

**Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences
Psychology Department Meeting
May 27, 2010**

MINUTES

Present: M. Braun, D. Cadman, J. Farias, A. Himsel, D. McPatchell (Compton), A. Simon, S. Thornton, H. Williams, M. Wynne

Absent: R. Mascolo

Meeting began at: 1:05 p.m.

Status of SLOs

J. Farias reported that assessments of course level SLOs have been progressing well but that he is in need of information on Psyc 16. He also reported that the program level report should be completed soon.

Plan Builder

G. Miranda discussed department plan builder goals that could be submitted to the enrollment management committee for potential funding. Goal #1 (increasing student success and retention in Psyc 10 via supplemental instruction) and Goal #7 (increasing transfer of Psyc majors in collaboration with the Transfer Center) both address specific goals that fit this criteria.

Compton Educational Center Report

D. McPatchell reported that all is going well in the Psychology program at the Center. David circulated a copy of the flyer for the National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology conference that he attended which included a PowerPoint presentation on the theme of why students do not succeed in an introductory psychology course.

Psychology Club

S. Thornton reported that the Psychology Club was going to attend the ICC luncheon and that the club members recently visited a museum at UCLA.

Spring Schedules

G. Miranda reminded faculty to submit their spring 2011 schedule requests and underscored the importance of not over enrolling their classes.

Meeting adjourned at: 1:50 p.m.

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