



# President's Advisory Council MINUTES

October 13, 2010  
Approved October 27, 2010

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**MEMBERS Present:** *Chair:* Rajen Vurdien *Deans:* Lisa Campbell *Managers:* Chris Kiger *Faculty:* Marcus Wilson, Sean Chamberlin, Markus Burger *Classified:* Pattie Foster, April Ramos *Associated Students:* Johnwilly Osuji, Ashley Glass **Absent:** Jim Book

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## HOUSEKEEPING

1. **Agenda:** The agenda was approved.

## NEW BUSINESS

1. **Accreditation Self-Study Dialogue:** President Vurdien welcomed the audience of faculty, staff, managers and students to the Campus Dialogue of the college's Accreditation Self-Study. He thanked Accreditation Self-Study Co-Chairs Dr. Sean Chamberlin and Dr. Toni DuBois for leading this important effort. The self-study was written by six teams of faculty, staff, managers and students focused specifically on each standard. The finalization of the draft will include technical edits to the document so that it is written with "one voice." The Self-Study will be presented to the Board of Trustees in a flash drive format for their review prior to the November 9, 2010 Board of Trustees meeting when the Board will provide feedback on the final draft. Dr. Sean Chamberlin, Faculty Chair of the Accreditation Self-Study, then led a discussion of the document. During the discussion, highlights of each area were presented by Dr. Chamberlin and feedback/comment was solicited from those in attendance. A review of the Planning Agenda items also took place. It was suggested that a Planning Agenda item be added stating the college's commitment to increase its focus on strengthening student success and addressing the achievement gap. Dr. Chamberlin concluded the meeting by thanking attendees for their input and commenting that this type of collegial conversation is exactly what the ACCJC would like to take place in the institution. Further, Dr. Chamberlin encouraged the college community to "sunshine what we do right around here" and become "problem solvers versus problem identifiers." President Vurdien conveyed his appreciation and congratulations to all who attended the meeting for creating an atmosphere of collegiality which will keep Fullerton College moving forward.

Adjournment: 3:50 p.m.

Debra Gerard, Recording Secretary