



STUDENT GRADUATION & RETENTION SUBCOMMITTEE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 3/9/2018

Approved: 4/13/2018

CALL TO ORDER:

The Chair Dr. Jing Pang called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Roll was taken.

Voting Members:

De-Laine Cyrenne, Jocelyn Holdbrook, Hebe Mares (absent), Bernice Bass de Martinez (absent),
Jing Pang, Kyle Sasai, Nick Shepard, Mary Shepherd (absent),
Seunghee Wie (absent),

Non-Voting/Ex-Officio Members:

Francis James Dragna, Sue Escobar (absent), Amber Gonzalez, Julian Heather (absent),
Don Hunt (absent), Chevelle Newsome (absent), Jay Passi,
Marcellene Watson-Derbigny (absent)

GUESTS: None

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Agenda of 10/13/2017 was approved.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: Minutes of the meeting of 10/13/2017 was approved with one abstention (De-Laine)

INFORMATION ON COMMITTEE BUSINESS

1. OIR director Jim Dragna talked about the background of the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE). NSSE is a national survey of first-year and senior undergraduate students to measure their engagement in high levels of learning and development.

2. The committee started to discuss about the CSUS NSSE 2017 report and summarized the following items regarding high impact practices (HIPs):

- Male full-time students had lower response rate than female full-time students, which was generally true for most universities including CSUS.
- Compared with the other California State Universities:
 - CSUS first-year students had higher participation rate in two or more HIPs.
 - CSUS first-year students had the same participation rate in one HIP.
- Compared with the other Carnegie Class, and NSSE 2016 & 2017 Universities and Colleges:
 - CSUS senior students had smaller participation rate in two or more HIPs.
 - CSUS senior students had higher participation rate in one HIP.
- A breakdown of the HIP participation rate of the CSUS transfer students will be useful in the future report.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at: 3:34 p.m.