



**Oklahoma City Community College  
Minutes of Leadership Team Meeting  
January 29, 2009  
John Massey Center, 3:30 p.m.**

**Attending**

Present: Felix Aquino, Regent Ben Brown, Tamara Carter, Vicki Gibson, Stu Harvey, Carlotta Hill, Darby Johnsen, Paige Landreth, Liz Largent, Gary Lombard, J.B. Messer, Joyce Morgan-Dees, Janet Perry, Max Simmons, Jerry Steward, Susan VanSchuyver, Anita Williams, Mary Williams, Sonya Williams, Paul Sechrist, Jim Riha, Penny Hampton, Stephen Crynes, Ruth Charnay, Gus Pekara, Harold Case, Jacki Stirn, and Debra Stuart.

**Activities and Discussion**

Stu Harvey began the meeting by welcoming everyone.

President Sechrist introduced Dr. Debra Stuart, Vice Chancellor for Educational Partnerships at Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education (OSRHE). Stu Harvey invited Dr. Stuart to report on Achieving the Dream (AtD) activities at OSRHE.

Dr. Debra Stuart disseminated hard copies of the 2008-2009 Oklahoma State Policy Work Plan for AtD. She gave an overview of the work plan and explained the policy priorities and expected outcomes at the state level. Dr. Stuart stated that assisting community colleges in measuring success is a high priority of the OSRHE.

Stu then invited Joyce Morgan-Dees to present data from the AtD Data Team. Joyce Morgan-Dees and Stephen Crynes presented an update on AtD cohort composition, course success, and persistence data.

Stu led a discussion of the data that was presented.

Stu discussed tentative schedules and explained that Dr. Wayne Giles and Ms. Jacki Stirn would like to have some preliminary recommendations at their next visit on April 15, 2009. Stu stated the College will work to implement these recommendations next year.

Stu discussed budgets and explained that he must submit resource allocations by February 11, 2009. Stu asked that group to email him with any budget requests.

Mr. Harold Case introduced Dr. Alicia Harris to the group and stated that Dr. Harris is the new Assistant Director of Student Financial Aid Programs and Services.

Meeting adjourned.

**Follow-up**

**The next AtD Leadership Team meeting will be Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m. in College Union 1 & 2.**

**The next meeting of the AtD Steering Committee will be Monday, March 9 at 12:00 noon in College Union 2.**