Cluster Name: Advising Specific Populations III

Cluster Steering Committee Member: Amanda Mather

Common Goals or Themes (if any):
Each group want to continue to utilize or create a Steering Committee to get more members involved, as well as reaching out to make sure the memberships’ needs/wants are addressed. Each group also wants to increase professional development and proposal submission/acceptance for annual conference, as well as using available technology/social media, etc to better communicate with their members.

Individual Goals and Progress to Completion for each CIG:

C/IG: Undecided and Exploratory Students (C)
- Recognition of CUES contributors; outreach by SC members, emails
- NACADA web event on CUES topics; webinar proposal, potential cooperation with Career Advising IG
- Steering Committee member elected to Chair position

C/IG: LGBTQA Concerns (C)
- Create online training about LGBTQA topics, make available to any NACADA member
- More proposals, sessions about LGBTQA topics at conference

C/IG: Multicultural Concerns (C)
- Create steering committee, recruit volunteers to serve, encourage proposal submission
- Utilize tech to reach out to membership (listserv, alternate communication options like social media)
- Professional development to advisors outside of conferences: NACADA webinars, MCC newsletter, other training options as identified by membership

C/IG: High School to College Advising (IG)
- Increase professional development opportunities, encourage proposal submission
- Develop pocket guide for HS to College advising
- Establish partnerships with organizations that serve the HS to College student population

C/IG: Probation/Dismissal/Reinstatement Issues (IG)
- Use Facebook to communicate with members about IG- related events
- Re-establish steering committee, reach out to membership to recruit volunteers to serve
- Look at broader picture for higher ed policies related to PDR, rather than at just campus level
- Panel session by members on PDR, likely during the IG meeting time at conference.

What support is needed for your cluster from the Division Reps or EO?
Guidance, as requested by C/IG, in creating steering committees, reaching out to membership, utilizing technology.
Assistance, as requested, in setting up professional development opportunities outside of annual conference-webinars, pocket guides, etc.
Additional Items of Note: