

**GLENDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTZ  
MULTICULTURAL & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
April 12, 2018 / 12:30pm-1:30pm  
SM267**

The Multicultural & Community Engagement Committee Meeting was called to order 12:32 p.m. with Paul Schlossman chairing.

**Present:** Rachelle Gilbuena (ASGCC), Nane Kakosian (CSEA), Sarah Mecheneau (Guild), Nancy Medina (Joint Faculty), Rachel Ridgway (Joint Faculty), Keran Oroudjian (ASGCC), Isaac Pedraza (CSEA), Paul Schlossman (Administrator – Chair), Anna Tsaturi, Hoover Zariani (Resource)

**Guest:** Anthony Garcia (Volunteer at DREAM Resource Center)

**Absent:** Elizabeth Bryer (Senate), Tina Andersen-Wahlberg (Administrator)

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES – November 9, 2017**

It was MSC (Nancy Medina/Isaac Pedraza) that the minutes of November 9, 2017 be approved.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Hoover Zariani**

- Anthony Garcia, a graduate from CSUN is volunteering at the DREAM Resource Center
- Anthony is helping update and create new resources for AB540 and undocumented student, families and allies.

**A.S.A.P Student Equity proposal**

**Hoover Zariani**

- Advocates for Student Access and Participation (ASAP) – it focuses on DI students in academic probation.
- Goal is to increase support network for P1 students
- Will be notified by May 11<sup>th</sup>

**Restorative Justice Center**

**Hoover Zariani**

- A new center temporarily housed in MCEC
- Resources offered for students who are/have been impacted by the system

**MCEC – 60 available positions**

**Hoover Zariani**

- MCEC is recruiting to fill 60 positions for 2018/2019
- SPARK Mentors
- Student Ambassadors for the office, DREAM Resource Center, RJC Center
- Students for Estudiantes Unidos Program 2018/2019

**SPARK End of the Year celebration**

**Nane Kakosian**

- Wednesday, June 13, 2018 in SC212
- All students from MCEC various programs are invited and recognized for their participation.
- SPARK Mentors and mentees who have gone the extra mile will be awarded scholarships
- Paul Schlossman will assist with funding SPARK scholarships

**UPDATE**

**Nane Kakosian**

- Legal Clinics
  - helped over 40 people with DACA application renewals and other legal services
  - 2 more clinics remaining for this semester (Thursday, April 26 & Thursday, May 24)
- STAR
  - trained and placed 24 STAR Mentors at Hoover High School for Spring 2018
- Estudiantes Unidos Project
  - A mixer for Latinex students organized by EU participants
  - food, music guest speakers, raffle prizes
- SCN Program
  - 30 FWS students are hired, and placed with one of our partnered organizations
  - Organizations are: GUSD, City of Glendale, Rock Teen Center, Social Security Administration, AGBU

**NEXT MEETING:**

May 10, 2018

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned by Paul Schlossman at 1:18 pm

**Minutes recorded by:**

Nane Kakosian, Student Services Program Coordinator  
Office of Multicultural & Community Engagement Center