NCAA Open Forums Recap

Thursday, March 24, 2011 11:00am – 12:00pm

Attendees: 23 people

I. Dr. Rosa Jones, Vice President of Student Affairs welcomed thanked and welcomed everyone for their attendance and provided an introduction of the NCAA process and purpose of the NCAA Self-Study.

II. Dr. Mary Tanke, Chair of the Governance and Compliance Subcommittee presented an overview of 1.1 Institutional Control section.

III. Dr. Susan Himburg presented on behalf of Dr. Douglas Robertson, Dean of Undergraduate Education and Chair of the Academic Integrity Subcommittee Committee provided an overview of the 2.1 Academic Standards principles and the Plans of Improvement that have been created for this section.

IV. Dr. Charmaine DeFrancesco, Chair of the Gender/Diversity Issues and Student-Athlete Well-Being Subcommittee provided an overview of 3.1 Gender Issues, 3.2 Diversity Issues and 3.3 Student-Athlete Well-Being.

V. Dr. Elizabeth Bejar, Vice Provost for the Office of Academic planning and Accountability informed every one of the next steps in the process to finalize the report.

VI. The room was open for Questions and Comments regarding the Self-Study.

VII. Ms. Christina Reddick from Recreational Services questioned how are the plans for improvement being funded. Will any fundraising take place?

VIII. Dr. Julie Berg explained that as items were coming to show a deficiency a budget process has begun. The next budget will have the budget for the Sand Volleyball coach the next budget will include the other coaches.

IX. Mr. Harold Clayton, Associate Director from Career Services asked how the destination surveys have been used with the Academic Standards over athletes and outcomes.

X. Dr. Rosa Jones explained that she does not believe this has been looked at and used. It’s not a question in the standards. There only appears exit data for plans after graduation. The issue is gathering data post-graduation.
XI. Dr. Steve Fain commented that people might want to know that it was interesting to find that when students were asked what they were pleased and displeased with students complained about food and not one student complained about parking which was very interesting.

XII. Dr. Jones concluded with that even though this is the end of a component of the process it's not the end of the process.

  o She encouraged everyone to read the report.
  o Any comments that are provided in the next week will be considered.
  o Thanked everyone for their interested and attendance.