



FOOTHILL COLLEGE

# Workforce Workgroup

## MINUTES

**Date:** 1/15/13

**Time:** 2:30 p.m.-4:00pm

**Location:** Toyon Room 2020

### Attending

Mark Anderson, Skip Barnes, Robert Cormia, Sarah Delos Santos Munoz, Dave de Villers, Daniel Dishno, Paul Downs, David Ellis, Liane Freeman, Craig Gawlick, Elaine Haight, Kurt Hueg, Gay Krause, Keith Lee, Charlie McKellar, John Mummert, Peter Murray, david Phillips, Nanette Solvason, Jennifer Splansky, Paul Starer, Voltaire Villanueva, Bonny Wheeler, Donna Wolf, Teresa Zwack

### Discussion Items

Topic	Discussion Leader
1 Presentation- ALLIES	Paul Downs
2 Approval December 11, 2012 minutes	Mark Anderson
3 Perkins Update: Allocation Requests	Charlie McKellar
4 For the Good of the Order	Mark Anderson

### Discussion Detail

1. Presentation: Paul Downs presented an overview of ALLIES (Alliance for Language Learners' Integration, Education and Success) and their role as part of the Silicon Valley Allies Innovation Initiatives. He was joined by Jennifer Splansky and David Phillips. ALLIES goal is to connect immigrant workers requiring English language acquisition, work readiness and career-technical training to high-need regional career pathways through a structured multi-sector network. Immigrant English learners make up a large growing portion of Silicon Valley's workforce. ALLIES geographic region includes San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. A collective impact method is employed which brings together cross sector partnerships, including adult education, community colleges, business community, labor unions, community programs and agencies. WWG members shared program goals and specific projects as related to the ALLIES project. ALLIES initiative supports both the goals of basic skills and workforce development as they relate to our college and to our region as a whole. For more specific information contact Paul Downs at pdowns@svallies.org.

2. December 11, 2012 minutes: Approved by general consensus.

3. Perkins Update- 2013-2014 budget narratives will be reviewed at next February's "ALL PERKINS" meeting. All requestors are asked to be present to detail their requests for approval.

4. For the Good of the Order: John Mummert reminded everyone to RSVP for the presentation "Jobs of the Future" to be given by Nathalie Gosset on January 25<sup>th</sup> from 11am-12:30 pm in the Toyon Room. This is also a professional development activity.

### Documents/Handouts

1	WWG Meeting Agenda 1/15/13	
2	WWG Meeting Minutes 12/11/12	

### Important Dates

1/25/13	Nathalie Gosset - "Jobs of the Future" in Toyon Room 2020, 11 am-12:30 pm
2/12/13	WWG PERKINS ONLY Meeting- Requestors for 2013-2014 Perkins funds must be present to discuss their budget narratives.