

2021-2022 Town Hall Meeting for Faculty & Staff

February 8, 2022

Land Acknowledgment

On behalf of the Seattle College, we acknowledge that we occupy the traditional ancestral lands of the Coast Salish peoples, specifically the Duwamish Tribe—a people that are still here, continuing to honor and bring to light their ancient heritage.

Without them/us, we would not have access to this gathering, dialogue and learning space.

We ask that we take this opportunity to thank the original caretakers of this land who are still here.

Labor Acknowledgement

Today in this Present Moment, we honor the survival, the adaptations, the forced assimilation, and the resilience and creativity of Native peoples – past, present, and future.

We encourage participants to consider their responsibilities to the people and land, both here and elsewhere, and to stand in solidarity with Native, Indigenous, and First Nations People, and their sovereignty, cultural heritage, and lives.

We recognize that enslaved and indentured peoples were forced into unpaid and underpaid labor in the construction of this country, state and city.

To the people who contributed this immeasurable work and their descendants, we acknowledge our/their indelible mark on the space in which we gather today.

It is our collective responsibility to critically interrogate these histories, to repair harm, and to honor, protect, and sustain this land.



Overview

- Kudos
- Update
- Q&A



Kudos!

- Speed Networking Week

Campus Events

- Lunar New Year Event – BE Atrium
 - Today, February 8 from 12pm-12:30pm
- Spirit, Activism, and Mothering with Dr. Rosemarie Freeney Harding
 - Zoom
 - Today, February 8 from 4pm-5pm
- Development Day – Zoom
 - Wednesday, February 9 from 9am-4pm
 - Keynote with Dr. Paul Gorski
 - Embracing and Enacting a Transformative Vision for Antiracism
- Development Day Follow-up Workshop with Dr. Paul Gorski – Zoom
 - Wednesday, February 16 from 2pm-4pm

New Hires

- Jeremy Beckwith, Safety & Security
- NeeCee Davis, Wood Technology Center
- Margaret Harrison, Admissions & Outreach
- Shellie Mckissick, Nursing

Budget Update

- We are not closing in 12/2023
- For more information please attend the Board of Trustees Meeting – Zoom
 - Thursday, February 10
- Reduce administrative overhead cost (for positions associate deans and above) by 15% (across the district/colleges=roughly \$1.4 million) has been widely communicated.
- VC Kurt Buttleman, Vice Presidents, college presidents, and chancellors are working on identifying academic programs that may be closed, restructured, or consolidated. College VPIs are working with instructional administrators across the colleges to explore options, defining criteria for program closure or consolidation. More importantly, academic administrators, including workforce deans, are also exploring opportunities for initiating new programs or revising existing programs, based on employer needs and student demand.

Winter 2022 Student Services Hours of Operation

- In person services from 10am-3pm every TWTh until further notice
 - Drop in services from 10am-3pm every TWTh for core services (Advising, Cashiering)
- Remote services provided daily w/a few exceptions
- Counseling Center will operate remotely for winter quarter.
- Student Services will be shutting down on PDD on 2/9



Winter 2022 Student Vaccination Attestation (SVA) & COVID Rates

College	Percent Students Attesting Fully Vaccinated	Percent Students with Religious or Medical Exemptions
North Seattle College	95.60%	4.40%
Seattle Central College	95.77%	4.23%
South Seattle College	94.87%	5.13%

Confirmed Cases

Confirmed Cases	Dec. 27-31 2021	Jan. 2-8 2022	Jan. 9-15	Jan. 16-22	Jan. 23-29
North Seattle College	1	18	7	9	7
Seattle Central College	5	11	27	20	9
South Seattle College	4	21	19	19	6
South - Georgetown Campus	*	1	4	3	1
Central - Wood Technology Center	*	0	6	2	1
Central - Maritime Academy	*	0	3	2	0
Central - Health Education Center	*	2	4	1	3
District - Siegal Center	*	1	5	0	0

Confirmed Cases on Campus	Jan. 9-15	Jan. 16-22	Jan. 23-29
North Seattle College	2	4	1
Seattle Central College	8	8	5
South Seattle College	6	10	2
South - Georgetown Campus	2	3	0
Central - Wood Technology Center	1	1	0
Central - Maritime Academy	1	0	0
Central - Health Education Center	0	0	1
District - Siegal Center	1	0	0

Random Verification of Student Vaccination Attestation

Where are we at right now?

