

FHDA Office of Institutional Research and Planning

To: Enrollment Priorities Committee

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Subject: Analysis of Priority Enrollment Populations –Fall 2014

Changes to enrollment priorities were implemented in fall 2014 at De Anza and Foothill Colleges. The change is required by new state regulations. The new method includes state mandated requirements as well as new requirements specific to FHDA.

The state regulations require students to matriculate (complete orientation, assessment and an educational plan) before they can receive the highest enrollment priority in any future term. Students also need to be in good standing and not on academic probation for 2 consecutive terms. The state also requires that students in special populations that have matriculated are allowed to register first (CalWorks, EOPS, DSPS, Foster Youth, and Veterans).

FHDA also requires that students declare an educational goal of transfer, degree or certificate and select a major field of study (not undecided). A higher priority is given to continuing and returning students enrolling full time (12 or more units). The date and time of initial registration for students not meeting the enrollment priority criteria will be after students who have met the criteria and will be determined by the number of units earned.

An analysis of the 111 community colleges in California showed that only FHDA appears to have an additional full time requirement for Continuing students. However, 31% of colleges included athletes as a priority enrollment category, which FHDA does not, and another 31% included additional special populations as an enrollment category such as international students, honors or student government.

Table 1 presents students enrolled in spring 2014 and their priority in fall 2014 and if they registered for fall at either college.

Table 1. Students Enrolled in Spring 2014 who Registered in Fall 2014

| Category | 201521 | | | | 201522 | | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------|---------|------------------|---------|
| | Registered | | Did Not Register | | Registered | | Did Not Register | |
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 481 | 4% | 208 | 1% | 880 | 4% | 364 | 2% |
| Continuing Fulltime | 1,499 | 12% | 751 | 4% | 4,480 | 21% | 1,389 | 6% |
| First time college students | 333 | 3% | 25 | 0% | 1,950 | 9% | 196 | 1% |
| Continuing Part Time | 1,910 | 15% | 1,892 | 10% | 3,991 | 19% | 3,151 | 14% |
| Returning Full Time | | | | | 2 | 0% | 1 | 0% |
| First time without matric | 1,239 | 10% | 1,410 | 7% | 1,954 | 9% | 2,306 | 10% |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 696 | 5% | 1,380 | 7% | 1,140 | 5% | 1,898 | 8% |
| All Other By Units Earned | 6,702 | 52% | 13,817 | 71% | 7,166 | 33% | 13,248 | 59% |
| Total | 12,860 | 100% | 19,483 | 100% | 21,563 | 100% | 22,553 | 100% |

- At foothill, 12% of Continuing students registered while 4% did not and 21% at De Anza registered while 6% did not.
- 10% or more of Continuing Part Time students did not register at both colleges.
- At both colleges students in the All Other By Units Earned category did not register at a higher rate than those that registered in this group.

Table 2 presents the overall rate of full-time students in fall 2013 compared to fall 2014.

Table 2. Full-Time Enrollment – Fall 2013 and Fall 2014

| | Foothill | | De Anza | |
|-----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 201421 | 201521 | 201422 | 201522 |
| | Percent | Percent | Percent | Percent |
| Full Time | 35% | 36% | 46% | 48% |
| Part Time | 65% | 64% | 54% | 52% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

The intent of requiring continuing and returning students to enroll full time in order to get the best enrollment category was to encourage students to enroll full time and thus meet their educational goals sooner. The data shows that full time enrollment did increase at both colleges from fall to fall, though it is unclear if it can be attributed to changes in policy.

- Full time enrollment at Foothill increased from 35% to 36% and from 46% to 48% at De Anza.

Table 3. Students Registered in Fall 2014 – by Ethnicity and Column Percent – Foothill College

| | African American | | Asian | | Filipino | | Latino/a | | Native American | | Pacific Islander | | Unreported | | White | | Total HC |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 49 | 7% | 78 | 2% | 19 | 3% | 155 | 5% | 5 | 6% | 5 | 3% | 9 | 1% | 161 | 4% | 481 |
| Continuing Fulltime | 58 | 8% | 414 | 13% | 79 | 11% | 272 | 9% | 6 | 7% | 20 | 14% | 301 | 31% | 349 | 8% | 1,499 |
| First time college students | 14 | 2% | 100 | 3% | 29 | 4% | 98 | 3% | 2 | 2% | 2 | 1% | 2 | 0% | 86 | 2% | 333 |
| Continuing Part Time | 115 | 16% | 479 | 15% | 136 | 19% | 500 | 17% | 19 | 22% | 13 | 9% | 38 | 4% | 610 | 15% | 1,910 |
| First time without matric | 57 | 8% | 251 | 8% | 40 | 6% | 277 | 9% | 6 | 7% | 13 | 9% | 388 | 40% | 207 | 5% | 1,239 |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 58 | 8% | 122 | 4% | 50 | 7% | 195 | 7% | 6 | 7% | 14 | 10% | 9 | 1% | 242 | 6% | 696 |
| All Other By Units Earned | 346 | 50% | 1,694 | 54% | 357 | 50% | 1,422 | 49% | 42 | 49% | 76 | 53% | 226 | 23% | 2,539 | 61% | 6,702 |
| Total | 697 | 100% | 3,138 | 100% | 710 | 100% | 2,919 | 100% | 86 | 100% | 143 | 100% | 973 | 100% | 4,194 | 100% | 12,860 |

Note: Enrollment category is based on their enrollment in spring 2014.

