SPRING 2015 Part 2. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

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Wednesday, May 13 (optional day) Thursday, May 21 (optional day)



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Workshops are first-come, first-served!

Faculty Participation - Full-time faculty are required to attend four campus in-service days and contract for the remaining six days in either optional workshops or individually planned activities. Adjunct faculty may participate in on- and off-campus in-service activities with approval of immediate supervisor for the number of hours equal to their weekly assigned hours for the semester and will be reimbursed for their participation at their hourly rate of pay.

Staff Participation - Classified and management staff are strongly encouraged to attend flex workshops and staff development activities. Released time should be arranged with their immediate supervisor.

Small Group/Individual Projects/Student Info Tables - Prior approval from the Dean is necessary for this option. Faculty may use up to six optional flex cal hours per day on optional days to work on curricular activities.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2015

(Optional Day—6 hours)

Vacaville Center Orientation for High School Juniors and Seniors

Schedule of Events:

9:00 AM Students arrive at the Vacaville Center.

9:00 – 10:00 AM Orientation, Shemila Johnson

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM Sample classes (Science, Speech, Math, Computer Science, English) 12:00 – 1:00 PM Lunch (Provided by the Associated Students of Solano College)

1:00 – 2:00 PM Sample classes (continued) 2:00 PM Students exit the Vacaville Center

Faculty are invited to attend and observe. Depending on the success of this event it may be replicated at the Main Campus and the Vallejo Center. Contact Jack Schouten @ Jonathan.Schouten@solano.edu or 864-7000 Ext 4652 or Shemila Johnson for more information at shemila.johnson@solano.edu or 864-7000 ext 4693

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2015 (Optional Day—4 hours)

SCC Graduation

All faculty are encouraged to attend graduation as recently stated in a resolution by the Academic Senate of Solano Community College. An excerpt:

"RESOLVED that the Academic Senate of Solano Community College shares its commitment with all Solano College faculty members to encourage attendance of all SCC faculty members to honor and celebrate student achievement at Solano College"

A message from Academic Senate President Michael Wyly:

"Please make every effort to be there with us as we honor our students as they journey forward, empowered with the education to which we have all dedicated ourselves."

Contact Dr. Rischa Slade to participate; <u>rischa.slade@solano.edu</u>

Faculty Cap, Gown and Hood:

<u>Deadline to submit order: April 3, 2015</u> via email to <u>Thomas.Trujillo@solano.edu</u>. Info needed for Faculty gown rental: Name, Degree, Height and Institution

Faculty Cap, Gown and Hood Rental costs:

Master Cap and Gown set \$37.98 (includes cap, gown tassel and hood) Doctorate Cap and Gown set \$40.98 (includes cap, gown tassel and hood) Hood Only-\$20 Gown Only \$20

OTHER OPTIONAL FLEX CAL OPPORTUNITIES

- 1. Employee Compliance online trainings (Keenan). Contact hr@solano.edu 707-864-7128 for access to the website.
- 2. Innovative Educators Webinars. There are eight recordings of webinars that SCC has subscribe to that are available for viewing. There are two steps generally required 1) Enter personal contact information 2) Download WebEx to view the webinar. The webinars are from 45 min 2 hr. 24 minutes in length. The titles and internet links are listed below.

| TITLE | LENGTH | EXPIRATION DATE | LINK |
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| How To Design & Build A One Stop Shop For Student Services: Recommendations, Resources & Models For Success | 1 hr. 42 min | July 31, 2015 | http://ietrainings.org/2197 |
| Understanding Gender Based Violence and Bullying: Creating an LGBTQ Safe Campus | 47 min | August 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Higher Education Legal Issues | 51 min | August 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Supporting Adult Learners | 47 min | August 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Managing Classroom Behaviors | 46 min | July 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Supporting Basic Skills Students | 45 min | July 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Online Student Support Services | 45 min | July 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |
| Identifying and Engaging Unprepared Students: Practical Strategies and Techniques for Today's College Classroom | 2 hr. 24 min | August 1, 2015 | http://www.ietrainings.org/solano |

Links to all of these can also be found on the Academic Success Center website:

http://www.solano.edu/academic_success_center/faculty_resources.php