

## **Student Affairs Professional Enrichment Conference group activity**

### **What are ideas for collaborating across Student Affairs and Middle Georgia State University to enhance an inclusive environment?**

- Institutional committee to explore campus social justice issues
- More international awareness with Food (collaborating with Food Service, Student Life & Residence Life); Expand international festival to each campus; Make International festivals – make more educational; Food pantry – include other cultural foods, diverse products and basic hygiene products.
- Open conversations on health and wellness needs of students.
- Engagement and collaborations with Academic Affairs; collaborate with other departments , like working with Disability Services to increase awareness (wheel chair basketball game); Collaborate with other departments: Start conversations (Faculty & Staff meet each semester); host events / informal.
- Increased understanding of educational outcomes of programs
- Job Swaps – (Have people move from campus to campus to get better understanding)
- Reevaluate students, faculty and staff needs annually as they evolve; work as a navigator to assist and work in an inclusive manner across departments.
- Reduce the feel of individual campuses. Increase feel of unified university. Unified programs, services, athletics, academic programs, etc.
- More programs for students from other countries/speak other languages; Partnering / accommodation programs for international students (Roommates = International + American students)
- Continue to connect with student groups / individuals for feedback and implementing suggestions; Continue to encourage students to get involved in activities and also RSOs; encouraging collaborations between RSOs.
- Create a diversity department / diversity representative / increase diversity programs