FSS Diversity Committee Meeting Minutes

February 5, 2013

**Present**: Patricia Prado, Selma Selvera, Brian Solis, Joel Trevino, Joe Piazza, Floyd Torres, Charlie Salas, Fermin Torrez

**Absent**: Colleen Cook, Mark Jesse, Russell Clark, Yolanda Strey

**Call to Order**: Meeting was called to order at 10:06 a.m.

**Minutes**: Selma Selvera

**Time Keeper**: Pat Prado

**Agenda**: Approved

**Approval of Minutes**: RTA – Charlie will distribute the minutes for January 8, 2013 soon.

**Guest Speaker:** Dr. Stella Silva, Associate Director, Multicultural Student Affairs

Dr. Silva spoke on opportunities for MSA and the FSS Diversity Committee to work together to bring awareness to staff, faculty and students on diversity programs. She spoke on the annual events and celebrations that are offered by MSA. Dr. Silva also recommended films and documentaries to the committee to consider for the FSS Diversity Film Series.

**Website/Accomplishment Report** – Selma Selvera – No report

**Film Series** – Joe Piazza, Brian Solis, Floyd Torres – Joe distributed the results of the film evaluations for *Our Family Wedding*. There was some discussion on the comments received and movie recommendations for the next film.

Next film – May 29, 2013 – 11:00 – 1:00 p.m.

**Newsletter** – Charlie Salas, Joel Trevino – No report

**Supervisor Training** – Patricia Prado, Joe Piazza – Nina Godiwalla will be facilitating two workshops on Tuesday, April 2, 2013. The first session entitled “Stereotypes: Mental Shortcuts” is open for all FSS employees. The second session, “Inclusion” is for all FSS directors and administrators.

**Marketing/Promotion** – Yolanda Strey, Mark Jesse, Joel Trevino – No report

**Research/Diversity Quotes** – Fermin Torrez, Joel Trevino – No report

**Outreach** – Russell Clark, Mark Jesse, Brian Solis – Drop by Drop video will be shown in February in JCK460

**Committee Business**: RTA

**Next Meeting:** March 5, 2013