- District committee to finalize the process
- Random selection of students using software
- Ample opportunities for students to provide proof
- Pilot project completion in spring quarter
- Start with a small sample size

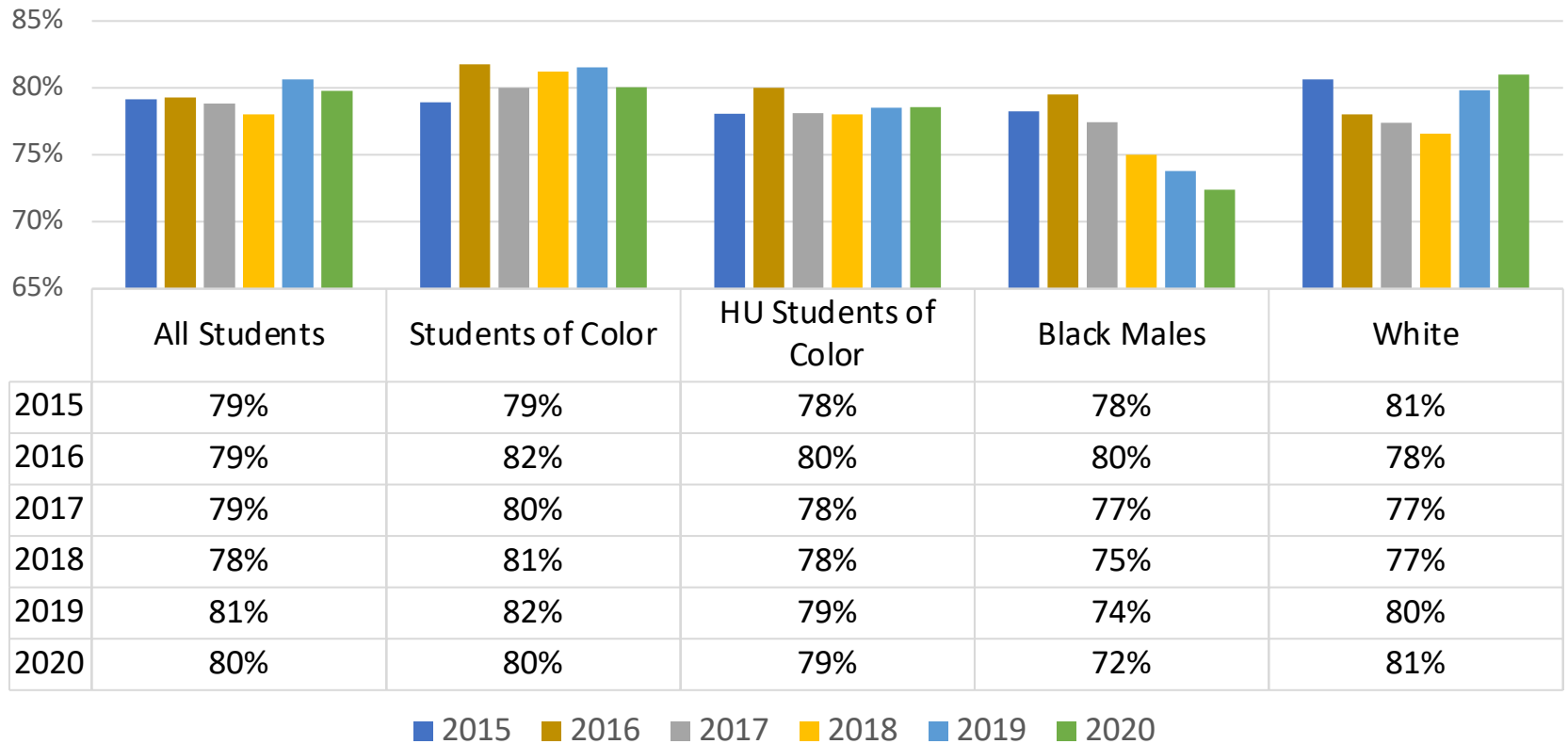


**Instruction Update:
Enrollment
Accreditation
Guided Pathway
Title III**

Enrollment (FTEs)

