciences. Each of these pathways will participate in a cohort with other campuses as led by the OERI group from ASCCC. The campus will receive \$25,000.00 for each of these programs to support the work. A huge shout out and recognition to Dr. Celia Huston for all of her work, writing, and organizing the submissions, which were all awarded.

Ensure Fiscal Accountability/Stability

Enrollment Management and Retention is on the minds of everyone. The conversations are happening across the campus in many spaces. The faculty recognize the need to dig deeper and determine their role in enrollment management and retaining students that come to us. The department chairs are having conversations regarding how their leadership role can support the efforts of the campus. San Bernardino Valley College is participating in the Student Enrollment Management Academy through CCCCO IEPI. There are several faculty participating in the academy. Faculty member, Denise Knight, is taking a lead on sharing the faculty perspective, bringing information back to the faculty body and engaging them in the day to day work.

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