

APIDA Center Steering Committee/Working Group

Meeting Minutes

July 21, 2021

3:00-4:00 PM

Purpose: To devise a strategic plan with overarching initiatives and goals with key priorities for the Asian Pacific Islander Desi (APIDA) Center to support and advance APIDA students' success

In attendance:

Steering Committee: Chao Vang, Dianne Hyson, Marcellene Watson-Derbigny, Marya Endriga
Tim Fong, Jeannie Wong, Pawan Wallace, Kevin Nguyen, Arielle Lingat

Working Group: Anne Cheng, Margaret Hwang, Seunghee Wie, Sai Xiong, Vu Tran, Chi Vang

1. Summary of Previous Meeting

- Recap of Student Focus Group/Student Survey
- Guest: Dr. Virginia Loh-Hagen, Director, SDSU APIDA Resource Center
- Marketing plan for APIDA Student Center

2. Updates and Action Items

- APIDA Center Student Survey and APIDA Center Student Focus Group
 - Almost 350 students have completed the Student Survey
 - About 20 students have participated in the Student Focus Group

3. Guest Speaker

Nkajiang Yang, Executive Director, CA Commission on Asian and Pacific Islander American Affairs

4. APIDA Center Student and Alumni Advisory Committee

- Dr. Seunghee Wee updated the Steering and Working Committees regarding the Student and Alumni Advisory Group
- Student Advisory Invitation Early August 2021
- Confirmation of members to the SAAC in Late August 2021
- Student Advisory Meeting Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec. 2021 (exact dates TBD) to support new incoming students

5. APIDA Student Leaders

Arielle Lingat and Andrew Yang provided updates regarding the APIDA Student Survey and Focus Groups within student campus groups.

6. Next Meeting

- Survey will be sent out for Committee Members to select a date and time that works best in their schedule.