

Basic Skills Committee Minutes

Tuesday, February 27, 2018
HS 119
Time – 3:00pm – 4:00pm

Type of Meeting: *Regular*
Note Taker: *Renée Nicovich*
Attachments:

Committee Members:

Present:

Riley Dwyer, Dean
Susan Lowry, Co-chair
Heidi Williams, Co-chair
Snizhana Bowers
Svetlana Deplazes
Diane Flores-Kagan
D. Scott Jenison
Vejea Jennings
Jamie Jones
Tyrone Mettler
LaDonna Trimble
Les Uhazy

Not Present:

Morenike Adebayo-Ige
Tiffany Castillejo
Michelle Hernandez
Wade Saari
Rashall Hightower-Stickel
Bonnie Suderman
Jill Zimmerman

Items	Person	Action
1. BSI 2.0 Certification	<i>R. Dwyer</i>	<p><u>Issues Discussed:</u> Riley reported that she completed the Certification report which was submitted in January. All of our FTS in Basic Skills fulfilled the six categories.</p>
2. BSI 2.0 New BSI Funding Formula	<i>R. Dwyer</i>	<p><u>Issues Discussed:</u> Our funding will now be based on FTS. Riley believes that this funding model is the same formula that will be used in the colleges in the future. BSI 2.0 has been in the works for a couple years. Requires that we create a plan that says how we are going to implement AB 705. FY18-19 will be a hold harmless year. There was discussion about the integrated plan. Student Equity cannot fund the books for the four 100A courses we added.</p> <p><u>Action Taken:</u> Basic Skills will fund the books for the four 100A courses.</p>
3. Assessment and Placement	<i>Lowry/ Williams</i>	<p><u>Issues Discussed:</u> Discussed assessment prep being done with the high schools. Discussed Accuplacer validation study. It was found that there</p>

		is no correlation between the cut score and ability to succeed in composition classes. The English Department will be reviewing cut scores and use of multiple measures.
4. AB 705	<i>Lowry/ Williams/ Dwyer</i>	<u>Issues Discussed:</u> Susan expressed concern that AB 705 will take ESL out of Community College. There was discussion about multiple measures in the different disciplines. Jane showed a chart they've been working on for multiple measures in Math.
NEXT MEETING DATES: March 27, 2018 April 24, 2018 May 22, 2018		

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