

## **Accreditation – Day Two**

## Greetings Foothill,

It is the second day of the accreditation visit, and things are going well. As I write this communiqué, the open forum is occurring at Hearthside Lounge.

The second public forum will be tomorrow (Wednesday) at 10:00 am in the Hearthside Lounge. (Please note the time change.) Feel free to come and share your thoughts on the accreditation Institutional Self-Evaluation Report.

I had several meetings with the visiting team members today, and am so proud of the work you are all doing. A couple of the team members commented to me on how well written the Institutional Self-Evaluation Report is. Although the baccalaureate program and Sunnyvale Center were successfully reviewed last year, the team also focused on those two areas — as expected. One asked me how the college assesses its effectiveness, and I spoke confidently and proudly about how Foothill is a college that is constantly reflective on how it could do better. I gave a few examples (evidence of that), of course. One of them even said to me that it is apparent that I am having fun at Foothill.

As questions were coming in from the team members, various meetings such as President's Cabinet were conducted to go over the questions, provide answers, and identify evidence documentation. Again, if you have any questions about the accreditation process and want to access the report, go to <a href="https://foothill.edu/accreditation/index.html">https://foothill.edu/accreditation/index.html</a>.

One clear evidence of the incredible teamwork and college spirit of Foothill College is our enrollment. Yesterday was census day for fall quarter, and our enrollment report showed that we are <u>positive</u> 0.4% FTES! Dr. **Kristy Lisle** and I look forward to providing a brief enrollment report as part of the E<sup>2</sup>SG Strategic Objectives agenda item tomorrow at our PaRC governance meeting.

## And the winner is . . .

Congratulations to **Monica Garcia**, Executive Assistant to Vice Chancellor for Human Resources and Equal Opportunity. Within 3 minutes of my communiqué, **Monica** was the first to answer.



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