Meeting Called to Order: 9:10 am

Present: Janet Stracher; Karen Jones; John Blackburn; Courtney Joiner; Pat Homer, Anna Marie Reich and Tim Goodman

Absent: Becky Foskey as substitute for Massie Kight

The Academic and Financial Aid Appeals Committee met on January 8 at 9:10am in the George L. Smith Conference Room to review 68 student appeals for financial aid and/or academic standing.

Janet made a comment that several students during this period of appeals for spring term have misinterpreted the meaning of section on the Letter of Appeal Form about Academic Appeal for Error in GPA. In all cases, the students either believed the instructor reported an incorrect grade for them or they did not understand the meaning of that option to appeal and in many cases they were not on any type of exclusion. The issue was not related to an incorrect Banner calculation. Examples of this were: Jessica Lewis 930062326; Saadai Najee 930049215; Jazmyne Pink 930073944; Dineshia Baker 93073904; Quoncile Campbell 930072528 and Colby Conaway 930073992.

There was no additional discussion following the review of the appeals for this meeting.

Numbers preceding the list of codes below represent the number of students for each category.

- APD - Approved Academic/Denied Financial Aid
- APR - Approved Academic and Financial Aid
- DEN - Denied Academic and Financial Aid
- FAD - Financial Aid Denied (These students were only appealing their F.A. standing)
- FAP - Financial Aid Approved (These student were only appealing their F.A. standing)
- NR - Approved (appeal not required)
- NE - Not Eligible to Appeal (denied)

The meeting adjourned at 10:40am.

Janet Stracher – Chair