Registrar Council *NOTES*

October 9, 2018 10:00AM – 1:00PM
Colorado Department of Higher Education, Emily Griffith Room
1600 Broadway - Suite 2200 - Denver, CO 80202
(lunch provided by CU Denver, Carrie John)

Attendance: *Tracy Barber (UCCS), Dennis Becker (DU), Carrie John (UCD), Lara Medley (CSM), Katie Pederson (Denver Seminary), Amber Thompson (LCC), Kristi Wold-McCormick (CU), Reid Kallman (CU), Joey LaConte (CU), Connie Sanders (MSU Denver), Heather Peterson (CU-Denver/Anschutz), Natalie Torres (Western), Brandon Fletcher (CSU Global), Amy Robertshaw (CSU Pueblo), Christy Holden (TSJC), Robert (CMU), Ann L (OJC), Michael Schulman (CCCS), Chris Rasmussen (CDHE), and Carl Einhaus (CDHE).*

Agenda

1. Greetings and Introductions and Welcoming of Chris Rasmussen, Director of Academic Affairs, CDHE
   Carl Einhaus, CDHE
   Carl introduced Chris Rasmussen, DHE's new(ish) Director of Academic Affairs. Chris provided a bio of his experience. We're happy to have him on the team! Chris, in part, discussed DHE's effort to determine which programs have waitlists in high demand industries so that we can see how we can assist in providing resources to expand capacity. Besides the health industry, Registrars were not familiar with which programs had long waitlists and recommended either department chairs or the admission council – Carl forwarded the question to the admission council at their Oct 11ᵗʰ meeting.

2. Discussion: determining the effectiveness of statewide transfer agreements
   Chris Rasmussen, CDHE
   Chris discussed his effort to study the effectiveness of the statewide transfer agreements and addressed the email he sent asking for how/if IHEs track Degrees with Designation. A few four-year institutions will code applicants with DWDs but not all do. It was decided that likely the best statewide data should be pulled from SURDS.

3. CO AACRAO creation of statewide group update
   Charlie Couch, UNC
   Charlie reached out to Carl before the meeting and shared that there is no update.

4. Electronic Data Exchange Update
   Kristi Wold-McCormick, CU Boulder and Carl Einhaus, CDHE
   Reid Kallman and Joey LaConte (CU Boulder) led a PP presentation on the proposed statewide electronic transcript data exchange project (in either XML or EDI). As part of the presentation, it was shared that in order for it to have the best impact, CCCS would need to be involved in at

least sending transcript data in XML or EDI as four-years receive the most transcripts from Colorado community colleges. Dennis (DU) shared that DU would be highly interested in this project as well. Michael (CCCS) has already started the conversation with the system office. Landon Pirius (VP CCCS) has reached out to Carl to schedule a high level concept meeting on the project with their VP of I.T. Additionally, Carl, Joey and Reid may present at an upcoming CCCS VP meeting. See the attached PP for a description of the project including potential benefits.

5. Updated Admission Policy, effective fall 2019 (impacts current HS seniors/class of 2019)
   Carl Einhaus, CDHE
   Carl shared that the statewide admission policy has changes starting fall 2019. He made clear that the admission standards are staying the same, but the way the standards are being communicated are changing. The index is retiring and instead institutions are promoting their 50% mid-range of GPA and test scores for admitted students, as well as providing a holistic approach to admission factors. Additionally, the new transfer admission credit hour threshold will change to 24 or more college level credit hours taken after high school graduation (is currently "more than 12 credit hours"). For more information, visit:
   https://highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Admissions/

6. Free Admission Application Day, October 30th
   Carl Einhaus, CDHE
   Carl announced the first ever statewide free admission application day scheduled for October 30th! All state institutions and a few private institutions are participating. It's a great way to demonstrate inclusiveness and access to families with financial hardship. More information can be found here: http://www.ciccollegeappmonth.org/colorado-free-application-day

7. Other Business?
   Question: When will the next gen Accuplacer scores be posted on the Dev Ed policy?
   Answer: The scores were approved by faculty, and will be approved the CCHE during the October 22nd meeting. After approval during that meeting, the policy will be updated with the new Accuplacer cut scores and distributed widely.

8. Next Meeting: *February 19th, 10 am – 1 pm – lunch provided by Kristi Wold-McCormick (CU)*