FSDC Meeting 12/11/12

Present: Joss French, Carolyn Fallahi, Reginald Simmons, Lisa Frank, Sue Koski

Meetings notes:

1. Increasing enrollment in D-workshops:
   1. We need an earlier date in advance.
   2. Consider on-line training and application.
   3. We need to target individual faculty and encourage them to apply.
   4. Jacob will check in with Audra and Kurt for their insights and whether or not they like to move on-line or continue to provide in-person training.
2. Programming
   1. Jacob has had difficulty contacting Penny to continue the programming conversations.
   2. Building off NECME
      1. continued workshops at CCSU building off NECME speakers / themes
      2. work with facilitators to establishing continuing education (curriculum)
      3. NECME will be 10/16/13
3. Subcommittees:
   1. Policy
      1. Carl suggests that the FDC focus on curriculum
      2. Badges, albeit somewhat hokey, might be an effective way to promote diversity
      3. We need to create criteria for how badges are earned, what badges are offered,
      4. We need to get with registration so that badges are labeled on students transcript.
      5. Diversity minor (18 credits) is still something that we should pursue
   2. Programming
      1. Cady School visit is happening (again) on April 16th, 2013, the same agenda as last year will be followed. Laura has secured space, all that is left to do is finalize the agenda.
      2. Klingberg pilot will start this spring – CCSU students will visit the Center and talk to the kids about college. Then the Klingberg kids will come for a one-day visit.
      3. Next subcommittee meeting: 1/31/ 2013, 3:15pm, Vance 209
      4. If you have any students who are interested in volunteering, please have your students attend the NEXT MEETING on the 31st.
      5. Jacob will continue to contact Penny to develop a proposal for training.
4. Next steps:
   1. There is one-time money from the Provost’s office. We will collaborate with Carolyn to write a proposal about how we might use the funds for curriculum
      1. Statistician, GA - Carolyn
      2. Academics - Website development -
      3. Films-
      4. Printing colored brochures
      5. Carolyn will check with Audra and Kurt
   2. check with Rosa about establishing a website to promote / announce diversity events (Wordpress) (Jacob)