

LACCD Student Success Initiative/ AtD Summit #3  
Steering Committee Minutes  
Developmental Education Pathways  
Los Angeles City College  
February 27, 2015

**Summary of Event:**

The LACCD SSI Steering Committee hosted its third summit focused on one of the SSI/AtD goals for the year, developmental education pathways. Los Angeles City College hosted the event in collaboration with District Academic Senate's Discipline Day. There were 35 participants at the summit. Our guest speaker was Katie Hern, from the California Acceleration Project and our panel speakers were from Pierce, Trade Tech, and Southwest College. Pierce discussed the use of math Statway, Trade Tech discussed an accelerated English model, and Southwest discussed piloting Supplemental Instruction in their courses. The panel was also heard by those at the DAS event, which allowed for more faculty to hear about different pathways in developmental education that are occurring within the district.

The next summit will be on March 27, 2015 at East Los Angeles College on Culturally Responsive Teaching and Learning.

**Attendees for Event Debrief:** DL Harrington, DO; Jessica Cristo, DO; Crystal Kiekel, Pierce; Cynthia Luis, LAMC; Clare Norris, WLAC; Kimberley Manner, WLAC; Dan Keller, LAHC; Jeffery Nishimura, LACC

**Event Debrief:** The SSI steering committee met and discussed the summit on acceleration of developmental pathways. The group discussed that it would be beneficial if the presenters in the panel brought with them a flyer/brochure about their programs-some did and that was great however it was difficult to distribute because the panel discussion was part of the larger DAS discipline day at LACC.

**ATD Retreat Discussion:** The retreat is scheduled for April 24<sup>th</sup>. The group discussed potential themes such as, "celebrating student success" or "ideas for innovation" or "barriers to innovation." They would like a discussion on how the district office would leverage some of these successes, perhaps invite the trustees. To highlight the work of the four summits, it was decided that there would be a newsletter created for the retreat day. Jessica said she would work on that and include the data from the surveys in a format so that people could see the programs across the campuses.

How to create safe spaces, community, and social event -Golden Circle exercise linkages. The group would like a time to discuss and meet with other BSI people in a more relaxed celebratory way.

Who can we have as a speaker? Perhaps bring in some students - those who have achieved through a new program or a community member who was once a community college member.

For poster sessions: The group would like to have at least once campus from each of the summit panels to present a poster on their program. These posters would represent themes from the summits.

A equity crosswalk would also be beneficial.

ATD Leader colleges should also present on their efforts as leader colleges.

Panel discussions at summit can include campuses that have collaborated together this past academic year on efforts related to student success. Also, they discussed the idea of having students w/faculty present on a panel, perhaps around a discipline, such as Math. Having students who have completed the dev ed sequence, listen to their stories.