



# COLLEGE UPDATES

April 2024

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- Facilities Update Al Gonzales
  - PAC/TS3/Admin: Replace Air Handling Units (AHU); Need to communicate plan to campus community
  - SU: Relocate AHU; Receiving dock operations relocation in progress; Food services moving to LS
  - SU: Schedule roof repairs - Awaiting start date
  - Renovate MU-1 Recording and Performance Studio: Awaiting Start Date (8 May 2024)
  - STEM Center: Under design schedule w/completion date of 30 June 2024
  - MU-1 Sound Mitigation: Soliciting proposals for amended scope of work
  - PS Chemical Storage Room: Test and Balance survey in progress. Awaiting roof unit measurements
  - Admin: Awaiting for downtime to install door to create circulation access for Dual Enrollment and Early Outreach
  - PAC: Fire curtain installation scheduled in August
  - GCCN: Soliciting door replacement of A complex buildings
  - GCCN: Replace flooring in the "E" building; Water migration issue that was discovered in the B, C and D buildings. Awaiting next allocation of DM fundings - July 2024
  
- Strategic Planning Update George Gregg
  - **New Strategic Plan development.**
    - The **Strategic Plan Design Team (SPDT)** is currently holding ten Focus Group listening sessions to elicit feedback from our college community about identified strengths, areas for improvement, and possible areas of focus for our next 3-year college Strategic Plan ("Focus 2027"). George Gregg has been facilitating these sessions.
    - The list of Focus Groups, each based on a particular session topic, is [here](#). Collaborative notes are linked for each session. All listening sessions are scheduled to complete on Friday, April, 26, 2024.
    - Each listening session has had, on average, about 30 attendees. Considering duplicated attendances, at least 100 unique individuals have participated in this process. The feedback has been robust and constructive. We have included an option for providing feedback outside of the sessions for those who wish to do so, with their feedback incorporated in the notes later, and several people have taken advantage of this opportunity.
    - In summer2024, the SPDT will work on collating and synthesizing the feedback from these sessions to inform the discussions in fall that will lead to subject matter expert interviews and, ultimately, the development of the initial drafts of the new strategic plan.
    - The new strategic plan (tentatively named "Focus 2027") is expected to be completed by mid-to-late Fall 2024.
  - **Strategy Execution and 4DX.**

- The **4DX Celebration Summit** last week was a great success! Over 100 attendees participated in-person and online. Summit Awardees and Coaches were celebrated, and the Chancellor will also be following up with a shout-out to those recognized. We appreciate our Coaches for all their hard work to support our teams in strategy execution!
- Many thanks to **Kirt Shineman** for his excellent work coordinating the Celebration Summit event! We received many compliments on the decoration, setup and Run of Show. Thanks also to those who helped out behind the scenes: **Esme Acosta, Joe Ranus, Viktor Serov, Renee Nash!** And thanks again to **Jackie Gonzalez** for her awesome trailblazing work last year to help us set up a structure for this year's event!
- The District has established a working group to examine how to improve 4DX for our teams. The **4DX SME / Operational Implementation Team** is a systemwide group tasked with reviewing the recommended frameworks from the 4DX Redesign task force and creating an operational plan to implement the recommendations to improve 4DX and adapt it to our needs. The team will be meeting through the summer, and President Hernandez and George Gregg are representing GCC on this team.
- GCC will be launching its **End-of-Year 4DX Check-In Survey** on (or about) May 1, 2024. This short survey will be a quick poll of user experience with 4DX as a tool to facilitate goal-setting and strategy execution. The feedback from this survey will be helpful as we work with the District team to improve and amend 4DX for our needs. Please be on the lookout for this survey in the coming days, and thank you in advance for your feedback!

- Assessment Update

Julie Morrison

- Please join us April 22-26 for Spring Assessment Week! Check [GAUCHO](#) and your email for more information.