SDCC: Fall 2014 Opening Week Follow-up Survey

Do you have any specific feedback for any of your sessions? (this can be feedback for the presenter, room issues, technology issues, etc.)	
Answer Options	Response Count
	69
answered question	**69**
skipped question	**25**

Number	Response Date	Response Text	Categories
1	Sep 2, 2014 5:59 PM	The presenters in both sessions were great.	
2	Aug 29, 2014 6:51 PM	The 2nd cross-training time was changed and moved up an hour earlier	
3	Aug 29, 2014 1:17 AM	no	
4	Aug 28, 2014 11:38 PM	Good sessions - very helpful	
5	Aug 28, 2014 6:39 PM	Unfortunately, internet was down for both session I attended. Otherwise, the presenters covered the topics well.	
6	Aug 28, 2014 12:32 AM	For Grace Comicho(sp) - During the SARs Alert Workshop on 8/20 she allow one faculty member to dominate and change the whole focus of the workshop! Instead of discussing HOW to use SAR, she allowed most of the time to be used for addresses FEARS of the SARS system from the one person who was concerned with student privacy. Not a productive workshop.	
7	Aug 27, 2014 10:22 AM	All was well!	
8	Aug 26, 2014 10:18 PM	If enrollment is less than 3 two days before the session, give the presenter the opportunity to cancel the session.	
9	Aug 26, 2014 9:29 PM	The sessions were all very good and I left with more knowledge than I had going in, so overall, I have no complaints, but a far as feedback . . . The Degree Works on had a few issues. Classroom was packed, not all of the computers worked so we didn't get started on time. But it did get started and not everyone was ready, so then it was hard to catch up. We used an actual student (that seems wrong, particularly when we could make notes). Couldn't always hear Michele. The SARs Alert session had a clever beginning that tied in with its title "Everything is Awesome" (relating to a song from the Lego Movie), but I think it was wasted time. I didn't need to see colleagues use legos to create something (a master builder!). In fact, because of the computers in front of me and because the three stood behind the teacher counter, all I could see was their heads bent down. The training itself was simple--it all seems rather self-explanatory, so I don't think the training needs to be very long. What we do need (and it was an issue brought up by one of the participants) is a discussion on privacy (Will the company have access to individual personally identifiable data?--there seem to be some legal reasons that say yes, the company would be able to ask and get this information). Our VP assured us that several colleges use this, so its safe. But that other colleges use it does not confirm that that the information is safe. Also, students may not feel fine (despite the bridge students who "piloted" the course).	
10	Aug 26, 2014 7:11 PM	Ted talks were awesome, would love to give one next year. Andrea Thorson's talk on power points was probably the best thing I have seen in two years. It should be mandatory for all faculty. Habits of Mind as always brought it!!!	
11	Aug 26, 2014 5:45 PM	The workshops I attended, I enjoyed. Got a lot of feedback. Thank you!	
12	Aug 26, 2014 4:47 PM	All three were excellent and went very well, were very informative and the handout in the Web design were especially helpful.	
13	Aug 26, 2014 4:12 AM	Habits of Mind was extremely dynamic. I liked how they rotated mini-lessons to each table.	
14	Aug 26, 2014 4:00 AM	The Benefit Refresher, was just that. I do believe that we can always learn something new each time we hear the information as time passes by. As for, When the Sand Shifts information was closer to our department. I shared my information to one of my supervisors and she liked it. We might even have a meeting regarding that information. Both presenters were very knowledgeable. Rooms were fine and no technical issues either.	
15	Aug 26, 2014 3:32 AM	Loved the check in process	
16	Aug 26, 2014 2:42 AM	very well done	
17	Aug 26, 2014 2:00 AM	An Overview of the Purchasing Process was very helpful, well-organized, and informative. Stephen and Lety were great! Support Our BC Dreamers was such an eye-opener! I now feel so much more prepared and able to help our "Dreamer" students when I encounter them. Jeannie and Anna are the Dream Team! Awesome job, ladies!	
18	Aug 26, 2014 12:25 AM	I found both of my Wednesday sessions and the presenters very informative & useful.	
19	Aug 26, 2014 12:23 AM	They were both well done, and interesting. The budget workshop did not provide enough concrete material. It felt a bit vague. The difficult people workshop was useful, and I met many people from the campus that I would not normally get to know.	
20	Aug 26, 2014 12:11 AM	The power users workshop was excellent. Well presented and full of great material.	

