TAFE QUEENSLAND AND GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY LINKS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the TAFE Queensland and Griffith University Links Committee will be held from 10.00 am – 12 noon on Friday, 19 November in Room 2.02 (Council Chamber), Bray Centre N54, Griffith University, Nathan Campus.

Mary Hassard
Secretary

AGENDA

1.0 APOLOGIES

Apologies may be recorded by telephoning the Secretary on 373 53871 or via email M.Hassard@griffith.edu.au

2.0 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

The minutes of the 1/2010 meeting held on Friday, 28 May, 2010 are being circulated with this Agenda.

To be taken as read and confirmed

3.0 CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT

The Chair will report on matters of interest to the Committee.

For noting

4.0 ADULT LEARNER SOCIAL INCLUSION PROJECT

QUT and Griffith University are undertaking a joint project to provide outreach, support and transition initiatives to adult learners of low socio-economic status, who are undertaking tertiary preparation with training providers in Brisbane’s Northern and Southern corridors. The objective of the Project is to work collaboratively to develop successful transition pathways and increase adult learner participation in tertiary education. This joint initiative has been supported by a Federal Government Grant of $1.15million. The Project commenced in mid 2009 and will run until the end of 2011.

The Principal Adviser, Griffith Student Equity Services, Suzanne Wilkinson and Dr Sue Muloin, Project Officer, will update members on the project’s progress and current activities which impact on University/TAFE links.

For noting and discussion
5.0 TRANSITION SUPPORT FOR VET ARTICULATORS

Southbank Institute of Technology has asked the University to report on initiatives which provide transition support to VET articulators who enter the University degree at an advanced level and who therefore may have adjustment challenges different from first year University students. The University will report on student support programs offered at Griffith University to commencing students, including pathway students.

For information and discussion

6.0 INSTITUTE REPORTS/GRiffith UNIVERSITY

The Chair invites members, who may wish to do so, to make a short oral report on current issues affecting their roles in TAFE/University links.

For consideration

7.0 PARTNERSHIP INSTITUTE AGREEMENTS/STATISTICS

For the information of members, statistics listing the number of Institute students who have commenced at Griffith in 2010, by Institute and GU academic group, are provided. Attachment A includes numbers of students who have been identified as having completed TAFE studies which have been recognised as credit towards a Griffith degree. Attachment B is an update on articulation arrangements available to all Institutes as at the end of 2010.

For noting

8.0 OTHER BUSINESS

9.0 NEXT MEETING

Members are asked to note the meeting dates for 2011:

- Friday, 27 May 10.00 am - 12.00 noon Room 2.02 N54
- Friday, 18 November 10.00 am - 12.00 noon Room 2.02 N54

For noting
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Chairperson of the Committee and Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academic) - Professor Sue Spence

Vice Chancellor and President - Professor Ian O'Connor

Director-General, Department of Education and Training - Ms Julie Grantham

Academic Registrar, Griffith University - Ms Kathy Grgic

Griffith Representatives
Professor Max Standage, Provost Gold Coast and Logan Campuses
Mr Fred Beven, School of Education and Professional Studies
Mr John Miles, Director, Office of Student Recruitment
Professor Gillian Bushell, Deputy Chair, Academic Committee

TAFE Representatives
Ms Deb Daly, Chief Operating Officer, Office of Training Queensland and Regional Operations
Ms Janine Schubert – Director, Queensland VET Development Centre, Department of Education and Training
Mr Craig Sherrin - CEO, Southbank Institute of Technology
Mr Aaron Devine – Director and CEO, Gold Coast Institute of TAFE
Ms Kaylene Harth - Director, Metropolitan South Institute of TAFE
Ms Lynne Foley - Director, Brisbane North Institute of TAFE
Ms Mary Campbell – Director, SkillTech Australia

Ms Mary Hassard – Secretary

By invitation
Ms Suzanne Wilkinson
Dr Sue Muloin

Secretariat – information copy.