

# STUDENT SUCCESS COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, March 26, 2015

3:30-4:30 p.m.

Room 2314

## MINUTES

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### **1. CALL TO ORDER:**

### **2. ROLL CALL:**

**Present:** Dan Bryant, Teresa Doyle, Tim Johnston, Michelle Knudson, Kate Mahar, and Camille Mihele.

**Absent:** James Crandall, James Crooks, Cheryl Cruse, Jason Kelly, Lorelei Hartzler, Lyndia McBroom, Kevin O'Rourke, Susan Sawyer, Jennifer McCandless, and Shelly Presnell.

**Guests:** Meredith Randall

### **3. DISCUSSION/**

#### **ACTION ITEMS:**

#### **a) Review and Approval of Minutes**

Approval of the minutes from Feb. meeting was tabled until the next meeting as there was not a quorum.

#### **b) Discussion Items**

- 1) It has been suggested that the Student Success Committee, being dedicated to student success, retention and completion, take on the activities previously proposed for the "Retention/Persistence Task Force." Those in attendance were in favor of this.
- 2) In order to include the retention efforts happening across campus, it also seems prudent to include and interested faculty, staff and administrators who are willing to research, design, implement and track high-impact retention strategies. These interested people would be considered "ex officio" members of the committee while the work is being done.
- 3) An in-depth discussion on known high impact strategies ensued and took most of the meeting. One idea/action item that came out of the discussion is to re-envision the Research Office to include a data analyst/strategist who would work specifically on retention strategies.

### **4. OTHER:**

### **5. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**6. NEXT MEETING:** The date of the next regular SSC meeting will be on April 23<sup>rd</sup> 2015.

### **7. ADJOURNMENT:**

Respectfully Submitted,

Teresa Doyle