- Looking within each ethnicity, 31% of Unreported students fall into the Continuing Full Time category, followed by Pacific Islanders at 14%, and Asian students at 13%.
- For Continuing Part Time students, 19% of Filipino students fall in this category, 16% African American, and 15% White.
- The group with the greatest distribution in the All Other category is White at 61% followed by Asian at 54% and Pacific Islander at 53%.

Table 4. Students Registered in Fall 2014 – by Ethnicity and Column Percent – De Anza College

| | African American | | Asian | | Filipino | | Latino/a | | Native American | | Pacific Islander | | Unreported | | White | | Total HC |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 73 | 8% | 278 | 3% | 44 | 3% | 242 | 4% | 6 | 5% | 4 | 3% | 15 | 3% | 218 | 5% | 880 |
| Continuing Fulltime | 142 | 15% | 2,292 | 28% | 290 | 19% | 890 | 16% | 14 | 13% | 24 | 15% | 143 | 27% | 685 | 15% | 4,480 |
| First time college students | 57 | 6% | 758 | 9% | 185 | 12% | 647 | 11% | 7 | 6% | 15 | 9% | 43 | 8% | 238 | 5% | 1,950 |
| Continuing Part Time | 171 | 18% | 1,299 | 16% | 327 | 21% | 1,160 | 20% | 22 | 20% | 38 | 24% | 64 | 12% | 910 | 20% | 3,991 |
| Returning Full Time | | | 1 | 0% | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 0% | 2 |
| First time without matric | 88 | 9% | 742 | 9% | 154 | 10% | 580 | 10% | 7 | 6% | 17 | 11% | 45 | 8% | 321 | 7% | 1,954 |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 66 | 7% | 375 | 5% | 92 | 6% | 302 | 5% | 12 | 11% | 11 | 7% | 32 | 6% | 250 | 6% | 1,140 |
| All Other By Units Earned | 358 | 37% | 2,345 | 29% | 457 | 30% | 1,850 | 33% | 44 | 39% | 49 | 31% | 195 | 36% | 1,868 | 42% | 7,166 |
| Total | 955 | 100% | 8,090 | 100% | 1,549 | 100% | 5,671 | 100% | 112 | 100% | 158 | 100% | 537 | 100% | 4,491 | 100% | 21,563 |

Note: Enrollment category is based on their enrollment in spring 2014.

- For De Anza, 27% of Unreported students fall into the Continuing Full Time category, followed by Asian at 28%, and Filipino students at 19%.
- For Continuing Part Time students, 24% of Pacific Islander students fall in this category, 21% Filipino, and 20 for both Latino and Native American.
- The group with the greatest distribution in the All Other category is White at 42% followed by Native American at 39% and African American at 37%.

Table 5. Students Registered in Fall 2014 – by Ethnicity and Row Percent – Foothill College

| | African American | | Asian | | Filipino | | Latino/a | | Native American | | Pacific Islander | | Unreported | | White | | Total | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---------|-------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|-----------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------|---------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 49 | 10% | 78 | 16% | 19 | 4% | 155 | 32% | 5 | 1% | 5 | 1% | 9 | 2% | 161 | 33% | 481 | 100% |
| Continuing Fulltime | 58 | 4% | 414 | 28% | 79 | 5% | 272 | 18% | 6 | 0% | 20 | 1% | 301 | 20% | 349 | 23% | 1,499 | 100% |
| First time college students | 14 | 4% | 100 | 30% | 29 | 9% | 98 | 29% | 2 | 1% | 2 | 1% | 2 | 1% | 86 | 26% | 333 | 100% |
| Continuing Part Time | 115 | 6% | 479 | 25% | 136 | 7% | 500 | 26% | 19 | 1% | 13 | 1% | 38 | 2% | 610 | 32% | 1,910 | 100% |
| First time without matric | 57 | 5% | 251 | 20% | 40 | 3% | 277 | 22% | 6 | 0% | 13 | 1% | 388 | 31% | 207 | 17% | 1,239 | 100% |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 58 | 8% | 122 | 18% | 50 | 7% | 195 | 28% | 6 | 1% | 14 | 2% | 9 | 1% | 242 | 35% | 696 | 100% |
| All Other By Units Earned | 346 | 5% | 1,694 | 25% | 357 | 5% | 1,422 | 21% | 42 | 1% | 76 | 1% | 226 | 3% | 2,539 | 38% | 6,702 | 100% |
| Total | 697 | 5% | 3,138 | 24% | 710 | 6% | 2,919 | 23% | 86 | 1% | 143 | 1% | 973 | 8% | 4,194 | 33% | 12,860 | 100% |

- Looking within each enrollment priority category, Continuing Full Time students are largely Asian (28%), White (23% and Unreported (20%).
- Continuing Part Time is largely comprised of White (32%), Latino at 26% and Asian at 25%.

