

Minutes of Stockton Advising Council
October 26, 2012

Members present: Paula Dollarhide, Cynthia McCloskey, Carol Quinn, Gabrielle Halliburton, Rich Trama, Ellen Mutari, Ron Caplan, Arnaldo Cordoba Roman, Pat Donahue, Mary Beth Sherrier, Amanda Freker, Debbie Corbin

1. Attendance was light at this meeting due to the impending hurricane, illness and other matters.
2. Bob Ross and Carol Quinn from the Learning Access Program presented a program on "Impediments to Academic Performance." Many different topics were covered as to issues students face, including stress, illness, sleep difficulties, concern for family and friends, relationship issues, overuse of gaming, alcohol, etc. It was a most informative presentation, and the duo is scheduled to present this an advising brown bag in the spring.
3. Amanda Freker, graduate intern in the Center for Academic Advising was introduced.
4. An update on the advising award: deadline extended for that award due to low application numbers.
5. Precepting days: October 30 and November 7. Members of the council took a moment to share their best practices.
6. The brown bags with the faculty panel and Donna Albano sharing her advising research are available on the advising YouTube channel at:
http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLq3J_zhDNwnIDDvZ6wTKztZhK8KL_ae221
There are a good number of views for each of the videos on the academic advising playlist. Good to know that these programs are able to be viewed by those not able to attend. Still need