**ACUA Meeting Minutes**

**December 4, 2018, 1:30-3:00pm**

**Marston Library – MSL 136**

1. Welcome (Dr. Angela Lindner)
2. Introduction & Updates from Chief Diversity Officer, Mr. Antonio Farias
   1. Intro/Update – See PowerPoint “Presence & Belonging: Developing a Framework for Change.”
   2. Question 1: What is the greatest challenge in this space? Answer: The greatest challenge is also the greatest opportunity – “Decentralization.” We need to innovate for the future with new structures. How do we create a decentralized communication structure?

Question 2: What can ACUA group do to help? Answer: Help ensure new diversity liaison is empowered. “Be an ally.” Mr. Farias will share a list of liaisons with Dr. Lindner.

Question 3: Are there short-term ways of encouraging belonging? Answer: Operating at the grass roots level (Homefront) to Dept./College level, “I belong or don’t belong.” Mechanism: Advisory Council with student involvement. Force students to verbalize problems with belonging.

Question 4: Do you envision diversity committees as drivers? Where is that to be organized? Answer: Communications to set priorities/markers and adapt to culture. Inter college/dept. sharing of approaches.

Comment: Peer to Peer is key. “Tell a complex truth” where is good vs. where is bad.

1. Dean of Students – Updates (Dr. Heather White)

“Green Dots for Colleges” (See PowerPoint Presentation)

1. COMPASS Updates (Dr. Tammy Aagard)
   1. Andrew McDonald - Walk-through of Learning Analytics Dashboard. Class example viewing student metrics.
   2. Brian Kresinsky - Mainframe System/Sales Force
      1. Advising Data
      2. Dashboard – Lobby Management
      3. Will be sending survey to have sent to different groups.
   3. Fran Fiorello - Students Enrollment Dashboard
      1. Data & Reports
      2. Invite Data Analytics back in Spring
2. Repeat Course Petition (Dr. Angela Lindner)

(See Handouts)

1. NACADA Consultation Report – Findings and Recommendations (Dr. Angela Lindner)
2. UF Exceptions Survey 2018 (Dr. Angela Lindner)

Dr. Lindner is asking for participation to get a pulse on advising across campus regarding the use of exceptions.

1. Timely Graduation/Hospitality and Inclusion/Academic Integrity Focus-Area Groups Updates (Focus Group Members)
2. Items from the Floor

\*\* RSVPs (Unable to attend): Dr. Jeff Guin, Dr. Brian Marchman

\*\* Reminder: ACUA Focus Areas for 2018 (Dr. Lindner and All)

* Advisory Role Focus Areas:
  + Creating and Nurturing a Culture of:
    - 4-Year Graduation
    - Hospitality and Inclusion
    - Academic Integrity

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