Table 6. Students Registered in Fall 2014 – by Ethnicity and Row Percent – De Anza College

| | African American | | Asian | | Filipino | | Latino/a | | Native American | | Pacific Islander | | Unreported | | White | | Total | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---------|-------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|-----------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------|---------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 73 | 8% | 278 | 32% | 44 | 5% | 242 | 28% | 6 | 1% | 4 | 0% | 15 | 2% | 218 | 25% | 880 | 100% |
| Continuing Fulltime | 142 | 3% | 2,292 | 51% | 290 | 6% | 890 | 20% | 14 | 0% | 24 | 1% | 143 | 3% | 685 | 15% | 4,480 | 100% |
| First time college students | 57 | 3% | 758 | 39% | 185 | 9% | 647 | 33% | 7 | 0% | 15 | 1% | 43 | 2% | 238 | 12% | 1,950 | 100% |
| Continuing Part Time | 171 | 4% | 1,299 | 33% | 327 | 8% | 1,160 | 29% | 22 | 1% | 38 | 1% | 64 | 2% | 910 | 23% | 3,991 | 100% |
| Returning Full Time | | | 1 | 50% | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 50% | 2 | 100% |
| First time without matric | 88 | 5% | 742 | 38% | 154 | 8% | 580 | 30% | 7 | 0% | 17 | 1% | 45 | 2% | 321 | 16% | 1,954 | 100% |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 66 | 6% | 375 | 33% | 92 | 8% | 302 | 26% | 12 | 1% | 11 | 1% | 32 | 3% | 250 | 22% | 1,140 | 100% |
| All Other By Units Earned | 358 | 5% | 2,345 | 33% | 457 | 6% | 1,850 | 26% | 44 | 1% | 49 | 1% | 195 | 3% | 1,868 | 26% | 7,166 | 100% |
| Total | 955 | 4% | 8,090 | 38% | 1,549 | 7% | 5,671 | 26% | 112 | 1% | 158 | 1% | 537 | 2% | 4,491 | 21% | 21,563 | 100% |

- Looking within each enrollment priority category at De Anza, Continuing Full Time students are largely Asian (51%), Latino (20%), and White (15%).
- Continuing Part Time is largely comprised of Asian at 33%, White (23%), and Latino (29%).

Table 7 breaks out students by for those that have and have not declared a major and educational goal.

Table 7. Students Registered in Fall 2014 - By Declared Educational Goal and Major

| | 201521 | | | | 201522 | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|---------|-------|---------|----------------|---------|-------|---------|
| | Major and Goal | | Other | | Major and Goal | | Other | |
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent | HC | Percent |
| Veteran FY DSPS EOPS CW | 481 | 7% | | | 879 | 5% | 1 | 0% |
| Continuing Fulltime | 1,499 | 20% | | | 4,480 | 26% | | |
| First time college students | 333 | 5% | | | 1,950 | 12% | | |
| Continuing Part Time | 1,910 | 26% | | | 3,991 | 24% | | |
| Returning Full Time | | | | | 2 | 0% | | |
| First time without matric | 1,136 | 15% | 103 | 2% | 1,866 | 11% | 88 | 2% |
| New Transfers to FHDA | 696 | 9% | | | 1,140 | 7% | | |
| All Other By Units Earned | 1,301 | 18% | 5,401 | 98% | 2,632 | 16% | 4,534 | 98% |
| Total | 7,356 | 100% | 5,504 | 100% | 16,940 | 100% | 4,623 | 100% |

- The bulk of students without an educational goal or major fall within the All Other By Units Earned category. This is 98% of students at both colleges without a major or goal. These students may be able to move out of this category if there were to change or declare a major or goal.

Table 8. Students Registered for Fall 2014 - by All Other By Units Earned and No Educational Goal or Major – By Ethnicity

| | 201521 | | 201522 | |
|------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| | HC | Percent | HC | Percent |
| African American | 220 | 4% | 183 | 4% |
| Asian | 1,449 | 27% | 1,652 | 36% |
| Decline to State | 1 | 0% | 5 | 0% |
| Filipino | 264 | 5% | 256 | 6% |
| Latino/a | 1,033 | 19% | 897 | 20% |
| Native American | 33 | 1% | 24 | 1% |
| Pacific Islander | 47 | 1% | 24 | 1% |
| White | 2,155 | 40% | 1,344 | 30% |
| Unreported | 199 | 4% | 149 | 3% |
| Total | 5,401 | 100% | 4,534 | 100% |

- Of the student in the All Other by Units Earned category who have not declared a major or educational goal, White students at Foothill make up 40% while Asian students at De Anza make up 36% of the population.