

Naugatuck Valley Community College Institutional Planning Committee (IPC)

Established Fall 2008. Revised after completion of the 3-Year Strategic Plan 2010-2013.

NVCC Mission: Naugatuck Valley Community College offers quality, affordable education and training in response to evolving community needs by providing opportunities to individuals and organizations to develop their potential.

NVCC Vision: At NVCC, the word “community” is central and our students are considered our most sacred trust and our finest asset. Collaboration within and outside the confines of our immediate surrounding defines our actions and is the base for the rich intellectual, educational, cultural and civic-minded experiences we provide our students.



IPC Statement of Purpose

The mission of the NVCC Institutional Planning Committee is to create and normalize ongoing planning processes to ensure quality of programs, effective use of resources and student success. Chaired by the president of the college, there shall be a steering committee and four working committees. The steering committee shall convene three times per semester to receive reports and discuss recommendations on the outcomes of the current strategic plan and the creation of the next strategic plan. In addition to the steering committee, there shall be four subcommittees designed to ensure campus-wide consultation and accountability in the following areas: responsive academic leadership and program, student success, institutional effectiveness including outcomes assessment, and ongoing environmental scanning.

Institutional Planning Committee 2010 - 2012

Membership for a two-year term is renewable and shall be as follows:

IPC STEERING COMMITTEE

- President Daisy Cocco De Filippis, Chair
- Dean Jim Troup, Administration
- Dean Sandra Palmer, Academic Affairs
- Dean Waldemar Kostrzewa, Community Engagement
- Dean Jim Daniels, Student Services
- Mr. A.J. Dubois, Human Resources
- Associate Dean Soo Chon, Academic Affairs
- Associate Dean Conal Larkin, IT
- President's Office: Jacqueline Swanson

Elected members:

- Faculty Senate – Del Cummings
- Faculty at large – Kate Eddy, English Instructor
- Student Government Association – Jonathan Miller
- Administration – Leon Luciano
- Academic Division Director – William (Terry) Brown
- Student Services Helena Carrasquillo, Counselor
- Community and Economic Engagement – Laurie Hornbecker
- Staff Person – Katy Kleis, Institutional Research

SUBCOMMITTEES

Institutional Effectiveness

- Dean Jim Troup, Chair
- Associate Dean Soo Chon, Academic Affairs
- Angela Moffat, Assistant Accountant/Cashiers
- Linda Stango, Director of Admissions
- Kathy Taylor, Director of ACE
- Katy Kleis, Institutional Research

Responsive Academic Leadership and Programs

- Dean Sandra Palmer, Chair
- Joan Arbusto, Registrar -Student Services
- Farshad Malek-Ahmadi, Associate Professor of Sociology
- Allison Egan, OCM
- Mary Ann Fontaine, CED

Committee on Student Success

- Associate Dean Soo Chon, Chair
- Marianela Medrano-Marra, Director of Counseling
- Sharon Nihill, Administrative Coordinator-Danbury Center
- Sandra Palmer, Dean of Academic Affairs
- Jacquie Swanson, Assistant Director of Human Resources
- Neph Villanueva, Director of IT
- Jane Wampler, Professor/Math

Committee on Environmental Scanning

- Dean Waldemar Kostrzewa and Associate Dean Conal Larkin, co-Chairs
- Cantrell Johnson, Student Services
- Zohra Rafey, IT
- Krista Reichert, Academics
- Lucretia Sveda, CED

