

Science 2009-10

Accomplishment Description:

Provided student research opportunities: Physics faculty member Dennis Gilbert continued to serve as an advisor and Lane liaison to the National Science Foundation funded UCORE program at UO. The program's goal is to catalyze interest in physical sciences by providing paid summer research opportunities for community college students across the state. This year five Lane students were chosen to participate in the program. A Lane biology student was selected for the Oregon Health Sciences University Equity Summer Research Program. Both full-time and part-time faculty supported and mentored a wide range of independent study projects in all disciplines.

Strategic Direction

- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.
- Create a diverse and inclusive learning college: develop institutional capacity to respond effectively and respectfully to students, staff, and community members of all cultures, languages, classes, races, genders, ethnic backgrounds, religions, sexual orientations, and abilities.
- Build organizational capacity and systems to support student success and effective operations.

Learning Plan Goals

- Address the need for direct student support from faculty and staff as a crucial element of the learning environment
- Enhance student success and retention
- Enhance student transitions at all levels.

Student Affairs Plan Goals

- Ensure success-oriented systems and experiences.
- 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.
- 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.

College Council Priorities

- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention
- 1.e. Enrollment Management: Increase Credit Enrollment Level
- 1.f. Enrollment Management: Partnerships with 4-year Colleges and Universities