



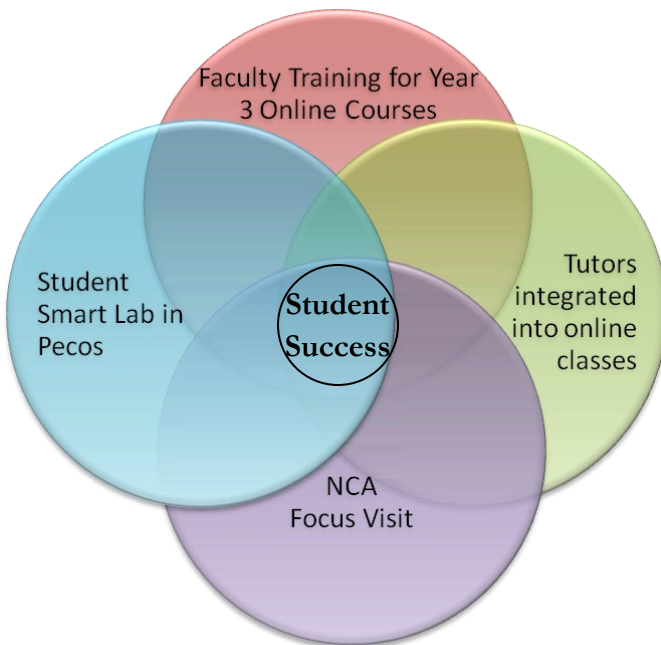
Luna Community College's Title V Mission:

"Developing a comprehensive online learning network for rural, time and place-bound students."

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July was a busy and productive month in the Title V program. There were four major initiatives that were initiated during the month.

- The NCA Focus Visit will be on Nov. 8th and 9th in which a team of evaluators will evaluate the distance learning services. As of this date, the distance education online classes have serviced 1,125 students since January of 2008. Thirty-three classes have been developed and piloted in online delivery and 28 instructors have been trained in developing their courses for implementation.

- Four (4) online tutors started with the Title V program July 1, 2010 assisting students with their coursework in the computer labs in the ACCESS Center. Training has already begun and more training is upcoming for preparing the tutors to help the instructors with online delivery of courses. The Fall 2010 courses are as follows:

- ▶ HIST 220 History of New Mexico
- ▶ SPAN 101 Spanish I
- ▶ ANTH 221 Cultures of the World
- ▶ MATH 116 Intermediate Algebra
- ▶ MATH 180 College Algebra
- ▶ ENG 204 American Literature I
- ▶ NRS224 Management of Client Care within the Community
- ▶ NRS254 Pharmacotherapeutic Interventions III

- The Student Smart Lab in Pecos is still work in progress as the electrical work is almost completed and the T-1 line is getting installed. Twelve(12) workstations and computers have already been ordered to complete the lab.

- The year 3 faculty have been going through intense training since April in preparation of developing their courses for the 2010-2011 school year. The faculty are getting trained in **Blackboard** (learning management system for delivery of online courses), **Wimba** (web conferencing tool), **PLATO** (academic support application for delivery of online supplemental instructional material), and utilizing the recording studio for recording lectures for their classes. They are excited and eager to begin teaching the classes they have been developing.

As you can see from the Venn Diagram, all four Title V initiatives focus on *student success*.

Point to Ponder:

"Practice is the best of all instructors"
- Publilius Syrus

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