Welcome Back!

I hope that everyone enjoyed the summer and you are now prepared for the 2011-12 year.

We have much ahead of us this year as we continue to prepare for accreditation. Refer to the accreditation web site, self-study, and reference guide for more information.

As of September 27, 2011, enrollment numbers are:
Unduplicated Headcount: 23,238, (a decrease of 71 from fall 2010); FTES Estimate: 6,061 (a decrease of 145, 2% from fall 2010).

The SSPBT will begin meeting on October 5th and will continue the work that was begun in 2010-2011. You are invited to attend these meetings.

You are also invited to attend our Lunch Time Talk series where we have informal discussion about what is on our minds. Let us continue to work together so that we can continue to serve our students well!

Have a great fall quarter!

Stacey A. Cook, Ed.D.
Vice President, Student Services
Proposed Goals and Priorities for 2011-2012
1) Accreditation preparation
2) Budget and planning processes
3) Program Review/SLOs timeline
4) Communication
5) Measure C Space and Technology needs

The SSPBT meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Seminar Training Room, Seminar Building from 1:30-3 p.m.
SSPBT members: Marilyn Booye, Angela Caballero de Cordero, Tracy Chung, Nancy Cole, Stacey Cook, DASB (Leela Tanikella), Christina Espinosa-Pieb, Kevin Glapion, Jim Haynes, Michele LeBleu-Burns, Amy Leonard, Rob Mieso, Kathleen Moberg, Vicky Moreno, Olivia Patlan, Janny Thai
SSPBT agendas and meeting notes are posted on the De Anza website http://www.deanza.edu/gov/

New Dean of Counseling and Matriculation – Dr. Angela Caballero de Cordero
Angela became De Anza College’s Dean of Counseling and Matriculation in May 2011. Prior to joining us at De Anza, Angela was a faculty member at Allan Hancock College in Santa Maria, California. She started as adjunct faculty in 1992 and became a full time counselor and program coordinator in 1998. During her tenure at Allan Hancock, Angela served as Noncredit Matriculation Coordinator/Counselor from 1998 to 2011. She held a number of leadership positions including Title V Director/Transfer Achievement Project Director, Academic Senate President, and Spokesperson for the Latino and Multicultural Affairs Council. From 2005 to 2011 she was the Student Services Student Learning Outcomes Coordinator and developed the SLO models for student services. At the state level, Angela participated actively in several of the major committees of the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges (ASCCC) including Educational Policies, Professional Standards and Practices, Curriculum, and Noncredit.
Angela served on the ASCCC Accreditation and Student Learning Outcomes Committee. She developed a Student Learning Outcomes and Assessment Conceptual model, which received attention statewide. She received the Teaching and Leadership Excellence Award from NISOD in 2004, the UCSB Community College Research Assistantship Award in 2002, and the Minority Mental Health Traineeship Award from 1989 through 1991. She was an AAHHE Graduate Fellow in 2004.
Angela completed her doctoral studies from the University of California in Santa Barbara in 2005. Her dissertation titled “Self-Efficacy Perceptions and their Impact on Latino and White Community College Student Persistence,” examined self-efficacy perceptions before and after a semester of classes, and compared and contrasted two models of student persistence. This work was selected for the second place of the First Outstanding Dissertation Competition Award, a nationwide competition sponsored by the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education (AAHHE) and Educational Testing Services (ETS) awarded at the AAHHE’s Annual Conference in March 2008.
Welcome to De Anza, Angela!
Fee Increases
Increase in Campus Center Fee Effective Fall 2011. $17 for Summer 2011 and $24 effective Fall 2011
Student Body Fee - $9
Campus Center Fee - $16
Health Services Fee - $14
Registration Support Fee - $1.50
Eco Pass (effective Fall 2011) - $5 full time student & $4.00 for half time student
Material Fees - varies
If you have any questions, contact Rachel Tai, Cashiering Services Supervisor, tairachel@deanza.edu.

Financial Aid - Cindy Castillo with Marty Kahn’s assistance produced an informative and instructional video regarding Financial Aid on the Financial Aid web page. A copy has been made available for counselors to use in their Getting Started Orientation sessions. Click the following link to watch the video!!
http://www.deanza.edu/financial aid/test-video.html

Changes in Placement Testing Practices - Effective April 4, 2011 - In keeping with Matriculation guidelines and to better conserve limited resources, we are modifying placement testing procedures regarding re-testing. The changes are:
Students who have taken a placement test and then enrolled in a course in that subject area will not be able to re-test.
Students who have not enrolled in a class can re-test during the normal time frame (6 months for English, mathematics, biology, chemistry; 1 year for ESL) if they provide documentation of their preparation for the re-test.

California State University/University of California (CSU/UC) Articulation Survey Project
Renee Augenstein initiated a CSU/UC Articulation Survey Project in April 2011 with the support of the CSU Chancellor’s Office, the University of California Office of the President and the California Intersegmental Articulation Council. The goal of this project is to systematically update articulation officers across the state on CSU and UC campus-specific policies to support our articulation efforts.

