Language, Literature & Communication 2008-09

Accomplishment Description:

The LLC Division completed three major projects based on 2007-08 Unit Planning goals: (1) Curriculum development funds were used to create an online section for Speech 115, in response to increased student demands and new program requirements for intercultural communication; (2) Curriculum development funds were used by the English Department to support the curricular and logistic/articulation/transfer changes necessary for the conversion of 22 sequenced literature classes from 3 credits to 4; and (3) CD funds supported the development of a new literature course (Dylan) with wide appeal to both students and community members. In addition, a faculty member in Speech developed a hybrid Speech 100 class which involved the creation and integration of online modules (supported by Distributed Learning Dept.).

Strategic Direction

- Build organizational capacity and systems to support student success and effective operations.
- Achieve and sustain fiscal stability.
- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.

Learning Plan Goals

- Build capacity to teach curriculum addressing issues of race/class/gender/sexual orientation and other institutionalized systems of inequality.
- Curriculum enhancement.
- Increase support for innovation in instruction.

Student Affairs Plan Goals

- Develop and promote a seamless transition for students from Lane to four-year institutions of higher education, maximizing their chances for success and enhancing their personal, social, and academic growth.
- Strengthen relationships with high schools, transfer institutions, community partners, and employers to enhance the student's preparation for and success in college, career, civic engagement, and community involvement.
- Ensure success-oriented systems and experiences.

College Council Priorities

- 3. Efficiencies
- 1.e. Enrollment Management: Increase Credit Enrollment Level
- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention