



Solano Community College

Academic Senate

Joint meeting of the Basic Skills and DE Committees

Agenda

Friday 5/11/18, 12:00-1:30pm, Room 135

Voting Members: Josh Scott (Basic Skills Coordinator), Vacant (English Basic Skills Coordinator), Barbara Villatoro (Math Basic Skills Coordinator), Candace Roe (DSP), Jose Cortes (ESL), George Olgin (ASTC), Dwayne Hunt (Administration).

Advisory Members/Guests: Melissa Reeve, Cynthia Simon, Isabel Anderson, Michael Wyly, Neil Glines, Sarah McKinnon, Shirley Lewis, Terri Pearson, Claudia Tenty, Pei-Lin Van't Hul, Peter Cammish, Rischa Slade, Dawn Carpenter, Ward Stewart, Renee Nichole Hamlin, Heather Watson-Perez, Erica Beam, LaNae Jaimez.

1. **Call to order** – Joshua Scott and Erica Beam, Chairs
2. **Comments from the public.**
3. **Update:** initial results of our recent DE/BSI and DSP conversations. What's happened, what is planned for the fall semester.
4. **BSSOT (Transformation Grant) Report.** Dwayne Hunt. As the Transformation Grant came out of our committee and is directly related to our core mission, and since we will be approaching the half-way point, it's time for an update on where we are with the grant and what work needs to be done in order to follow the plans the chancellor's office approved. Most specifically, where is the budget? What have we spent our money on, are we on task, and does it look like we will meet our commitments (TAs, professional development, chromebooks and other resources, faculty coordinators) through 2020? In addition to the budget conversation, of course, I hope we can talk about where we are with the 3 objectives of the grant. What's working? If we are under budget, do we want to consider other interventions?
5. **ESL Report.** Melissa Reeve and Jose Cortes. Melissa will update us on what she has done and learned this semester, and where we are with our ESL program. What's working? What's not? We will also consider any needed institutional support, including multiple measures and its interface with Canvas
6. **Math Report.** Barbara Villatoro. Where are we with math? What has come out of the math taskforce? What new courses or programs are being designed or modified? Have we seen any progress in math success or persistence? What's working, what's not, and how can our committee or the larger campus community be of support? How might proposed changes impact MM placement or the intake process?
7. **English Report.** Josh Scott. Where are we, what are we considering, what's working, what's not.
8. **Adjourn.**