[**Guided Pathways**](https://guided.fullcoll.edu/)

**Pathways Steering Committee Update**

**February 12, 2024**

***Voting Members:***

Co-Chairs:Matt Taylor, Jennifer Merchant

4 Instructional Faculty: Kelly Robertson, Miguel Powers, Cynthia Guardado, Kim Vandervort

4 Student Services Faculty: Alexandria Rosales, Jon-Michael Hattabaugh, Rolando Sanabria, (need 4th SS faculty member)

2 Students: (n/a)

3 Classified Professionals: Gregory Menchaca, Bianca Gladen, Alejandra Alvarado

3 Managers: Dani Wilson, Ericka Adakai, and Connie Moreno Yamashiro

***Resource Members:***

Director of EPP Promise/FYE: Valerie Salazar

Faculty Coordinator of FYE: Kim Vandervort

Student Services Coordinator FYE: n/a

Professional Learning Committee Liaison: Cynthia Guardado

SEAC Liaison: Daniel Berumen, Jorge Gamboa

Campus Communications Liaison: n/a

Enrollment Services Liaison: Albert Abutin and Rena Martinez-Stluka

Office of Institutional Effectiveness Liaison: Megan Harris

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1. **Guided Pathways Update**
   1. Mindful Growth & FYE now under the Guided Pathways Office
      1. TEC (Teaching Effectiveness Center) will now be an office space for FYE and Mindful Growth
2. **Starfish**
   1. Starfish Implementation Update
      1. Attributes

Over the winter break we were able to add to add the attribute of Race/Ethnicity to Starfish. This attribute will allow program and cohort support staff to identify and dedicate race conscious engagements.

* + 1. Website & Canvas shell – Starfish Resources

New Starfish supports are now available to the campus. They include:

* + - 1. Canvas Shell for Students: [**https://fullcoll.instructure.com/enroll/EPBMWG**](https://fullcoll.instructure.com/enroll/EPBMWG)
      2. Canvas Shell for Faculty and Classified Professionals: [**https://fullcoll.instructure.com/enroll/RKYMMT**](https://fullcoll.instructure.com/enroll/RKYMMT)
      3. Website Supports for Starfish: <https://guided.fullcoll.edu/starfish/>
  1. V.A.R ([Vision Aligned Reporting](https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/Educational-Services-and-Support/vision-aligned-reporting))

The state has changed the way that the district and our college will report student success and student engagement data. For a complete overview of Vision Aligned Reporting we have provided the hyperlink above that will take you to the state website. The Chancellor and President announced that Starfish, where applicable, will be used to help collect data for the VAR. This will primarily impact the development of KIOSKs, both virtual and in person, and appointments. The Guided Pathways Office is working in collaboration with the Office of Institutional Effectiveness to help programs integrate the use of Starfish to meet VAR reporting requirements and offer support when and where needed.

1. **FYE Update**
   1. First Year Experience is continuing to develop and grow based on the feedback from the Spring and Fall 2023 faculty embedded engagement pilots and initial Fall 2023 badging system rollout as well as guidance from administration. New in Spring 2024:
   2. FYE has been moved out of Student Services and into Instruction as part of the Guided Pathways office. We are looking forward to opening a new physical space in the TEC in the near future.
   3. 29 faculty are now embedding one or more FYE engagements in 48 course sections across the following disciplines: English, Mathematics, Business, Counseling, Real Estate, Art, and Art History. Participation in FYE ranges from fully embedded FYE-focused learning units to FYE-focused assignments, activities, and announcements sprinkled in over the course of the semester.
   4. The Hornets Experience badging program continues as a means to incentivize participation in FYE engagements experienced both inside and outside of the classroom. Students can redeem prizes like Stanley cups, bucket hats, and bookstore gift cards for earning key area badges, and students who complete the entire FYE pathway of 16 engagements will be entered into a drawing for a prize valued at $250.
   5. We will be hosting our First Year Celebration in May 2024 to honor all FC students who have completed their first semester (Spring 2024 starters) or year at FC. Date is yet to be confirmed.
2. **ZTC/OER (Zero Textbook Cost/Open Educational Resources) Update** 
   1. OER Liaison /ZTC Coordinator Position
      1. Jackie Margo is the current OER Liaison and ZTC Program Grant Coordinator. Jackie will serve in this role until the end of spring 2024
      2. Faculty Senate is holding elections for an OER Liaison and ZTC Program Grant Coordinator
   2. Communication Studies is meeting with Jackie to continue their work becoming Fullerton’s first ZTC Program.
   3. Jackie is also meeting with the Math Department to begin a conversation to determine what we would need to do to increase use of ZTC materials in our introductory transfer level Math courses.
3. **Mindful Growth Update**
   1. MGI, Mindful Growth Initiative (Deidre Hughes, Porsha Boyd, and a couple of others) have developed a Canvas course, *Equity-Minded Well-Being Practices for FC Students* to include mindfulness resources and practices, it's now available to integrate into FC Canvas shells. Access it [here](https://lor.instructure.com/resources/2a7f77e7dc1d470a8d0c994b6aecbaba?shared).
   2. MGI is partnering more closely with FYE to offer first year courses an introduction to mindfulness asynchronously, in-person, and/or via Zoom ranging from a brief intro and a guided practice to a more in-depth workshop
   3. The move to GP and the Library Division has already facilitated closer collaborations with EOPS and Re-Entry. We had a well-attended workshop with Re-Entry on 2/21 that prompted scheduling two more workshops.
   4. Mindful Growth are looking forward to integrating Starfish into our offerings to gather more in-depth and accurate data for efficacy-analysis. We also want to expand our offerings to faculty, staff, and students partnering with PLC and the Health Center.