## **Quality Focus Essay:**

## **Establishing Holistic Best Practices to Support Guided Pathways**

## Topics: Tutoring, SI, & Faculty Mentoring

- Scaling Successful Programs
  - o College Promise
  - o STEM
  - Generation Go!
- Professional Development
  - Mentoring
  - o Equity
- Staffing Philosophy
  - o Program Review Needs Assessment
  - Program Review Program Efficacy
  - o Program Discontinuance
  - o Tutors/SI
    - AB 705

(These topics would support Guided Pathways and AB 705)

## **Projects**

- Re-evaluate/Re-imagine Program Review Processes for GP/Student Centered
  - Opportunity to grow and celebrate success
  - o Continuous cycle of improvement
  - Stronger link between needs assessment, staffing, and budgeting
  - Program Creation Process
    - Ongoing costs and resources
    - Community Need
  - Review Program Discontinuance Policy
- Creating a sustainable plan for Tutoring and SI for all disciplines
  - o Equipment, Technology, & staffing needed to teach, tutor, and mentor.
  - Physical location
- Scalable??
  - Learning Communities?
  - o External Partnerships?
  - o Promise?

Note: Appropriate support staff to increase student success

- For Example
  - Tech Labs
  - Music Accompanists
  - Tutors/SI
  - Increased Hours
  - Office Support Staff

Ongoing costs of programs