#	Date	Comment
21	Aug 26, 2014 12:07 AM	Both were interesting and informative. I would really love to have another Excel class with the next level. It is something I could really use at work.
22	Aug 25, 2014 11:37 PM	both sessions were great! Speakers at both sessions did a great job. Better than the opening day session where it was hard to hear, and couldn't see the videos. the opening day presentation needs to be broken up into chucks in different locations.
23	Aug 25, 2014 11:28 PM	the food was amazing!!!!
24	Aug 25, 2014 11:20 PM	All were well organized and beautifully delivered. Thank you!
25	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	Everything was excellent!
26	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	Great!
27	Aug 25, 2014 11:10 PM	Step by step instructions for the HoM specifically how to get into Degree Path/Degree Works. I presented and could not get into my room early enough to test my videos so I was unable to use them :(
28	Aug 25, 2014 10:28 PM	For the 1 presentation I got to see between running my own trainings and participating in New Faculty Orientation I have no feedback other than the information was really good and more people needed to hear it! 04 - good and informative workshop 11 - Presenter was 20 minutes late and could not get computer to work the way it needed to. He did not appear to be prepared. 16- Great workshop, fun and informative --- this is the way these workshops should be
29	Aug 25, 2014 10:18 PM	26 - good and informative, it is a topic that needs more time
30	Aug 25, 2014 10:09 PM	Not particularly. I like that we can sign in electronically for each of the sessions.
31	Aug 25, 2014 9:58 PM	Seemed like we just got going in Excel when it was time to close up shop. Enjoyed the class. Session #5 Presenter was ok.
32	Aug 25, 2014 9:55 PM	Session #17 Presenter was very helpful and informative.
33	Aug 25, 2014 9:18 PM	The new faculty orientation was specific and detailed, but not overwhelming. The presentations were interesting and useful.
34	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	None
35	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	Room locations for workshops were scattered everywhere, which made it difficult to access (Library)/ The cross training was very informative. Glad I was in attendance. Working with Budgets we had computer issues, so was not real informative as we barely touched on the subject.
36	Aug 25, 2014 8:57 PM	How to Deal with Difficult People, not sure I got much from it.
37	Aug 25, 2014 8:50 PM	Both were well planned and executed. Very informative and I learned some great tips to improve my teaching. There was no functioning projector for the adjunct faculty orientation (I was one of the presenters). TED Talks was awesome. Habits of Mind was exceptionally well organized. I liked the format that brought presenters to each table.
38	Aug 25, 2014 8:40 PM	Marilyn Davidson did an especially effective job in the beginning Excel workshop.
39	Aug 25, 2014 8:33 PM	For the adjunct faculty orientation, although I know that BC has to wait to the last minute to see which classes are filled by adjuncts, but why is it so late in the week? It makes it difficult for folks to be apprised of the changes for their syllabus and to get it into the graphics center before class begins.
40	Aug 25, 2014 8:16 PM	Really enjoyed the variety of workshops available. I would like it if we could spread the workshops over more days in the week. Most of the events landed on Wednesday and Thursday.
41	Aug 25, 2014 8:02 PM	computers were slow to log in. presenter could not get PowerPoint up and running.
42	Aug 25, 2014 7:59 PM	SARS Alert easily could have been presented in about 20 minutes. Lots of filler here. Most of us were more interested in the system itself than its history. I also thought it strange that no one could really explain what happens to this data and who has access to it. The answer given didn't address the changes that have been made in FERPA that allow school vendors access to student information.
43	Aug 25, 2014 7:57 PM	Both were great, especially the TED talks. Very entertaining and informative - why doesn't BC take advantage of its' terrific faculty in marketing BC to the public? As a parent, I was excited to let my daughter know some of the instructors she would enjoy (turns out she already had Reggie Williams and said she'd take Philosophy every day if he was the instructor), and they made me almost want to go back to school!
44	Aug 25, 2014 7:56 PM	Good, relevant topics.
45	Aug 25, 2014 7:48 PM	Great session- It was fast paced as well as informative. Speakers were well prepared and entertaining also.
46	Aug 25, 2014 7:46 PM	Both of the sessions I attended didn't have titles that accurately reflected the session. I thought that the first session would be about how to keep students attention and it was more about creativity. I understand that getting students to use their creativity will capture their attention but more specific examples would have been helpful. The second session was more information on how people respond to change rather than how to help students through changes (ie where to send them or helpful techniques).
47	Aug 25, 2014 7:46 PM	All sessions: Useful information!