Student Services Learning Outcomes (SSLO)
You can check out the latest information regarding SSLOs by going to the De Anza Accreditation web site, which includes Student Learning Outcomes. Coming soon is the SSLOs “How To” Handbook. All Student Services Programs have SSLOs and are working on ongoing assessments.

Sponsors of the Summer Bridge Program for Foster Youth
hosted a celebration on Wednesday, August 3, 2011 to congratulate the students for their hard work this summer!

FHDA District ID Badges are now available for Foothill, De Anza and Central Services staff, FT & PT faculty and administrators. You will not need to get an ID Badge every year. The badge replaces the paper staff cards distributed annually. Check the De Anza web site for further information.
http://www.deanza.edu/faculty/id-badge.html

New Faculty & Staff
Angela Caballero de Cordero, Dean Counseling and Matriculation
Ron Stewart, HTCTU
Hieu Huynh, Financial Aid
Justin Gilmore, Financial Aid
Wanda Lee, ACE Fellow 2011-12
Announcements

Facilities Update – Campus Improvements made possible with Measure C funds - As you walk on campus note the new construction and renovation projects that have been completed to the Admin. Bldg., ATC/CC Pathway, Cottage Bldg., Flint Center and Sunken Garden Pathway, Mediated Learning Center, as well as classroom renovations in many areas of the campus.

Admissions & Records
The Student Registration Guide is available at the students tab on the De Anza web page.
http://www.deanza.edu/

Disability Support Programs & Services (DSPS) provides programs and services for students with disabilities through four areas: DSS Disability Support Services, EDC Educational Diagnostic Center, APE Adapted Physical Education, HOPE - De Anza off-site
http://deanza.edu/dsps/

Veterans Services
Veterans Outpost Office is now located in Room 246 in the Counseling Center, 2nd floor Student & Community Services Bldg. Drop in during open hours, for an appointment, Shari Pasquali at 864-8230 pasqualishari@deanza.edu

REPORTS

Student Services Service Awards

10 years –
15 years – B. Johnson, T. Hunter, L. Torres
20 years – L. Mustachia
25 years – C. Magnin, D. Lydgate, J. Pena-Ferrick, F. Milonas,
30 years – E. Mann, T. Beggs, G. Sigala-Aguilar, J. Thai,
35 years – S. Kovach-Long, J. Haynes

Updates

Accreditation Team Visit – Monday, October 24 - Thursday, October 27, 2011

Team Members:
Dr. Raul Rodriguez, Chair, Chancellor, Rancho Santiago CCD
Dr. Loretta Adrian, President, Coastline Community College
Ms. Judith Ashton, Professor & Department Chair, English, San Bernardino Valley College
Dr. Tania Beliz, Professor of Biology, College of San Mateo
Dr. Lawrence Bradford, Vice President Student Services, LA City College
Ms. Linda Melendez, Assistant to Dr. Rodriguez
Ms. Alma Johnson-Hawkins, Vice President Academic Affairs, LA Mission College, LACCD
Mr. Frank Pinkerton, Dean PE/Athletics, Chaffey Community College
Mr. Gilbert Rodriguez, Dean, Liberal Arts & Sciences, Los Medanos College
Mr. Daniel Sanidad, Educational Dean, Instruction & Student Support Services, Mission College

DASB 201-12 Officers
Arvind Ravichandran, President
Shaila Ramos, Executive VP
Kenneth Perng, Chair of Administration
Pablo Zamorano, Chair of Finance
Saurav Agrawal, Chair of Student Rights & Services
Vivian Nguyen, Chair of Marketing
Amira Farah, Chair of Diversity & Events
Adapted Physical Education
Program designed to benefit and improve physical fitness to students with disabilities
- 864-8885, PE 663
- www.deanza.edu/ape/index.html

Admissions and Records
Processes student applications, registration, transcripts, residency, general petitions, changing records, etc.
- 864-5300, 1st floor – SCS
- www.deanza.edu/admissions/contact.html

Assessment/Placement Testing
Assesses skill levels in English, English as a Second language, Math, Chemistry, and Biology
- 864-8717, 1st floor – SCS, Room 143
- www.deanza.edu/admissions/placement/

Athletics
All-sports program for students interested in competing at a high level athletic competition (19 sports programs for men and women)
- 864-8745, PE Quad Building
- www.deanza.edu/athletics/

Career Center
College major and career planning resources (workshops, job search, resume writing, interviewing, etc.)
- 864-5711, 2nd floor – SCS
- www.deanza.edu/careercenter/

Counseling and Advising
Academic advising, career planning, personal counseling
- 864-5400, 2nd floor – SCS
- http://www.deanza.edu/counseling/

Cross Cultural Partners (CCP)
Pairs local and ESL students for intercultural experience to improve language proficiency, share culture, and exchange language
- 864-5385 – ATC, Room 304
- www.deanza.edu/langarts/1sl/ccp.html

De Anza Associated Student Body (DASB)
Represents the students’ interests on college and district committees developing college policies
- 864-8429/8694, Lower Level – Campus Center
- www.deanza.edu/dasb

