



The Community College of Baltimore County

MINUTES

Learning Outcomes Assessment Advisory Board

February 23, 2007

Essex Campus

Members present: Jean Ashby, Bob Baer, Kathleen D'Ambrisi, Dennis Seymour, Karen Renaud, Natasha Miller, Rose Mince

1. Assessment Appreciation Day will be held on May 23, 2007 on the Essex campus

Possible topics: test performance agreement (connection between test and the syllabus)

How to use a rubric in class

Presenter Dr. Jeff Kenton from Towson University on assessment; must make sure he speaks to assessing two year college students

One hour formal presentation with 3-4 breakout rooms

Plan for a two hour program

2. Project Updates:

Student Services: Bob Baer on their presentation at the Teaching Learning Fair—audience experience interest in the project and approximately 12 people attended the session

Submitted a proposal to National Academic Advising Association (NACADA) which will be held in Baltimore

Will be presenting results from the Graduated Learning Plan project on Professional Development Day

GREATs: Rose Mince reported on the six semester schedule; three year schedule now complete

Will use Spring 2007 semester to catch up; placed call to those wanting to participate

Last discipline to participate is English 102

Scorers needed from many disciplines in May

ARTS and humanities scoring day was held in January 2007

LOAs: Jean Ashby reported on status of LOAs; will meet with MGNT team next week; emphasize the importance of all projects having a chair and co-chair

3. Office of the Vice President of Instruction will pay the registration fees for two people who are presenting at the Maryland Academic Leadership conference in Ocean City, May 30th to June 1st. Topic: Transforming Ourselves: Responses to the Spellings Report
Proposal submission deadline is March 30, 2007
4. Teaching Learning Fair a success with over 300 attendees and 27 breakout sessions
5. Peter Ewell article “Accreditation in the Hot Seat” should be read for next meeting
6. Brief overview of the CCSSE report by Natasha Miller
Please contact Natasha if you would like a copy of the report
7. Teaching Learning Roundtable update
Best practices subcommittee will visit other colleges during the summer to get an idea of what they are doing successfully and how CCBC can use that information to our benefit
TLR grants available and the submission deadline is approaching so please consider submitting an application