		I attended the Adjunct Faculty Orientation and learned about more specific information for Adjuncts than from previous orientations thanks to Emmanuel Mourtzanos, Dean of Instruction. Great presentation. I attended the "Accessing Faculty Resources" workshop. Even though the media didn't work because technical issues can happen to anyone, the workshop was well worth the time. I particularly liked hearing about CourseStudio and receiving the Outside Web Resources from David Koeth. Obtaining the phone number for weekend technical trouble shooting was extremely valuable too.
		The cross training with Sue Vaughn was extremely informative and well worth the time. Accuplacer discussions and new information was helpful.
48	Aug 25, 2014 7:35 PM	Learning about searching for students or specific majors in DegreeWorks was a great "aha", thanks to Michele Pena. Although scribing takes time and is meticulous, DegreeWorks has come a long way. The look ahead worksheet, GPA calculator, notes, Find Student icon, and Future Ed Plan with a "Planning" tab will be helpful for staff and students alike.
49	Aug 25, 2014 7:31 PM	The session I attended was well organized
50	Aug 25, 2014 7:18 PM	Since we needed more time, Dr. Culpepper mentioned there would be more Budget sessions in the future.
51	Aug 25, 2014 7:17 PM	No. The sessions were helpful.
52	Aug 25, 2014 7:13 PM	Angela Paquette is an excellent presenter. I would definitely recommend her in the future.
53	Aug 25, 2014 7:10 PM	Both sessions were very good.
54	Aug 25, 2014 7:09 PM	When the Sand Shifts was an excellent presentation.
55	Aug 25, 2014 7:03 PM	Sessions in H52 should have either a very loud presenter or a microphone. The equipment is available. I was sitting in the third row and could not hear the instructor. There were numerous technical problems. Also some of the information was incorrect. If facilitators (not the actual presenters) aren't open to questions and get defensive, they should not be there.
56	Aug 25, 2014 7:00 PM	#12 Angie Paquette hit a home run. Great presentation with lots of interaction with the attendees. Technology was a mess but finally got fixed. Makes me wonder what happens when students get into class. #16 Michael Self was HORRIBLE. No presentation just breaking into small groups and gave VERY inappropriate comments about dealing with difficult people. I'd never take a class from him EVER. Shame on you Michael Self. Your fans (your immediate report employees) laughed at you but no one else did. What was so funny??????
57	Aug 25, 2014 6:51 PM	Angie Pacquet (SP?) class was wonderful, but it started 15 minutes late because of tech issues. Dealing with difficult people with Michael Self was awful. His resolution to dealing with difficult people was a purge or smacking the difficult person.
58	Aug 25, 2014 6:46 PM	These were good sessions==worth the time
59	Aug 25, 2014 6:41 PM	The Habits of Mind workshop was AWESOME!!!! I LOVED that presenters broke off and briefly talked to each table. That was very effective!
		I wish the technology was available for DegreeWorks. It was frustrating that we could not see the Ed. Plan.
60	Aug 25, 2014 6:39 PM	The working with budgets session had technology issues and was not at the level I anticipated. I really wanted a "nuts and bolts" hands on session on how to query budgets effectively including PO's, encumbrances, year-to-year comparisons and this was not accomplished. In the future, I wanted how to use Ban Web from Inside BC to understand how to query much better. I am not a person that enters PO's but an approver so that is my prospective. The presenter indicated this would be a quarterly topic on campus and I would agree. Teach several sessions each quarter so individuals could attend when they are not in class/lab.
61	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	Suggestion - The working with budgets workshop would have been better if the presenter might have checked how the classroom worked before the workshop.
62	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	Very excited to use CCC Confer technology in the classroom. Would not have known to attend the seminar were it not mentioned in the new faculty orientation. Maybe mention "Video Conferencing" or "Record Lectures" or "Flip the Classroom" in the workshop title?
		New faculty orientation was generally excellent, but did take a lot of time. Is feasible (or wise?) to move it back a week so there is still time for lesson prep and syllabus-writing afterwards? There's probably a good reason it's right before the start of classes, but it did make it a little tough to fit in everything I wanted to do that week.
		Cross training was informative on updates on issues that would be of concern to our students.
63	Aug 25, 2014 6:25 PM	How to give an effective feedback was good because when we were talking about what others say or do makes you feel, whether it is positive or negative, you can come back with your feelings without a conflict or question.
64	Aug 25, 2014 6:24 PM	It would have been nice if #16, #17, & #18 were at different times. On opening day, the 1:00 session had a purchase order training, but if you are classified and don't do purchase orders, there wasn't a big variety to choose from. Since classified were allowed to go to trainings on opening day, it would have been helpful if things were spread out.
65	Aug 25, 2014 6:23 PM	In the degree works session, it was very hard to hear the presenter. She needed a microphone. The room where Class 12 was held was FREEZING!
		Presenters were great for both classes. Topics were interesting. Very helpful!

		Presenters who do not typically give instruction, should be prepped (perhaps a Professional Development idea), ahead of time and given tips on how to structure the time, and stay on topic.
66	Aug 25, 2014 6:22 PM	If presenters do not have their own "helper", perhaps identify a person attending the session to arrive early to help with check and sit in the back to help with check-in or login to computers. Presenters need an assistant. Technology Issues
67	Aug 25, 2014 6:17 PM	Technology was not set up or the facilitators were not pre-trained on the equipment in the rooms; otherwise, the trainings were well facilitated (i.e., projector too high for the screen, facilitator wanted to use his laptop for the Powerpoint and was unable to do so).
68	Aug 25, 2014 6:14 PM	Both of the presentations were very good and helpful. I learn many new ideas for making presentations in class and for helping my students succeed.
69	Aug 25, 2014 6:11 PM	I wish we didn't have technology issues in the Working with Budget course because we only ended up getting about 30 mins of information.

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Last year we required the full email address for our electronic sign-in. Based on your feedback, to speed things up, this time we only required your email address up to the @ sign. Do you have more suggestions for improving that process?

