

Steering Committee of the College Honors Institute (CHI)

March 3, 2014

Minutes

Members Present: Daniel Bahner, Debbie Bogh, T.L. Brink, Troy Dial, Gwen DiPonio, Jennifer Floerke, Lorena Guadiana, Rick Hogrefe

Members Absent: Rose Guzinski, Julie McKee, Steve Ramirez, Gary Williams

Guest: Anthony Guaracha

1. The minutes from February 3, 2014 meeting were approved.
2. Students presenting and moderating at the HTCC Conference, April 5, 2014, were announced. Presenters include: Melissa Kalib, Adam Diaz, Ben Wallsten, David Wolf, and Maria Winters. Student Moderators are: George Diab, Andrea Lopez-Rodriguez, Alice Miank, Chantaal Elliot, Kate Ragusano, Rose Guzinski, Jerric Tubran, and Paul Shibley
3. UCLA TAP updates were announced: Four students from CHI were TAP certified this year, the spring 2014 Council Meeting is April 25, 2014, 10:00am-12:00pm, and the fall 2014 Council Meeting is November 14, 2014, 12:00pm-2:30pm
4. NCHC Conference will be in Denver from November 5-9, 2014. Jennifer submitted a panel proposal with Alison Primoza (Mesa College), Elaine Tora (SUNY Orange), and Tim Adell (Victor Valley) titled, *Leveraging Limited Honors Budgets to Maximize Student Benefits*.
5. 2014 CHI completers were announced: Melissa Campbell, George Diab, Christian Eliason, LaDra Grissom, Rose Guzinski, Mira Haydu, Mark Johnson, Melissa Klaib, Andrea Lopez-Rodriguez, Celene Medina, Andrea Mendez, Alice Miank, Matthew Rodney and Paul Shibley. Debbie will check to make sure that this is indicated on their transcripts.
6. The HTCC letter asking for donations that was distributed to all colleges was approved with the following changes; add that CHC students have won scholarships and ask about an online donation option.
7. It was announced that the next HTCC meeting will be held at CHC on March 7, 2014. Rick will come to welcome the visiting Honors Coordinators to the campus.
8. Rose Guzinski left the Ambassador's report with Jennifer in her absence. They are planning a trip to LACMA, UCLA and UCSB. They need two new Ambassadors to replace the non-active members. The committee agreed that the Ambassadors can be replaced by the students but should remain limited to five per year.

9. Other issues or concerns:

- Rick reported that the Tea with the Deans was a success with 3 Deans and approximately 150 students in attendance.
- Registration for summer and fall will be the same. Rick reported that if we do not enter the section/reference numbers students should be able to enroll in any section of that class.
- Possible summer Honors offerings include: SOC 100H, ANTHRO 102H, COM 11H, ENGL 102H and a HIST Honors class as well.

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