COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT VIII Bellevue College Bellevue, Washington

OVERVIEW

ACE Fellow Summary of Activities

College staff members have been honored to host Dr. Adenuga (Nuga) Atewologun, dean of College of DuPage's Natural and Applied Sciences Division, as a participant in the American Council on Education (ACE) 2008-2009 ACE Fellows program. Nuga has worked closely with Jean Floten, Jim Bennett and Paula Boyum to develop his leadership skills over the past nine months. In addition, he has contributed his knowledge and perspective to many activities at Bellevue College. Nuga will be presenting an overview of his activities during his fellowship.

Since 1965, hundreds of vice presidents, deans, department chairs, faculty, and other emerging leaders have participated in the ACE Fellows Program, the nation's premier higher education leadership development program in preparing senior leaders to serve American colleges and universities. ACE Fellows spend an extended period of time on another campus, working directly with presidents. This unique program condenses years of on-the-job experience and skills development into a single year.

Fellows:

- Observe and participate in key meetings and events, and take on special projects and assignments while under the mentorship of a team of experienced administrators.
- Participate in three week-long national seminars, visit other campuses, and attend national meetings.
- Make contact with a national network of higher education leaders.
- Learn by observing and doing!

The ACE Fellows Program enables participants to immerse themselves in the culture, policies, and decision-making processes of another institution.

An engineer by training, Nuga earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Ife in Nigeria and his master's and doctorate degrees from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

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