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skipped question	**29**

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1	Sep 2, 2014 10:10 PM	It was great. You may also write workshop number also.	
2	Sep 2, 2014 5:59 PM	No	
3	Sep 2, 2014 2:38 AM	magnetic staff cards to merely swipe?	
4	Aug 29, 2014 6:51 PM	No	
5	Aug 29, 2014 1:17 AM	no	
6	Aug 28, 2014 11:38 PM	Pretty fast, some attendees slow the process by not reading instructions -- maybe an announcement at the beginning of each session until people get used to it.	
7	Aug 28, 2014 12:32 AM	This was a GREAT time saver. No other suggestions.	
8	Aug 27, 2014 10:22 PM	This was a good approach.	
9	Aug 27, 2014 9:19 PM	I would recommend placing multiple laptops at each session and also place a sign/board by the laptops informing attendees that they need to sign-in using the laptops. Also, set laptops so that they do not lock after a period of inactivity.	
10	Aug 26, 2014 9:29 PM	Maybe two (or more) lap tops for sessions that have many participants.	
11	Aug 26, 2014 4:47 PM	No this was faster and would have been nicer if it actually scheduled on your Outlook calendar automatically.	
12	Aug 26, 2014 4:04 PM	this way was better.	
13	Aug 26, 2014 4:00 AM	I had no problem with it. Worked just fine and it worked pretty fast.	
14	Aug 26, 2014 3:32 AM	Don't let the computers go to sleep	
15	Aug 26, 2014 2:42 AM	it went quicker this time, just remind workshop leaders to tell us what the number of the workshop is so it is easier to find.	
16	Aug 26, 2014 2:00 AM	No, it seemed fine.	
17	Aug 26, 2014 12:27 AM	Having adjuncts sign in as they come in to the room.	
18	Aug 26, 2014 12:25 AM	I think it went well, once people understood what they were suppose to be doing.	
19	Aug 26, 2014 12:23 AM	In addition to the lap top at the location, allow "remote" checking from personal smart phones to keep the lines moving.	
20	Aug 26, 2014 12:11 AM	The process was great.	
21	Aug 26, 2014 12:07 AM	I thought it worked great.	
22	Aug 25, 2014 11:37 PM	No, it was faster to get the session going.	
23	Aug 25, 2014 11:36 PM	It was faster when we shared the number of the workshop.	
24	Aug 25, 2014 11:20 PM	This sign in was delightfully easy. Thank you!	
25	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	nope, it was great!	
26	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	not at this time	
27	Aug 25, 2014 11:10 PM	This is a good process for signing in; I recommend that you continue.	
28	Aug 25, 2014 10:28 PM	No I think it went well however I still had a long line and some decided they would sign in afterwards and found that they couldn't due to the computer timing out so I would provide the presenters with a basic login for the computer so that we can login at the end for those who may have showed up late.	
29	Aug 25, 2014 10:18 PM	Shortened email sign-in was much better -- Good improvement	
30	Aug 25, 2014 10:09 PM	At one of the sessions, Todd Coston had the laptop placed on a counter, which made it easier to sign in. In fact, he actually signed in participants, which really made the process easy.	
31	Aug 25, 2014 9:58 PM	Have more than one laptop in class. Took too much time of class time.	
32	Aug 25, 2014 9:55 PM	No.	
33	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	This process was quick and efficient.	
34	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	Have a listing of staff already and a check mark next to their name that they can check once they attend.	
35	Aug 25, 2014 8:57 PM	Two computers, got back up as we were entering. Otherwise worked great	
36	Aug 25, 2014 8:40 PM	No--loved it.	
37	Aug 25, 2014 8:39 PM	I thought just using the user id without the @.... worked well.	
38	Aug 25, 2014 8:16 PM	Much better. Thanks. More than 1 login station for large workshops (over 30?)	
39	Aug 25, 2014 8:02 PM	no much better	
40	Aug 25, 2014 7:59 PM	Have more laptops for sign-ins since the process still was a bit slow in crowded sessions.	
41	Aug 25, 2014 7:57 PM	more than one laptop to sign in on	
42	Aug 25, 2014 7:56 PM	It was difficult to figure out the number for the workshop--especially if you are one of the first people to sign in.	
43	Aug 25, 2014 7:48 PM	It was efficient and easy. Everything I look for in a sign-in!	
44	Aug 25, 2014 7:35 PM	No more suggestions. It worked fine. Chis was super busy.	
45	Aug 25, 2014 7:31 PM	How about a click list where you simply click a box by your name?	
46	Aug 25, 2014 7:27 PM	no, it was easy and quick	
47	Aug 25, 2014 7:18 PM	No, I thought that it was pretty good idea to sign in.	
48	Aug 25, 2014 7:17 PM	No.	
49	Aug 25, 2014 7:13 PM	It worked out perfect.	
50	Aug 25, 2014 7:10 PM	Let us know that we need to sign in.	
51	Aug 25, 2014 7:03 PM	This was a huge improvement - thanks!	
52	Aug 25, 2014 7:02 PM	No, that expedited things.	
53	Aug 25, 2014 7:00 PM	I think it is fine as long as it is at the door not in the front of the room. Great idea for roll.	
54	Aug 25, 2014 6:51 PM	Moving check in to the back of the room where people walk in.	
55	Aug 25, 2014 6:47 PM	Preferred this year's sign in	
56	Aug 25, 2014 6:46 PM	no	
57	Aug 25, 2014 6:45 PM	This worked out great. It was speedy and hopefully effective.	
58	Aug 25, 2014 6:41 PM	That was helpful. Also, almost all presenters had their workshop # available, which was helpful.	
59	Aug 25, 2014 6:39 PM	Great sign-in process. No changes suggested.	

