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Establish an educational experience that is increasingly designed around the student and for the student's success by fully implementing Guided Pathways

We will have a generative conversation about Guided Pathways at the Board meeting this month.

Establish a STEM Hub (or functional equivalent) for our Region

The Mid-Valley Mid-Coast STEM-CTE Hub was recognized by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) in December 2017 with a planning grant of \$47K. The Hub is a partnership between LBCC and Oregon State University, the Linn Benton Lincoln Educational Service District, all the K-12 Districts in Linn and Benton counties, and industry and community partners. The Steering Committee met on February 2, 2018; it leads the Hub, establishes priorities and decides the background structure. It is comprised of two representatives from each industry, community partners, K-12, OSU, and LBCC. Planning is underway for a kick-off meeting for stakeholders in April.

STEM Hub designation opens the door for significant funding in STEM Education, including \$10 million in so-called "Oracle" funding, which is administered by the Oregon Community Foundation and earmarked for STEM education in the state.

MISSION STATEMENT:

To promote regional economic vitality.

The MVMC STEM-CTE Hub will ensure that *ALL* children, throughout their education, understand the opportunities available to them in STEM/CTE and acquire the tools needed to pursue living wage jobs.

GOALS:

- Key stakeholders in STEM-CTE education and industry will work together more closely.
- Students will be able to express a clear sense of career pathways possibilities.
- There will be increased awareness of STEM-CTE opportunities at all educational levels.
- Participation in STEM-CTE education and industry will accurately reflect the diversity of the region.

Full development of iLearn, including Financial Aid eligibility for students –

As you are already aware, we have decided to discontinue the degree/credit programs being offered in iLearn. I did want to share some examples of how our college has benefited from, and will continue to benefit from, the work accomplished in iLearn.

iLearn afforded us the opportunity to better understand competency-based credit-based education, which is a model that will continue to grow in the future.

iLearn created a repository of multi-use, reusable content, much of which is OER, which can be used by the college.

iLearn created new ways to think about accessibility, including an instructional design that adhered to both ADA and Universal Design.

Healthcare

- Computed Tomography and Interventional Radiology will continue to live on in the Diagnostic Imaging Department.

Accelerate Short-term Training

- The Social Media Certificate and Vet Radiology Certification will continue to live on in the Short Term Training Department.

Business

- The online partnership with OSU's College of Business and E-Campus, which includes curriculum content, marketing graphics and templates, and OSU contacts, have been delivered to the Business Development Department at LBCC.

Extended Learning

- Continued partnership with DHS and the JOBS program via Extended Learning to deliver the online noncredit Business Series, which includes Business Soft Skills, Professionalism, and Communication.