Student Learning Outcomes & Assessment Committee Agenda

September 9, 2008 3:15 – 4:45 pm in Room 700/Building 700

- 1. Review minutes from the meeting on July 22, 2008.
- 2. Review SLO ID Forms that have been submitted since last meeting.
- 3. Define "outcome". Here are some examples:

From <u>Cabrillo College</u>: "A Student Learning Outcome is different from a course objective. SLOs for the classroom describe the knowledge, skills, abilities or attitudes that a student can demonstrate by the end of your course."

From <u>Skyline College</u>: "Student Learning Outcomes are the degree to which students are learning what is intended for them to learn, whether on the course, program, or institutional level."

From Oxnard College: "A student learning outcome is a statement of expectation that articulates what students will know, do, or feel as a result of a 'treatment' where what students have learned is assessed, documented, and used for improving learning."

From <u>Diablo Valley College</u>: "A student learning outcome is a statement of what a learner is expected to know, understand or be able to do as a result of a learning process. The intended educational outcomes must be consistent with the institutional mission."

- 4. Describe "Strive for Five" begin to develop descriptions of the five ISLO's
- Discuss SLO cycle
- 6. Open

IVC Mission Statement: The mission of Imperial Valley College is to foster excellence in education that challenges students of every background to develop their intellect, character, and abilities; to assist students in achieving their educational and career goals; and to be responsive to the greater community.

SLO Committee Mission Statement: *The vision of the IVC SLO committee is to nurture a culture of improvement by measuring student learning across the institution; facilitating ongoing collegiality; promoting self-reflective dialog; and celebrating diversity.*