Colorado Commission on Higher Education
Standing Committee on Student & Academic Affairs
May 6, 2016 10:45 am – 11:45 am
Location: CDHE, 1560 Broadway Suite 1600, Denver, CO 80202
Rachel B. Noel Conference Room


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Notes

In attendance:
Commissioners: John Anderson (Chair); Dick Kaufman; Tom McGimpsey & Jeanette Garcia.
CDHE and Guests: Wayne Artis (PPCC); Shelly Ray Parsons (Aims CC); Dean Allison (UNC);
Amy Getz (The Charles A. Dana Center, U of Texas-Austin); Robert Mitchell (CDHE); Ian
Macgillivray (CDHE); Shelley Banker (CDHE); Tim Flanagan (CDHE); & Carl Einhaus
(CDHE).

1. Introduction: Dr. Tim Flanagan, Chief Student Success & Academic Affairs Officer
   Discussed need for a member of the committee to attend the June 30 Complete College
   America convening on structured schedules and “15 to Finish!” messaging.
   Discussion on feedback regarding Relay Graduate School’s proposal to offer Colorado
   teacher licensure.

   Macgillivray, CDHE
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Guest Speakers:
• Dean Allison, Chair of Task Force and Director & Professor, School of
  Mathematical Sciences, UNC
• Shelly Ray Parsons, Member of Task Force and Professor of Mathematics, Aims
  Community College
• Amy K. Getz, Senior Consultant, The Charles A. Dana Center
• Wayne Artis, CCHE Faculty Advisor

Discussion on the final report and recommendations of the Math Pathways Task Force. Committee acknowledged the work is important and the recommendations hold promise for helping the Commission to achieve its master goals regarding completion and closing the attainment gap. Committee recommended staff prepare an agenda item for the June 2, 2016 Commission meeting recommending the Commission approve a resolution of endorsement. It is believed that if the Commission officially endorses the final report and recommendations that the higher education community may take it more seriously.