Library Student Advisory Council: Meeting Notes (January 18, 2022; Virtual)

Attendees: Allyson Muir, Amorah Schultze, Andrea Ongaco, Dora Ogbonna, James Garza, Jamie Hau-Riege, Jennifer Ramirez, Katie Gillespie, Kwadwo Asiedu, Melissa Heredia, Rebecca Cardona, Sahiti Yenumula, Samantha Ta, Sherry Tao, Sky-Lauryn White, Teju Patil, Zhixing Jiang

I.   **Welcome to LSAC and Introductions**
Dani Cook, Associate University Librarian Learning & User Experience, welcomed Library Student Advisory Council members over Zoom and thanked them for joining. She introduced Kristin Kiellch and Savannah Bradley from UCSD's Office of Strategic Initiatives to discuss Library strategic planning.

II.   **Library Strategic Planning**
Kristin and Savannah laid out an overview of the timeline for Library strategic planning and encouraged students to participate by responding to the following questions. The consultants conducted a group interview and took anonymous notes, which will be summarized and given to Library leadership.

1.   (Aspirational): How would you define a world-class library?
2.   (Strengths): What are our greatest strengths as a library? How should we build upon these strengths?
3.   (Current State / Aspirational): How are our programs, services, collections, and perceived across campus? Regionally (i.e. in our state?) Nationally?
4.   (Aspirational): What do we want our Library to be known for? How do we want to be perceived locally, regionally and nationally? What should our "brand" be to the outside world?
5.   (Current State): In your opinion, what are the most important services that we currently provide?
6.   (Impact): Are there any services that we do not currently provide and should consider offering?
7.   (Opportunities): Are there any constituents or groups that we do not currently serve sufficiently and should consider focusing on?
8.   (Impact): Now we'd like you to envision the year 2040. How will libraries change and how will the library need to adapt in order to ensure we are relevant and effective?
9.   (EDI): UC San Diego's EDI goal is to cultivate "a diverse and inclusive university community that encourages respectful open dialogue, and challenges itself to take bold actions that will ensure learning is accessible and affordable for all." How has the Library historically supported campus EDI goals? What can the Library do going forward to demonstrate its continued commitment to Equity, Diversity & Inclusion, and help fulfill UC San Diego's EDI goal?
10.   (Start / Stop): As we develop and implement our strategic plan, what should we do less of to make room for change?
11.   (Other): Is there anything else we should be asking or that you would like to include?

The next LSAC meeting (February 15, 2022) will be held in person in Geisel's Meeting Room (1st Floor East), pending COVID restrictions lifting. That room may be cold, so bring a cover-up, if needed.