Disability Support Programs and Services (DSP&S)
Accommodations and services, including sign language, interpreting/captioning & assistive technology
- 864-8753, 1st floor – SCS, Room 141
- www.deanza.edu/dss

Educational Diagnostic Center (EDC)
Assessment, accommodation and services to promote success in college courses
- 864-8839, 1st floor – LCW, Room 110
- www.deanza.edu/edc

Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS)
Support services to assist low income and academically disadvantaged California residents
- 864-8950, Lower Level – Campus Center
- www.deanza.edu/eops

Financial Aid & Scholarships
Free Application for Federal Student Aid, Fee Waiver, Grants, Loans, Scholarship, Work Study
- 864-8718, Lower Level – Campus Center
- www.deanza.edu/financialaid/

Health Services
Free and low cost health services to students (health education pamphlets, flu shot, minor first aid, over-the-counter medicines, physical exams, etc.)
- 864-8732, Lower Level – Campus Center
- www.deanza.edu/healthservices/

Honors Program
College-wide, interdisciplinary learning community for students with high aspirations and a strong commitment to learning
- 864-8833 – S33
- http://faculty.deanza.fhda.edu/honors/

Inter Club Council (ICC) and Student Clubs
More than 50 clubs that cover a diverse range of students
- 864-5432, Lower Level – Campus Center
- www.deanza.edu/clubs

International Student Programs (ISP)
Assists international students with registration, orientation, and counseling services
- 864-8826 – LCW, Room 102
- www.deanza.edu/international/
Learning in Communities (LinC)
An interdisciplinary learning communities program comprising linked courses and a cohort of students exploring topics and themes from multiple perspectives
  • Matt Abrahams 864-8534/Anu Khanna 864-8579
  • www.deanza.edu/linc/

Lifetime Fitness & Wellness Center
Offers a variety of workout options, including aerobic and strength development, memberships options available
  • 864-8505 – PE Quad Building, PE 6
  • www.deanza.edu/pe/fitnesscenter/

Math Performance Success (MPS)
A year-long cohort program to help students succeed in math, from pre-algebra to college-level math
  • 864-8851, 2nd floor – SCS
  • nebula.deanza.edu/PSME_Division/MPS.html

Occupational Training Institute (OTI)
Assists socio-economically disadvantaged students with high-quality training and employment services (counseling, career education, job placement and retention services)
  • 864-8869 – Seminar 1
  • www.oti.fhda.edu
    CalWORKs: State-funded, welfare-to-work program designed to help students on TANF
  • www.deanza.edu/otii/calworks.html
    Comptechs: Provides hands-on technical support internships for students and assist disadvantage local students by providing free computers
  • www.deanza.edu/otii/comptechs.html
    CalSUCCESS: Assist current food stamp recipients with free textbooks, gas cards, bus passes, early registration, internships, and job placement
  • www.deanza.edu/otii/cal_success.html

Office of College Life
Information and resource center for students, staff and community members (housing, book exchange, free legal advice, discount cards for amusement parks, etc.)
  • 864-8757, Lower Level – Campus Center
  • www.deanza.edu/collegelife/index.html

Outreach and Relations with Schools
Coordinates institutional outreach and recruitment efforts and work collaboratively with local high schools
  • 864-8327 – Seminar 3
  • www.deanza.edu/outreach/

Student Success Center (SSC)
Helps students at all levels build and strengthen academic skills in writing, reading, math, science, tutoring, listening and speaking.
  • 864-8485 – ATC 3rd floor
  www.deanza.edu/student.success

Student Success & Retention Services (SSRS)
Counseling and transfer services for students with historically low retention and transfer rates
  • 864-8470, 2nd floor – SCS
  • www.deanza.edu/ssrc/
    First Year Experience: Program integrating multiple fields of study and community engagement
  • 864-8470 – www.deanza.edu/ssrs
    IMPACT AAPI: Program supporting academic achievement for Asian Pacific Islander subgroups historically underrepresented in higher education
  • 864-8973 – www.deanza.edu/impact-aapi/
    Puente Project: A cohort program designed to accelerate university transfer by combining English instruction, counseling and mentoring
  • 864-8/31 – www.deanza.edu/puente/
    Sankofa Scholars: Program designed to address retention and success of African ancestry students
  • 864-8470 www.deanza.edu/ssrs/sankofa/
    Summer Bridge: Program designed to help students transition from high school to community college
  • 864-8470 – www.deanza.edu/ssrs

Transfer Center
Transfer advising, Transfer Admission Agreements (TAAs), university catalogs and university representatives
  • 864-8841, 2nd floor – SCS
  • www.deanza.edu/transfer/

Tutorial and Academic Skills Center
Tutoring in most subjects, help students with study skills, reading, writing, spelling, basic math and algebra
  • 864-8485, L-47 & S-43
  • www.deanza.edu/studentsuccess/tutorial/

Veterans Services
  864-8230, A & R - SCS Bldg.