TECMSC Strengths
- State priority on MOCs
  - Cutting edge
- UT- Victor, Luis; Members- 4, 2 years, ISD; 1 of 1- as a center focused on men of color; data rich
- Window of opportunity
- Diversity (institutional)
- Hot topic (national attention)
- Passionate vision
- Nimble
- Statewide view
- Large population affect
- Committed community
- Design/vision
- Serving community
- Intersegmental (K-12 & H.E)

TECMSC Weaknesses
- Future Funding
  - Future revenue
- Maintaining Momentum of YMOCs
  - On-vamping new members
- Why should people care?
- State oversight influence
- Institutional factors
- Varying mission of the 3 levels
- Education partners
- Size of issue
  - Opportunity to develop the future leaders
- Lack of success
  - What do we do well? And lets stick to it.
- Definition of success
- Stakeholder inclusion
  - Don’t include the men, their families.
  - How do we find out who those stakeholders are and how do we get them involved?
  - Do we have workforce involvement?
- No student involvement
- Lots of moving parts
- Exclusive
  - Who gets to play and why?
  - Be, become, be known for
- Unclear message “What are we doing and why are we doing it?”
  - Need elevator speech

TECMSC Threats
- Lack of sustainable funds
• Young organization
• Cohesive collective vision
• Losing momentum
• Mostly men at the decision making table
• Multiple agendas
• Common metric (outcomes)
• Exclusivity
  o Men centric
• Policy local/state/fed
• View from the outside
• Finding a core metric
• Lack of quantifiable outcomes across sectors
• Changes in leadership
• Institutional buy-in

TECMSC Strengths
• Setting the tone
• Alignment of purpose for student success
• Shared practice
• Growth of consortium
• National implications
• Training future leaders
• Impact at the national level
• Black brown coalitions
• Effect institutional change
• Advance best practices
• “models” of practice
• Policy development influence
• Cultivate a learning community
• The need to move the number
• Ethics
  o Its malpractice we are not doing anything
  o Is it ethical that we are not doing anything?
  o We take tuition money but not use it to serve their needs?
• Define/influence-> meaning of success
• National model
• Opportunity to build/encourage/support/nurture future leaders
• Financial meeting
  o We are setting the agenda without having the funds
  o What does it look like? What are the possibilities?