

# Staff Development Professional Learning Mini Conference

Wednesday, September 26<sup>th</sup>

## Session One: 2-3pm

**Title: What the Office of Grants, Economics and Workforce Development Can Do for Your Students** Room 323

In this session, participants will learn about the special programs supported by what is now known as the Office of Grants, Economics and Workforce Development. These include the Teacher Pathway Program, Service Learning, and Non-Fullerton College Student Internships. Participants in this session will consider how they might connect their curriculum to some of the important high-impact practices represented by these programs and learn how students can benefit from these opportunities during their college experience.

**Presenters:** *Morgan Kirk, Service Learning Coordinator & Sandra Chavez, Program Administrative Assistant*

**Title: Library as Your BFF: Using the Library to Support Student Success** Room 325

Many faculty members teach courses semester after semester without fully understanding how the library can be more helpful than simply the place to refer individual students when they struggle finding sufficient sources. Come and attend this workshop to find out how the FC library faculty and staff can personally assist you and your classes to help you achieve more student success.

**Presenter:** *Val Macias, Outreach Librarian*

**Title: Supportive STEM: Programs That Help Students Achieve their STEM Dreams** Room 311

Many faculty and staff talk with students who aspire to pursue careers in health care and other STEM fields but might feel doubts about their capacity for staying on the pathway toward their dreams. Come learn about the many support programs in our Natural Sciences division that are helping students of all backgrounds to be successful in their STEM courses. The more we learn about these opportunities, the more we can refer the students with whom we interact and help build a stronger pipeline of diverse students who can succeed in reaching their academic and career goals.

**Presenter:** *Annie Bianchino, Professor of Chemistry*

**Title: Using Canvas in your Face to Face Class** Room 800D (TEC)

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## Session Two: 3-4pm

### **Title: How EOPS Supports Students**

Room 323

Learn about the variety of ways Extended Opportunity Program and Services (EOPS) support students with financial, educational and linguistic challenges to be successful at Fullerton College. When you know about how EOPS can help, you can direct students toward the services that will help them reach their full potential.

**Presenter:** *Cristina Arellano-Dueñas, EOPS Counselor*

### **Title: Referring to Student Health Services: What Support Can Students Expect?**

Room 325

Find about what Student Health Services can provide to support student physical and mental health. Available services will be covered as well as the process for referring students of concern for the mental health support they might need.

**Presenters:** *Kellyann Salazar, Health Education Coordinator and Dana Timmermans, Special Projects Director*

### **Title: Got Goals? How the Career and Life Planning Center Can Help Students Find Their Pathways**

Room 2029

We have all worked with students who feel unsure about why they are in college and what they want to do in the future. Discover how the Career and Life Planning Center can help those students learn about their options and find a direction that will motivate them to be academically successful.

**Presenters:** *Janine Cirrito, Coordinator and Jennifer Merchant, Workforce Center Coordinator*

### **Title: Course Design that works for all Students**

Room 800D (TEC)

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## Session Three: 4-5pm

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## 2-3:30pm

**Title: The Academic Support Center: Students' Ticket to Success** Room 312

Come learn about the various centers under the umbrella of the ASC that support students academically. Participants will learn about the Skills Center, Tutoring Center, and Writing Center, including information about Online Tutoring and which place is the most appropriate for their students.

**Presenters:** *Arthur Hui, Writing Center Coordinator; Giselle Miralles, Skills Center Instructional Assistant, David Sarabia, Tutoring Center Coordinator; and German Baron, Instructional Assistant for Online Tutoring*

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Room 325

Discover how the Umoja Program provides a place and space for students, particularly African American students, to find support and connection. Participants will learn about the programming and services provided throughout the year that help students develop a sense of belonging and engagement.

**Presenters:** *Alyeska Gutierrez and Micaiah Satterwhite, Umoja Outreach Coordinators*

### **Title: How Do We Support Students to Transfer? Transfer Center Basics**

Room 323

Supporting students to transfer is a campus-wide responsibility, but the experts at the Transfer Center know best the ins and outs of the process. Come learn about how the transfer process works these days and the information that's most important for students to know as they begin their own transfer journeys. The more we know, the more effectively we can persuade students that the Transfer Center is a valuable and necessary resource.

**Presenters:** *Cecilia Arriaza, Transfer Center Director*

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