

Creativity and Innovation for Effectiveness (CAIFE)

Summary of Projects and Teams

Team	Idea	Executive Sponsor	Team Members
<p> ? ? ? </p>	<p>Improve the new faculty and staff orientation process by having the different departments come to one room to present their information. This will ensure that all new employees receive the required information, sign for it and receive the necessary orientation and trainings.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Pilar De La Cruz-Reyes - selected by Cabinet as Lean Project)</i></p>	Debbie Astone	<p>Tom Gaffery (MPP) - facilitator Diane Volpp (staff) Lor-Rae Raus (staff) Filomena Fagundes (MPP) Carmen Chapman (staff)</p>
<p>State and Foundation Forms</p>	<p>Explore having state-side and foundation use the same program to create forms and include instruction sheet/FAQ for more information.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Nancy Gomez - selected by Cabinet as Lean Project)</i></p>	<p><i>Clint Moffitt (These two projects will be combined as a super project with subgroups.)</i></p>	<p>Mark Plattner (Auxiliary staff) - facilitator Christina Modica (staff) Christine Thibodeaux (staff) Angel Langridge (staff) John Wagenleitner (staff)</p>
<p>Student Travel</p>	<p>Create a single system for online forms, approval and scheduling to improve workflow. Start with Student Travel (club, classroom, activity) approval process.</p> <p><i>This project will be a subgroup of foundation/state forms project.</i></p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Kellie Townsend - Selected by Cabinet as Lean Project)</i></p>	<p><i>Clint Moffitt (These two projects will be combined as a super project with subgroups.)</i></p>	<p>Melissa Ginotti (MPP) - facilitator Lisa Kao (MPP) Chuck Conway (staff) Marie Cuningham (staff) Monica Shackelton (staff) Tara Powers-Mead (Auxiliary staff)</p>
<p>Financial Aid</p>	<p>Create an app that students can use to quickly view the status of their admission, financial aid to-do list and balance owed. The app would help give students “peace of mind, one less thing to worry about and a positive experience with our school.” It will also help the financial office be more efficient.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Charah Coleman - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	Robert Guinn	<p>Robert Guinn (MPP) - facilitator Holly Baum (staff) Mary Saucedo (staff) Charah Coleman (staff) Hank Delcore (faculty)</p>
<p> ? ? </p>	<p>Create a climate of fitness and wellness by improving the infrastructure of the campus, focusing on installing sign posts that mark walking trails and distance and resurfacing broken blacktop/pavement. (“Bulldog Tracks”) Also initiate an incentive program called “Bulldogs On Track to Wellness.”</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Larissa Mercado-Lopez - Selected by Cabinet as Honorable Mention)</i></p>	Debbie Astone	<p>Katherine Williamson (staff) - facilitator Scott Sailor (faculty) Derek Walters (MPP) Jason Clay (staff)</p>
<p>Magic Bands</p>	<p>Create a solution where students swipe their ID (or a bracelet similar to Disney World’s Magic Bands) each time they participate in a campus activity (Safari, WOW, movie nights). Students would earn points/credits each time to incentivize them to participate and swipe their card/bracelet. This data could be incorporated with the students’ success records.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Maria Madrigal Shaffer - Selected by Cabinet as Honorable Mention)</i></p>	Debbie Astone and Dennis Nef	<p>Brad Barker (staff) - facilitator Cher Travis Ellis (staff) Geraldine Panelo Elizondo (MPP) Paul Ladwig (MPP) Maria Madrigal (MPP)</p>

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Leadership Conference	<p>Create a Valley wide leadership conference for all high school and community college student body leaders. "This will give Fresno State the advantage of recruiting the best students and present the university as one that is sensitive to future leaders."</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Anthony Bailey - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	President Castro	<p>Phong Jacob Yang (staff) - facilitator Susana Hernandez (faculty) Luz Gonzalez (MPP) Jaime Arvizu (staff) Chris Fiorentino (MPP) Breanne Scogin (staff) Eddie Hughes (staff)</p>	
Touch the Community Competition	<p>Challenge every School and College to compete in an annual "touch the community" competition. Use Vintage Days to showcase the best and brightest ideas from every College and School and to demonstrate their disciplinary contributions to the community. Create the President's Community Solutions Cup to be awarded to the School or College that showed the greatest creative and pragmatic solution to a community need. Bill proposed the idea to create, "a higher level of cooperation and 'friendly competition' or engagement between Schools and Colleges."</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by William Rice - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	Lynnette Zelezny and Paula Castadio	<p>William Rice (faculty) - facilitator Josh Edrington (staff) Linda Hauser (faculty) Fabiola Alvarez (staff) Jenny Toste (staff) Jacquelyn Glasener (MPP)</p>	
ISEE	<p>Create an Institute of Sustainable Education & Engagement (ISEE) on campus. As a central hub of activity related to sustainability, ISEE will promote synergies among learning, scholarship, teaching and practice. ISEE will contribute to the common goal of improving the campus and greater community through promoting and informing individual and institutional practices that improve quality of life, the economy and the environment.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Mara Brady, Criss Wilhite, Beth Weinman - Selected by Cabinet as Honorable Mention)</i></p>	Bob Boyd	<p>Rick Finden (MPP) - facilitator Mara Brady (faculty) Criss Wilhite (faculty) Beth Weinman (faculty) Michelle Gaither (Auxiliary Staff) Jacob Ward (staff)</p>	
Solution Finder	<p>Create "a solution finder" (also described as a Lucy .05 cent advice stand) to help students who don't know where to turn for help. Sharon's idea is to have a one-stop shop staffed with a university representative to help direct students to the proper offices for support and avoid frustration and "run-around."</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Sharon Ramirez - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	Frank Lamas	<p>Maxine McDonald (MPP)-facilitator Tosha Giuffrida (MPP) Janell Morillo (faculty) Kim Cole (faculty) Adrian Ramirez (Staff) David Tyckoson (MPP)</p>	
International Transfer Credit Analysis	<p>Establish an International Transfer Desk in the International Student Services and Programs (ISSP) office - much like the International Admissions office. The staff in the Transfer Desk can be trained in DARS processes, will have a sensitivity to international relations and can pro-actively process transfer credit prior to the international transfer student's arrival. This idea will help Fresno State improve services to international students, provide faculty advisers with appropriate tools for quality advising and help promote Fresno State as a caring institution.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Ram Nunna - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	Dennis Nef	<p>Paul Hofmann (MPP) - facilitator Emil Milevoj (staff) Sheila Gallagher-Price (staff) Stephanie Ingvaldson (staff) Marcee Varella (staff) Kathy Dunbar (staff)</p>	
Social Network Student Roadmap	<p>Create an online social network organized by majors and academic programs designed for learning and collaboration. The network will be accessible to students, instructors, area high school students and alumni. The objective is to connect former, current and potential students in similar disciplines, share learning resources and increase social and academic engagement. Faculty will be encouraged to contribute with the core content.</p> <p><i>(Idea submitted by Dmitri Rogulkin - Selected by Cabinet as Bold Idea Winner)</i></p>	Lynnette Zelezny	<p>Dmitri Rogulkin (staff) - facilitator Blair Smittcamp (staff) Mike Pronovost (staff) Debbie Young (faculty) Anne Burkholder (staff) Dawn Truelsen (staff)</p>	