Office of Student Life: Accomplishments FY16

Office of Student Life
1. Provided services to campus community
2. Organized and ran the first New Student Convocation with over 900 people in attendance
3. Developed and implemented the campus-wide BCRenegades Mobile App
4. Instrumental in creating and guiding the first pilot program for Renegade Promise
5. Collaborated with CSU Bakersfield for the first student leadership conference inviting 100 students from both campuses
6. Dr. Damania was elected Chair for the international entity named ACPA's Mid-Level Community of Practice
7. Dr. Damania was named the 2016 ACPA overall outstanding professional for California
8. Dr. Damania served a one year term as the Northern Area Representative for the California Community College Student Affairs Association

Bakersfield College Student Government Association
1. Created and supported 12 Campus Collaboration Grants totaling over $12,000
2. Hosted 80 students for the 2016 Black Caucus Student Leadership Conference for the California Community Colleges
3. Aided in the conversations of redesigning California community colleges

Student Conduct
1. Through restorative justice measured, aided 444 (Code Violations, AI, Student Complaints, Medical Aid, Title IV, Housing, Clearance Request, and SOC cases) of students with student code infractions
2. Drafted two institutional protocols for Death of a Student and Suicide Prevention Protocol

Student Organizations
1. Supported and funded 10 student organization funding grants
2. Increased number of student organizations from 30 to 42 active
3. Hosted over 30 student organization workshops to assist in effective management

Student Activities
1. Re-Established traditions within BC Homecoming by involving Communication Department and Foundation Office
2. Hosted over 150 campus-wide events
3. Hosted the first Student involvement Festival that invited 50 community organizations onto campus
4. Increased student participation for our BC Delano Campus with two Student Programmers to assist the students and community

Student Renegade Pantry
1. Partnered with Golden Empire Gleaners to provide fresh fruits & vegetables to students twice monthly
2. Expanded 5 hours of pantry distribution operation to better assist students
3. Added hygiene cabinet to student assistances serving 15 students per month
4. Expanded the Renegade Closet assisting 35-40 students
5. Supported by Jean Fuller, 55 of students received a thanksgiving turkey

Student Housing
1. Partnered with Kern County Homeless Collaborative to increase resources for students needing housing assistance
2. Increased five partners of housing options