60	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	I'm new and I don't know the policy on network drives. There should be (or maybe there is and I'm not aware of it) a quick primer on which drive holds information across campus, how much room we have and whether we can access it off campus.
61	Aug 25, 2014 6:27 PM	No, but I appreciated the shorter version this time.
62	Aug 25, 2014 6:24 PM	what do you with the information for people that signed up?
63	Aug 25, 2014 6:23 PM	the short email version helped
64	Aug 25, 2014 6:22 PM	It is a straightforward process-- easy and quick. What seems to hold up the process is when the login screen gets minimized or closed and attendees and/or the presenter do not know where to find it to open again.
65	Aug 25, 2014 6:11 PM	Process worked for me.

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We offered approximately 40 different sessions. Are there other areas or topics you would like to see included in future Staff Development days?	
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answered question	54
skipped question	40

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1	Sep 2, 2014 5:59 PM	No	
2	Sep 2, 2014 2:38 AM	More sessions aimed at effective teaching.	
3	Aug 29, 2014 6:51 PM	Need to think about this and get back to you 403b participation, website and How Tos CalsSTRS retirement workshop Medical benefits for preventive care programs	
4	Aug 29, 2014 1:17 AM	BC's HR retirement requirements and request	
5	Aug 28, 2014 11:38 AM	Looked like quite an offering already --	
6	Aug 28, 2014 12:32 AM	There was a huge variety of topics. I cannot suggest other topics.	
7	Aug 26, 2014 9:29 PM	The topics were great. Many can be repeated, providing a chance to review, to learn quick tips, etc. For example, separate sessions to review Excel, Outlook, Word, InsideBC, and navigating our BC Website (a session that takes the time to show us what all there is to find!). A session on Financial Aid would be great (so we can help answer students' questions).	
8	Aug 26, 2014 5:45 PM	If only you can offer certain workshops twice? The workshops I wanted to attend conflict with another workshop I had register for.	
9	Aug 26, 2014 4:47 PM	Yes, CPR	
10	Aug 26, 2014 4:04 PM	more excel training opportunities	
11	Aug 26, 2014 4:00 AM	No. Not at this time.	
12	Aug 26, 2014 3:32 AM	AMAZING	
13	Aug 26, 2014 2:00 AM	There were more sessions than I had time to attend. There were so many I would have loved to have gone to! I really appreciated the variety, and especially those geared for Classified staff! Thank you for thinking of us! Great selection and variety! :)	
14	Aug 26, 2014 12:25 AM	I was very pleased with the topics that were offered. I only wish I could of gone to more.	
15	Aug 26, 2014 12:07 AM	As I said above I would like a more advanced Excel.	
16	Aug 25, 2014 11:37 PM	More on how to do a TED talk, and maybe repeat more sessions. Some were schedule at the same time.	
17	Aug 25, 2014 11:36 PM	I was impressed and overwhelmed with the choices. I missed many due to multiple offerings.	
18	Aug 25, 2014 11:20 PM	We should do some for training people in Academic Senate issues, curriculum, shared governance, minimum qualifications for hire, and equivalency would be good topics, for example.	
19	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	none	
20	Aug 25, 2014 11:10 PM	Basic Leadership skills for faculty. What's straits are needed to be promoted at Bakersfield College to move from faculty to chair; chair to Dean, and Dean to VP, etc.	
21	Aug 25, 2014 10:28 PM	I think that the range of topics was good I just wish I got to see more of them.	
22	Aug 25, 2014 10:18 PM	Maybe a few more geared to classified staff	
23	Aug 25, 2014 9:58 PM	Longer time for the computer classes.	
24	Aug 25, 2014 9:55 PM	Intermediate Excel	
25	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	None.	
26	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	Campus construction updates. Sometimes not everyone has access to read all the emails that are sent with construction updates, it would be nice to have a workshop that updates us on campus projects.	
27	Aug 25, 2014 8:40 PM	I saw many of my previous suggestions offered. I was quite satisfied with the slate.	
28	Aug 25, 2014 8:16 PM	I would be interested in a workshop where administration shares their rationale regarding balance student need and institutional interests.	
29	Aug 25, 2014 8:02 PM	banner training	
30	Aug 25, 2014 7:57 PM	no	
31	Aug 25, 2014 7:56 PM	Maybe repeat some workshops on different days and times.	
32	Aug 25, 2014 7:48 PM	Perhaps more workshops geared towards classified staff or sessions that meet both faculty and classified needs. Unfortunately some classified staff have been treated poorly by faculty for asking questions in workshops or not being up to speed on certain topics and acronyms.	
33	Aug 25, 2014 7:46 PM	Not sure at this time. Maybe a session regarding Student Learning Outcomes.	
34	Aug 25, 2014 7:35 PM	These sessions were great. I wish my favorite sessions didn't conflict in time. But I'm glad to see so many great choices.	
35	Aug 25, 2014 7:31 PM	Please add introduction workshops to Moodle and to CourseStudio.	
36	Aug 25, 2014 7:27 PM	Advanced Microsoft Office sessions, if we could get enough people.	
37	Aug 25, 2014 7:18 PM	there are too many sessions and I wanted to be able to attend others offered but was limited because they were offered at the same time Budget was an excellent session. Another session would be about Banner. Ask the class to bring in their questions such as certain reports from banner, etc. no matter how simple or well known they are--there will always be new employees willing to learn..	
38	Aug 25, 2014 7:17 PM	None	
39	Aug 25, 2014 7:13 PM	I would like to see Benefits back next time because I didn't get to attend this years.	
40	Aug 25, 2014 7:03 PM	Quite a few of us get vocal strain during the first weeks of school. Could one of the vocal music instructors and/or someone from communication teach a session on the best ways to speak to a large group without straining your vocal chords?	

