

Guided Pathways Update

Website Workgroup met 3 times over winter break. To check out the work Manuel and Albert have done so far, please refer to <http://pathways.riohondo.edu/>, accessible on a secure connection on campus. This is just a shell; most content still needs to be added.

- Marketing is working on:
 - Updated color scheme
 - Short videos of students and faculty for various parts of the website (tutoring testimonials, “why you need to see a counselor” video disclaimer above sample ed plan) I will follow up with marketing to get this ball rolling.
 - Pictures of Rio Hondo students for each AOI (I can help with this!)
- At FLEX day, main AOIs came up with:
 - a short description
 - a list of characteristics for the word cloud (adjectives or nouns that describe characteristics or interests)
 - a list of careers to highlight in the AOI webpage
- Above the highlighted careers for each AOI, can will add a link to the free statewide Career Coach for further exploration.
<https://ccc.emsicc.com/?radius=®ion=California>
- The program maps (Sample Ed Plans) will be finalized by the counselor team by Flex Day but will be vetted by discipline faculty in February before being added to the website.
- The College will build capacity for updating the LMI data, curriculum data and ed plan data on an ongoing basis. We need a plan for this ASAP.

Data and Infrastructure Workgroup, with members including the IRP and IT Directors along with faculty and classified staff from different constituency groups had its initial meeting on Friday, January 31st. The workgroup will look at our current software and review options for new software to create a student dashboard. The goal is that our dashboard will have the ability to cohort students by various indicators which will be determined by this workgroup (milestones, unit completion, online students, new students, etc.).

The group discussed current capabilities with Starfish and whether or not we will continue to use Starfish and Degree Works. GP Coordinators will be meeting with IRP and IT to review the current dashboard that Sheila Xiao is working on for Counseling to see if we can build on that for AOI Cohorts. It was recommended that phase one implementation for the fall would be to cohort students into AOI and reach out to students that are close to completion.

Student Success Team Workgroup has developed a working draft of what our Student Success Teams can look like. The draft Student Success Team for each AOI includes at least one of each of the following: discipline faculty, counselor, dean, data coach, financial aid expert and student services assistant and/or success coach. The draft is in its initial stages and will be refined in the coming weeks. Additionally, the workgroup discussed rolling out a Phase One for Fall 2020.