**Staff Development/FLEX Committee Meeting**

**Wednesday, March 16th, 2021**

**Present –** Michaela Brehm, Katie O’Brien, Teresa Martinez, Alice Mecom, Sable Cantus, Kathy Gomez,

As no faculty representatives were in attendance, a quorum was not reached so the Minutes of 3/2/22 will need to be reviewed at the next meeting.

**Updates –**

**Leadership Academy –** President Dreyfuss wants the college to wait for the new President to begin to determine whether to move forward on offering a new cohort experience The Steering Committee will be meeting tomorrow on how to move forward. This Friday the Leadership Academy Alumni event will still take place and there will be a speaker after the Alumni gathering that is open to the entire campus.

**Rio Talks Podcast** – One more Podcast recording will be taking place with Tina Kuperman this week. There will be three episodes ready to go after spring break featuring Tina Kuperman, Grant Tovamasian, and Diego Silva. Sable will put together an order for Podcast equipment and we will see if there is enough money in the budget and if we can get approval to order this by April 15th.

**R&R –** A virtual retreat will take place on April 8th, 2022 from 11:00-1:00 and all are welcome.

**Professional Development Task Force-** V.P. Miller convened a group of individuals involved with professional development across the campus to explore how to best integrate efforts. One recommendation was that a manager be in charge of reporting on and bringing the strands together. As Professional development is the purview of the Academic Senate, this would need to be discussed further with the Senate. This conversation will be continued.

This meeting adjourned at 3pm, with the next meeting to be on April 6th, 2022.