Student Scholarships, Fellowships, and Financial Aid Committee
Minutes of 27 March 1995

1. The Minutes of the February 27, 1995 meeting were approved.

2. Vicky Morris, Director of Donor Stewardship in the Office of Institutional Advancement, was the guest speaker. Ms. Morris indicated that of the three sources of financial aid available at ECU: ECU Foundation, Financial Aid, and Financial Services, she oversees financial aid through the ECU Foundation. These are endowed scholarships. She has researched criteria for each of the different scholarships available and has prepared a directory of these scholarships. These directories are available in every dean's office. Committee members requested that these directories be made available at each department.

COMMITTEE GOALS: Please refer to the listing of goals identified by this committee and listed in the Minutes of the February 27, 1995 meeting.

3. Regarding Goal #1: The Retention Committee has not reported on the telephone survey. The SSFFA Committee will seek this report next year.

4. Regarding Goal #2: Rose Mary Stelma reported that she has requested the Director of Research Assessment and Testing (in the Office of Student Life) to conduct a survey. Hopefully, such a survey will be conducted next year.

5. Regarding Goal #4: Rose Mary Stelma reported that her department has identified $5 million worth of unmet financial aid need. She is working on the detailed sector-wide breakdown of this amount. When completed, she will send the report to the Chancellor.

6. Regarding Goal #5: Rose Mary Stelma reported that by next fall, an updated directory of scholarships and awards will be available.

7. Regarding Goal #6: Refer to Vicky Morris' remarks noted under item #2 above.

8. Regarding Goal #7: It is anticipated that there will be some appeals coming up in July. Three volunteers are needed. These volunteers are: Michael Myrick, Frances Daugherty, Kathy Misulis.

9. Regarding Goal #8: This goal was put on hold at Rose Mary Stelma's request. The goal will be addressed next year.

10. Regarding Goal #9: See Vicky Morris' remarks noted under item #2 above.

11. Please note: The next meeting will be April 28 at 4:00 P.M.

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