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| Santa Barbara Community College District |
| Program Name |
| STV Noncredit-Credit Bridge Courses |
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| I. Summary of Activities based on the objectives submitted from the Request for Proposal and Activity Chart. These should reflect the goals of AEBG including but not limited to integrative programming for noncredit pathway bridge courses and certificates, internship/placement programs, integrative learning strategies, progress of program working groups and task forces. List and describe their progress. |
| <p>The CTE: Short Term Vocational Bridge Program was approved in late January 2016 for the development of 10-14 noncredit to credit bridge courses in the disciplines of Environmental Horticulture, Construction Technology, Culinary, Medical/Healthcare, Computer Network Engineering, and Automotive Technologies. At the time of this report, or April 11, 2016, 10 courses have been developed and submitted to Santa Barbara City College's (SBCC's) Curriculum Approval Committee (CAC) for review.</p> <p>To date, four courses from Construction Technology and one course from Culinary have received approval. The remaining five courses, with four from Construction Technology and one from Environmental Horticulture, are being reviewed and are expected to be approved by May 15, 2016.</p> <p>Additional courses and their associate disciplines are being considered for development and are planned for submission, review, and approval in Fall 2016.</p> |
| II. Data Reporting: Fall 2015 - Present |
| <p>Not applicable. Development of CTE Short Term Vocational (STV) bridge courses have begun in anticipation of approval of this grant and have continued in Spring 2016 with a planned completion date expected in summer 2016. With the exception of four new noncredit courses offered by Construction Technology and supported by the approval of this grant in Fall '15 (see report from Patrick Foster for enrollment numbers), no other courses have received approval to be offered for enrollment.</p> |
| III. Budget Narrative. Members are expected to make their best efforts to expend funding by June 30, 2016 and no later than December 31, 2016. The timeline of activities should reflect expenditures by this deadline. Please describe your efforts to expend these funds. Examples include hiring faculty and/or faculty, narratives, programmatic committee meetings, purchasing of supplies... |
| <p>The budget for the CTE: Short Term Vocational Bridge Program consisted of faculty stipends to develop bridge courses between CTE programs in noncredit and credit offered at SBCC. A budget of \$39,000 has been approved for course development and \$10,000 for marketing of the bridge courses.</p> <p>At the time of this Q1 report, 10 bridge courses have been developed and submitted for approval through SBCC's CAC. To date, five courses have received approval and five are being reviewed and are expected to be approved by May 15, 2016. Additional courses are being considered for development and should be submitted to CAC in Fall 2016.</p> <p>Payment for the 10 CTE Noncredit to Credit bridge courses, or \$25,000, is planned to be approved by SBCC's Board of Trustees (BOT) by May 2016 with payment to the course developers expected by June 2016. Additional courses may be posited for BOT approval in Fall 2016 with an expectation that all funds allocated for this project will be spent by December 31, 2016.</p> |
| IV. Marketing Efforts. Please list and describe marketing and outreach efforts to advertise your program. |

Not applicable. Development of CTE STV bridge courses have begun in anticipation of approval of this grant and have continued in SP '16 with a planned completion date expected in summer 2016. Marketing of courses will be rolled out after all courses have been approved by SBCC's CAC for implementation/publication in Fall 2016 and/or Spring 2017.