41	Aug 25, 2014 7:00 PM	Like to see more info for classified on a variety of topics. I thought the session before lunch was way too long. Sonya is wonderful but lost the audience. Janet Fulks finished it off. We could not see or understand the graphs. Sorry
42	Aug 25, 2014 6:51 PM	Event Scheduling and communication on campus
		Wanted to attend the Benefits workshop, but it was at a time where I found another workshop that was even more important to me. So having more than one session per topic would be nice. There were several ones that I wanted to attend on Wednesday, but at the same time. I'd like to see the opening ceremony cut down to 2 hours and have more workshops on that day, instead of on Thursday too. It makes it easier since we are already closed. Financial aid Workshop with updates would have been helpful
43	Aug 25, 2014 6:47 PM	Retirement Planning
44	Aug 25, 2014 6:46 PM	Not at this time
45	Aug 25, 2014 6:45 PM	I thought the topics offered were good and included sessions for classified which had been lacking in previous years.
46	Aug 25, 2014 6:41 PM	Could we have a workshop on retirement please :)
47	Aug 25, 2014 6:39 PM	Good selection. Need to offer some again throughout the year.
48	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	Suggestion - you might want to offer some of the workshops a couple of times so that more people are able to attend.
49	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	A brief run-down on key campus services and locations. Or maybe a cheat sheet. I was asked already this morning "where is the fine arts building?" and has a student who was confused about which course he would show up for and I sent him to the administration building to seek out registration help. I want to be helpful but I don't know where much is so maybe a "Twenty Questions You Are Guaranteed to Get Asked on the First Day of Class" seminar would be nice.
50	Aug 25, 2014 6:25 PM	Good selection.
51	Aug 25, 2014 6:24 PM	I would like to see trainings in intermediate or advanced excel and beginning access. I like the sessions that teach you how to deal with difficult people or situations.
52	Aug 25, 2014 6:23 PM	I would have liked to have attended more classes
53	Aug 25, 2014 6:22 PM	Varied levels of excel more multiple sessions
54	Aug 25, 2014 6:17 PM	Nutrition Campus fitness/wellness - possibility of forming teams at the session

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Would you be willing to present a Staff Development topic? If so, what is your name and topic you would be interested in presenting?

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answered question	39
skipped question	55

