Guided Pathways Coordinating Committee Minutes

Date: Tuesday, April 9th, 2024 Zoom https://avc.zoom.us/j/86567587020?pwd=000i iYgQd3nMUw7QtHpMFGC6NNiymW.1

Time: 1:00pm – 2:00pm

Type of Meeting: Regular

Note Taker: *Michele Schottelkorb* Please Review/Bring:

- <u>Guided Pathways Coordinating Committee Agenda (04 09 2024).docx</u>
- <u>Guided Pathways Coordinating Committee Minutes (03_12_2024).pdf</u>

Committee Members:						
Position	Appointed by	Member Name	Contact	Attendance		
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Guests: Antonio Ramirez, Joe Michie, Tanya McGinnis, Rosalind Brown, Qiana Brown, May Sanicolas, Cynthia Wishka, Ty Steans, Irene Carbajal Perez

Items		Person	Action
Ι.	Approval of <u>Agenda</u>	All	Issues Discussed: Approved. Action Taken: Follow Up Items:
11.	Approval of Previous Minutes: <u>03/12/2024</u>	All	Issues Discussed: Approved. Action Taken: Follow Up Items:
111.	Opening Comments from Co-chairs.	Co-Chairs	Issues Discussed: No comments. Action Taken: Follow Up Items:
IV.	Regional Updates	Antonio Ramirez	Issues Discussed: No reports. Action Taken: Follow Up Items:

V. Mentor Collective Demonstration	Joe Michie	Issues Discussed: Based in Denver, CO – works with several California colleges and some GP – would like to learn a little bit more about mission at AVC
		We exist because we were wearing a lot of the hats that college folks wear. Wanted to help students who did not have help seeking behaviors.
		Looking at nuances of what mentorship is about. Been in higher ed for 20 years, primarily in California.
		Why did we (AVC) reach out about mentorship – found models that we like and want to see it successfully rolled out here at AVC. What is mentorship? What does AVC need?
		It needs to be adaptable.
		Maybe starting with affinity groups? I.e. Puente or Dual Enrollment or STAR students. Maybe pilot out of a smaller group, and then possibly roll out to embedded counselors. ATD folks were here and key concept was belonging – the ones also not in an affinity group, are ones we want to capture and help with belonging. How do we get students who might not be part of our current reach? Looking for students who might be in other areas from our own area – we might be a great mentor for students who are in other areas than ourselves.
		If you use technology to meet students where they are at. No one wants another app. They want what they are already using, so can be platform agnostic. It is important to provide mentorship that can help students who have the difficult, sometimes embarrassing, questions. This platform does not have to be the same thing to everyone on campus.
		We did have a previous mentoring program, that didn't get off the ground, so biggest concern is who does the program belong to. What if someone leaves? Joe can put us in touch with other colleges and how they handled this, i.e. Saddleback. Because there is a technological structure that is run by Mentor Collective, college can focus on key priorities at college (running the strategy), MC job does the recruiting, etc.
		Presentation began (recorded to view later)
		Mentorship Design & Management Recruit & Train Mentors Engage Mentees → Match → Refer Campus Resources – Track Metrics & Make Interventions → Impactful Mentorship → Inform Future Strategy
		Mentorship Design & Management \rightarrow Early Insights \rightarrow Ongoing Assessment \rightarrow Evaluation of Efficacy \rightarrow Inform

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Future Strategy
Much more of an intervention that an assessment.
What mentors do: Share, Explain overcoming challenges, Suggest path resources, Offer ideas, Normalize asking for help, identify obstacles, Direct mentees to resources
What mentees learn: There are people like them, stress management, how to locate resources, where to go, how to stay connected, how to register for classes, how to get involved, how to manage time, coping strategies
These are mutually beneficial relationships
Other things AVC might want – Mentors get credentialed as a trained mentor by an accredited program, there are additional modules (i.e. diversity and inclusion, etc) – all on demand classes.
When it comes to cost? It will be based on program designed. Partially funded by a non-profit. Less expensive than traditional. To do for all incoming students (base level pilot) – Cost will range from 20K to 30K (less than it would cost to hire someone).
What is the tech support from company and support to get up and running? Timeframe? Is this an annual cost? Would like to open to any students that need it, can this happen?
 Yes, it can be open to anybody – value is scale. As long as it is clear what is to be accomplished. The issue with opening it to everybody is that 1st and 2nd year have different needs than 3rd and 4th year. Same with first generation students. Will assess for workforce and self-efficacy. Need to be strategic for it to work best. Support looks like everything from thinking about design, what we want to accomplish, how do we get through accessibility process and tech, there is a team of 3 people on college end to meet every other week to start with presentations like this to. Probably be 2-3 people on college end will have dashboard access. Others will get alerts via email. This allows for more involvement. Have we found a host for this? Not officially, but area in mind.
Can you send proposal to Michele? Yes.
Incoming students – appr 2000k first time
This can be based on usage – tried to solve this problem by basing on population; 20 to 30% opt in as a baseline.

VI. Discuss Compensation for Student Success Communities and Possible Position VII. Open Discussion	Tiffany Castillejo All	Does it connect with Banner and Ed Sites? Yes and yes – can send a csv nightly to both. Continue conversation at steering workgroup meeting. <u>Action Taken:</u> <u>Follow Up Items:</u> <u>Issues Discussed:</u> No time to discuss. <u>Action Taken:</u> <u>Follow Up Items:</u> Issues Discussed:
VII. Open Discussion		Action Taken: Follow Up Items:
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NEXT MEETING DATE: 04/23/2024		