



Biweekly Report Template

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9/6/2017

Past Meetings and Events

1. Meeting with Dr. Brown, Dean of Graduate Studies – 8/23/2017
 - a. Discussed the need for Graduate student participation, services and programs offered by the Graduate Department, and upcoming town halls for reaccreditation.
2. Meeting with Dr. Dani Molina, Director of VRC – 9/25/2017
 - a. Discussed needs of Veteran students at the VRC such as improvement of academic advisement with Military transcripts, and more therapist/psychologist volunteers visiting the VRC. Confirmed that the Veterans Advisory Committee no longer exists; the Veteran's Affairs Commissioner will be the information connector from VRC to ASI.

Shared Governance Council

1. Preferred Name Policy – Working with Rene and Elise on revisions for Academic Senate Approval. Will be meeting with CCC staff/students for suggestions.
2. Read and Write Gold – Will be working with Kenya and Gonzalo in the Office for Students with Disabilities to address the need for Read and Write Gold and quiet test-taking spaces for students.
3. Reaching out and confirming committee times, locations and ASI's role in recruitment. Currently working on meeting with Marisa Marcerello to confirm SHAC information.
4. DACA Response – Currently researching the university response and resources for undocumented students in light of DACA removal. Meeting with organizers this coming Sunday to understand immigrant community needs and how to engage students on campus to help.

Projects

1. Open Deliberation: Advancing the Student Agenda at Cal State LA
 - a. Mapped out task timeline up until the event. Currently putting together the student and faculty taskforce as

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well as working on the survey with Marcos. We are working on finding the most important issues to Cal State LA students.

2. Club/Org Outreach – Planning to reach out to different student groups and give information about Shared Governance Council and recruit.



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