Number	Response Date	Response Text	Categories
1	Sep 2, 2014 5:59 PM	No Moya Arthur: 1. Two day (camping) session: Natural history, geography, archaeology and preservation of the the Carrizo Plains National Monument. Team presented with two other BC professors. (January) 2. Alternate approaches to teaching: A holistic view. Using integrated projects to teach course content and critical thinking. 3. Seminar and/or group participation to brainstorm opportunities/projects to integrate course projects across	
2	Sep 2, 2014 2:38 AM	disciplines to better support one another's content.	
3	Aug 29, 2014 6:51 PM	See above--need to think about this and get back to you	
4	Aug 29, 2014 1:17 AM	no	
5	Aug 28, 2014 8:02 PM	Yes.	
6	Aug 28, 2014 6:39 PM	No	
7	Aug 28, 2014 12:32 AM	Not at this time.	
8	Aug 26, 2014 7:11 PM	Stephen Tavoni. Not sure my topic but I would love to present something.	
9	Aug 26, 2014 4:47 PM	N/A	
10	Aug 26, 2014 4:00 AM	No, thank you.	
11	Aug 26, 2014 2:00 AM	No! : (	
12	Aug 26, 2014 12:25 AM	Sorry, no.	
13	Aug 26, 2014 12:07 AM	No,	
14	Aug 25, 2014 11:37 PM	Let me think about it. Kate Pluta	
15	Aug 25, 2014 11:36 PM	Program Review	
16	Aug 25, 2014 11:20 PM	I will think about topics.	
17	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	perhaps next semester...	
18	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	no	
19	Aug 25, 2014 10:28 PM	I love staff development and am always happy to present on any topic given I am provided with adequate enough time to prepare. - Grace Commiso, SARS Alert (student retention, at risk students, etc.), Team Building, Communication, Presenting in general, etc.	
20	Aug 25, 2014 10:18 PM	Not something that I would like to do.	
21	Aug 25, 2014 9:58 PM	No.	
22	Aug 25, 2014 9:55 PM	No.	
23	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	Not at this time.	
24	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	No	
25	Aug 25, 2014 8:40 PM	Yes, but I don't know what yet. . . .	
26	Aug 25, 2014 8:16 PM	Already do.	
27	Aug 25, 2014 7:57 PM	na	
28	Aug 25, 2014 7:56 PM	Not now.	
29	Aug 25, 2014 7:48 PM	Yes, - MIchelle Begendik DSPS Using interpreters/CART, accommodations for Deaf and HOH students, any open meeting where faculty could submit their questions and we could discuss topics that are important to them.	
30	Aug 25, 2014 7:35 PM	No	
31	Aug 25, 2014 7:18 PM	None at this time.	
32	Aug 25, 2014 7:17 PM	No	
33	Aug 25, 2014 7:13 PM	No thanks	
34	Aug 25, 2014 7:02 PM	yes, anything related to Student Success Initiative or counseling/personal growth/development topics.	
35	Aug 25, 2014 7:00 PM	Ask again at a later date.	
36	Aug 25, 2014 6:51 PM	Yes	
37	Aug 25, 2014 6:46 PM	no	
38	Aug 25, 2014 6:45 PM	Nope	
39	Aug 25, 2014 6:41 PM	I presented BC Dreamers this year. I would be happy to do it again.	

SDCC: Fall 2014 Opening Week Follow-up Survey

Do you have any other comments or suggestion for improving future staff development sessions?	
Answer Options	**Response Count**
	51
answered question	51
skipped question	43

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1	Sep 2, 2014 5:59 PM	No	
2	Sep 2, 2014 2:38 AM	Get faculty to share their passions of their discipline. Short hour long talks on "Why I am a... (Biologist, Psychologist, Historian, Philosopher...etc.)" Is this really nothing more than a TED talk? If so, recruit faculty in this manner. I want to hear how much fun it is to learn something, and maybe even learn something, in the process.	
3	Aug 29, 2014 6:51 PM	No	
4	Aug 29, 2014 1:17 AM	this is a resubmittal to include suggestions for upcoming workshops I previously did not submit.	
5	Aug 28, 2014 11:38 PM	Keep them coming!	
6	Aug 28, 2014 6:39 PM	Job Well Done. Everything went smoothly.	
7	Aug 28, 2014 12:32 AM	Too many of the workshops were offered at the same time. If presenters knew they had so much competition they would had been willing to change the time or date. I suggest having only 3 choices available for each time slot. This would allow us to attend more workshops of interest.	
8	Aug 27, 2014 10:22 PM	They are amazing....good variety and well presented.	
9	Aug 26, 2014 10:18 PM	Many improvements are apparent. Thanks!	
10	Aug 26, 2014 9:29 PM	Great job!	
11	Aug 26, 2014 7:11 PM	Opening day ceremony was tooooooooooooooo long.	
12	Aug 26, 2014 4:47 PM	Taking this survey is the best...you'll find out what people are interested in.	
13	Aug 26, 2014 4:12 AM	Thank you for everything your are doing.	
14	Aug 26, 2014 4:00 AM	It was all great! May I suggest that any food (and the food was all outstanding) be labeled, perhaps with a brief list of possible allergens or food concerns? For example: bran muffin with almonds, pulled pork tacos, or kale salad with mango and cheddar (if, in fact, there was cheddar in it!). Some participants were not sure if they could safely eat a few items. Thanks for a valuable week!	
15	Aug 26, 2014 3:38 AM	I had a positive experience. I have worked for BC 15 years and this was our first time to participate and I enjoyed it.	
16	Aug 26, 2014 2:42 AM	More web presence. Rather than having everything within the portal it would be nice to have a website and have the appearance have more of a conference feel to it.	
17	Aug 26, 2014 2:00 AM	It was very well done. Todd, Judy and John, you are doing a great job leading this effort.	
18	Aug 26, 2014 12:25 AM	Pls convince the president that the Opening Day session is too long. She needs to give us an actual break after a couple hours so we can get up, stretch, walk to the bathroom without feeling that we are missing something important. Give her suggestions about how to make her "state of the college" session more interactive, so we do not have to sit so long and listen to one person speaking. Faculty are reminded to provide interactive and collaborative learning opportunities for our students, yet college meetings are lectures until the very end, at lunch, when we are worn out and exhausted.	
19	Aug 26, 2014 12:07 AM	No . . . just thank you again for all you did! This was the best Staff Development Week ever!	
20	Aug 25, 2014 11:37 PM	This was the best offering of subjects that I have been able to collect from. I was impressed with them.	
21	Aug 25, 2014 11:20 PM	Not that I can think of.	
22	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	I really enjoyed seeing the number of sessions offered this time, hopefully some will be available during the school year as well, in addition to the ones during opening day. Also glad that everyone was able to attend opening day, not just faculty!!!	
23	Aug 25, 2014 11:19 PM	For future stretches, have the person we are following stand on the stage so that more than the first three rows can see. People at the back were non participants because we couldn't see and it was too crowded to push forward. Some had the fun of just freestyle dancing. Others of us shyer types were just hoping to catch a glimpse and participate.	
24	Aug 25, 2014 11:10 PM	none	
25	Aug 25, 2014 10:28 PM	none	
26	Aug 25, 2014 10:18 PM	Overall the staff development was good.	
27	Aug 25, 2014 10:09 PM	No, good job guys!	
28	Aug 25, 2014 10:00 PM	The workshops were great, but we could have done without the 3 1/2 to 4 hours of talking in the morning. This should be fun, interesting and light if you expect people to attend. There were some really great highlights --- the BC Chamber singers, the SGA President and the slide presentation of the events of the year. The tributes to faculty and staff should be abbreviated. I realize that many people worked hard to put this together, but I think they need to focus less on the time that is spent listening to things that most of us don't really want to hear about and more time and attention to the actual workshops. I appreciate all the hard work that was put into setting this up.	
29	Aug 25, 2014 9:58 PM	Not really. Thanks for the variety of workshops.	
30	Aug 25, 2014 9:55 PM	This year's sessions were very good!	
31	Aug 25, 2014 9:14 PM	Thanks for the opportunity to sit it a class and learn.	
32	Aug 25, 2014 8:40 PM	No.	
33	Aug 25, 2014 8:16 PM	None.	
34	Aug 25, 2014 7:59 PM	No! The variety and number of workshops was very impressive. You all are doing a great job.	
35	Aug 25, 2014 7:57 PM	Keep doing great work. While many faculty and staff present one or two workshops, we realize you and your team support them all. So thank you for all you all do!	
36	Aug 25, 2014 7:56 PM	1) Have all sessions listed at the same time. I signed up for some sessions before others were	
		2) Have presenters practice their presentations in the rooms they will use ahead of time so no techno surprises appear. They should have a back-up plan if that occurs, too, other than describing what is not on the screen.	
		a few extra minutes between sessions	
		Good job!	

