

LAC Meeting Minutes April 16, 2019

1. Meeting started at 4:00.
2. Chair explained that CIE's external program reviewer would like to meet with some LAC members and assessment liaisons. She asked for volunteers.
3. Chair reminded members that CIE would be hosting an assessment workshop "Evaluation/Interpretation" on Wednesday, April 24th from 3:00 – 4:00 in Room C-325, and on Thursday, April 25th from 12:30 – 1:30 in Room C-325.
4. Information Sharing
 - a. American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) Annual Conference, General Themes:
 - i. Community Colleges & workforce development
 - ii. Culture change
 1. Get it done.
 2. We need to use data.
 3. These are our students.
 - iii. Using elements of Pathways
 1. Conversations ranged from beginning in high school to obtaining jobs that pay livable wages.
 - b. New Jersey Council of County Colleges (NJCCC)
 - i. Vision 2028: A Bold Vision for the Future
 1. Shared the new affinity group and committee structure.
 - c. Group had conversation about student role in learning and workforce development.
5. Meta-Analysis of Assessment Reports
 - a. Shared summative rubric
 - b. Shared 2016-2018 meta-analysis report
6. Discussion, *Challenges to Higher Education's Most Essential Purposes*
https://sr.ithaka.org/publications/challenges-to-higher-educations-most-essential-purposes/?utm_term=Challenges%20to%20Higher%20Education%27s%20Most%20Essential%20Purposes&utm_campaign=eml_sr_bowen_04_2019&utm_content=email&utm_source=Act-On+Software&utm_medium=email
 - a. Conversation led by Annemarie Roscello
 - b. Highlights of conversation:

- i. Is BCC driven by its values or something else? How do we know we are living our values?
- ii. How will we be learning in 2036?
- iii. Workforce development vs “being educated”
- iv. Is a 15 week semester ideal?
- v. Leading by example

7. Chair noted this was last meeting of the year.

8. Meeting adjourned at 5:00.

Submitted by Gail Fernandez