# **SANTA MONICA COLLEGE** Equity Committees

## COMMITTEE FEATURES

Core Function(s)

#### **Equity Steering Committee** "Institutional Planning"

- Authors the state-mandated student equity plans
- Advises on student-equity
  budget
- Advises on goals for student racial equity outcomes
- Advises on institutional racial equity professional development (summits, workshops, etc.)
- Facilitates discussion about racial equity in departments

Organization & Reporting

Membership

Year Established

Faculty, administrators,
Classified educators

Institutional

**Spring 2014** Evolved from the Student Equity Taskforce

#### **Student Equity Center** "Student Services"

- Provides a centralized physical space for student to receive direct services and campus and community resources based on the needs of "affinity" groups (DREAM, Pride, Racial Justice, and Gender Equity)
- Provides opportunities for students to co-create and disseminate knowledge and education related to their advocacy

Student Services

Faculty, administrators,

Classified educators.

students

Fall 2016

Evolved from the Gender

Equity Committee & Social

Justice Workgroup

#### AS Equity & Diversity Committee "10+1"

- Addresses faculty and academic-related equity and diversity practices and policies, such as diversity in faculty hiring, equitizing the syllabus, equitable classroom practices
- Makes recommendations to the Senate on policies, programs, and strategies that promote equity and diversity

Academic Senate Sub-Committee

Faculty

### 2013-2014