

Monthly Update, November 2017

CRN III Final Report-

Posted on OSHE website (www.state.nj.us/highereducation/)

CRN IV:

- ALP Conference with Peter Adams, Susan Gabriel, and Jesse Kiefner, 80 participants
- Identifying Needs for Consultants in Interim Report due 11.15.17
 - Recruitment- developing high school partnerships, working with parents, and recruiting students for college readiness now programs
 - Accelerated Learning Programs (ALP) for high school students in math and English
 - Incorporating student success course or other student success strategies into the college readiness now program
 - Using tutoring or other support services to increase completion rates for college readiness participants

Center Evaluation

Phase II: Conducting Phone Interviews- November - January

Recent and Upcoming Events:

- ADVISING AND STUDENT SUPPORT REDESIGN (supported by JFF/Gates)
 - Webinar with Mei-Yen Ireland (Achieving the Dream) on 11.3.17 at AAAG Affinity Group Meeting 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
 - Re-designing Advising and Student Support Implementation Institute Part I held on 10.27.17- 120 participants from 18 colleges
 - March 2, 2018- Advising Institute Part II by ATD, Middlesex County College
 - o Process Mapping Webinar, Sabrina Mathues, 11.28.17, 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.

CAREER

- o Career Conference April 13, 2018, Middlesex County College
- Career Training Curriculum Planning 3 meetings in November 2017

TEACHING AND LEARNING

- Teaching and Learning Conferences, Todd Zakrajsek-keynote and breakout sessions 12.1 2017
- Webinar: Using Problem-Based Learning Strategies to Boost Student Engagement, 11.15.17 from
 2:00 p.m. -3:00 p.m.
- o First-Year Experience: Engaging Student through Active Learning, Dan Friedman on 12.19.17
- Course Design Institute (10 Highest Enrolled General Education Courses/ALP/Open to All Disciplines)-Hybrid Learning Experience, June 4-18, 2018

Executive Director Transition Plan

2-3 Year Position starting July 1, 2018; Orientation Spring 2018

Funding

- Received Prudential Funding \$150,000
- Received JFF Consulting/Coaching \$21,000
- Approach: Sustainability and College-Level