

**MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Agenda Item Summary Sheet**

Name: Joint Meeting of the Academic and Student Affairs
and the Diversity and Equity Committees

Date: March 19, 2014

Title: Closing the Achievement Gap, Annual Update on Persistence and Completion

Purpose (check one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Proposed
New Policy or
Amendment to
Existing Policy | <input type="checkbox"/> Approvals
Required by
Policy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Approvals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monitoring /
Compliance | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information | |

Brief Description:

The goal of this discussion is for committee to review progress and discuss planned initiatives that aim to reduce the achievement gap between students of color and white students.

Scheduled Presenter(s): John O'Brien, Leon Rodrigues, Craig Schoenecker