		There were several workshop I would have liked to attend but had to choose one due to conflicting times. Consider spreading session out through the year or perhaps find some to repeat later in the year.
		workshops geared toward unity of faculty and classified staff. We are a team with a common goal. Topics possible How can we respect each other, how can we communicate effectively(faculty needs vs classified needs).
37	Aug 25, 2014 7:48 PM	Classified are thanked and welcomed in the plenary sessions of opening day, but do not really feel like anything is geared towards them.... This year's student services videos were a great start!
38	Aug 25, 2014 7:35 PM	Please try to provide some kind of snack for the Adjunct Orientation. Early evening meetings make me really hungry. Plus, it would be politically correct to provide Adjunct with something to munch on during their reception.
39	Aug 25, 2014 7:18 PM	None, just keep having these afternoon sessions. THANK YOU FOR HAVING THEM.
40	Aug 25, 2014 7:17 PM	No
41	Aug 25, 2014 7:13 PM	Just a suggestion with being able to contact IT for technical issues. Our presenter didn't know how to start the power point and it was difficult on locating an IT staff. Maybe walk a talkies. Other than this minor issue I enjoyed the day.
42	Aug 25, 2014 7:10 PM	Keep up the good work! We have amazing people at BC.
43	Aug 25, 2014 7:00 PM	People who present need to be vetted. OMG some of them can not speak in full sentences. I was stunned by Michael Self.
44	Aug 25, 2014 6:51 PM	No
45	Aug 25, 2014 6:45 PM	Great job. I feel all classified staff should be required to attend sessions.
46	Aug 25, 2014 6:39 PM	Opening day was great. The number of monitors increased which assisted visualization- great. Fun videos- kudos to the videographer. One suggestion would be to NOT have any presenter during lunch. We need some "down time" and "social time" and no-one at our table paid attention because the morning was too long of seat time. Keep the a.m. to only the a.m. (no later than 12 noon and then lunch). Start sessions after 1 hour for lunch and break.
47	Aug 25, 2014 6:29 PM	More cookies?
48	Aug 25, 2014 6:25 PM	Todd is a good presenter. Very personable.
49	Aug 25, 2014 6:24 PM	Please make sure presenters stay within their time limit.
50	Aug 25, 2014 6:22 PM	Overall, the varied topics and multiple offerings were fantastic, but with so much to choose from and so much to learn, it was difficult to find time to attend all the sessions I wanted.
51	Aug 25, 2014 6:17 PM	This recommendation does not fall under future staff development sessions. I would like to see an additional box placed on the BC website that communicates (announces) changes for BC processes such as BANNER changes, budget information, deadlines, etc. so employees are all on the same page.