Students	Winter 2022	Winter 2021
Total FTEs:	3,925	4,709 (-17%)
State funded:	3,613	3,488 (+4%)
International:	325	486 (-33%)
Running Start:	417	521 (-20%)

First Fall - First Winter Retention

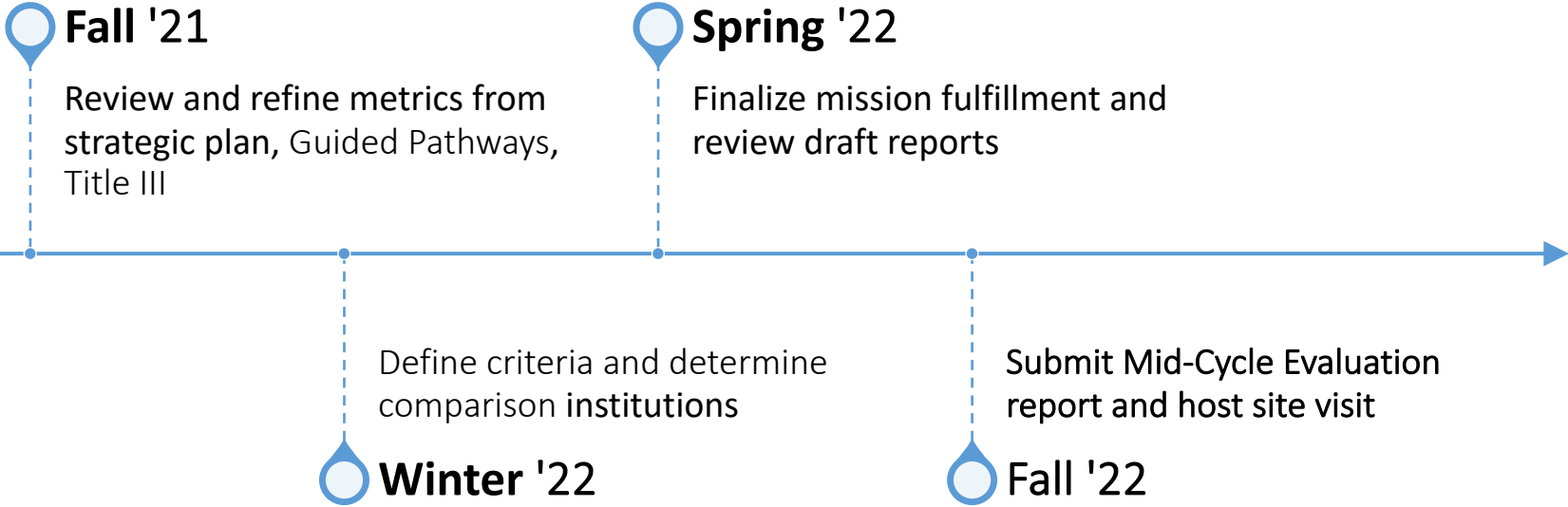


Data Source: SBCTC FTEC Dashboard
 Criteria: All Cohorts; Summer & Fall Starts

Guided Pathways Supporting Momentum Gains

- Intake and Onboarding
- Interest/skills, Transfer, and Career Exploration
- Educational planning in Advising
- Employee Development Opportunities
- First-year Experience
- Placement & Co-reqs for Math and English
- Umoja Scholars Program

Accreditation Steering Committee Work: Focus on Mid-Cycle Evaluation Report



As an open-access learning institution, Seattle Colleges prepares each student for success in life and work, fostering a diverse, engaged, and dynamic community.

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Student Success



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Administrative Services Update

- Facilities Operations & Management Advisory Committee ([FOMAC](#))
- The purpose of the Facilities Operations & Management Advisory Committee (FOMAC) is to provide a multi-disciplinary review team leading to recommendations regarding facilities and operations issues.
- Discuss current and emergent facilities issues and concerns, ideas for improvements, and highlight facilities changes, successes, and accomplishments.
- Seeking Faculty Representation
- KN95 masks

Thank You

- Q & A
- This is being recorded and will be available on our website no later than end of day tomorrow