Campus Climate Committee

Meeting April 17, 2013

Present: Marshall Thomas (Chair), Anthony Cuomo, Betsy Decyk, Larissa Hamada, Susan Luevano, Corinne Martinez, James Sauceda.

There was no quorum.

Announcements:

Terms that are ending:

3 Student terms end with the semester. Students are appointed by the President of ASI.

Lecturer and Staff positions: Marshall will work with the Academic Senate to fill these positions.

Update on Student Satisfaction Survey: Marshall is working with Susan Platt about the student survey.

It is not expected to be administered until Fall, 2013.

Discussion of a staff/faculty survey:

Are any of the other CSU doing similar surveys? Larissa will check with her counterparts.

Faculty concern: faculty are originally excited about being recruited because of their work as contributing to diversity, but then disappointed when their work doesn't count for Retention, tenure or promotion.

Faculty concern: Cannot go to conferences unless presenting.

Gender Neutral Restrooms on campus:

There will be 8-20 single occupancy, handicapped accessible, gender neutral restrooms on campus Map of their locations will be on the Equity and Diversity website.

Upcoming Campus Events:

April 24: Women in the Military

April 29: The Invisible War, movie and discussion. USU Beach Auditorium, 5-7 p.m.

May 9: Deaf Culture, Psychology 150, 12-2 p.m.

Recommendations for Campus Climate Committee:

Build a bridge between Campus Climate Committee and the Veterans' Hospital Diversity Committee

Veterans' Hospital Diversity Committee does an event every month

James Sauceda willing to work on forming the bridge

Start developing a master calendar that highlights events related to diversity and campus climate

for each year.

Next meeting: May 8th 2-3:15 p.m.

Expected Speaker: Nancy Torres, Director, Staff Human Resources

Recorded by Betsy Decyk

These notes have not been approved.