Meeting Minutes

The University of North Carolina at Pembroke Academic Information Technology Committee (AITC)

Monday, March 16, 2020 at 3:30 p.m. Chavis University Center 208

Members of AITC

Joe West, (Chair) - Ottis Murray, (Secretary)

Senators:

Larry Arnold (ARTS, 2020)
Lisa Mitchell (EDUC, 2020)
Roland Stout (NSM, 2021)
Ki Byung Chae (CHS, 2021)
Jaime Martinez (LETT, 2021)
Mohammad Rahman (SBS, 2020)
Katina Blue, AVC of Information Resources/CIO
Miguel Nino, Dir. Online Learning Resources/CIO
Terry Locklear, Instructional Designer
Dennis Swanson, Dean of Mary Livermore Library
Debbie Bullard, Accessibility Resource Center
Des Woods, SGA Senator

Members Present: Joe West, Ottis Murray, Katina Blue, Debbie Bullard, Jaime Martinez,

Larry Arnold, Lisa Mitchell, Miguel Nino, Mohammad Rahman

Members Absent: Dennis Swanson, Terry Locklear, Roland Stout, Ki Byung Chae

<u>Visitors</u>: Ray Buehne, Tabitha O. Locklear, Liz Cummings, Wes Fraizer

- A. Roll Call: Meeting was called to order at 3:31 pm.
- B. Approval of Minutes: Minutes approved.
- C. Adoption of Agenda: Agenda approved.
- D. Reports
 - a. AITC Chair Joe West
 - (a) Courseval Discussion regarding contract renewal
 - 1. Renewal date; necessity of change; no immediate need.
 - Use is fairly new at undergraduate level.
 - Renewal is in May, but given the coronavirus conditions, it does not make sense
 - 2. Faculty access to results; process questions; workflow concerns
 - Faculty Handbook revisions if changed
 - 3. Student participation (e.g., one course; 4% return rate)
 - i. Strategies; do we incentivize v. academic freedom?
 - (b) Heat Ticket Heat ticket closed without explanation as to resolution
 - 1. Process is to verify problem fixed prior to closing ticket
 - a. DoIt will follow-up on this
 - (c) Passwords WebEx Teams/WebEx Meetings
 - 1. Discussion ref. disabling automatic passwords for online recordings in WebEx Teams / WebEx Meetings

- i. HelpDesk tickets showing faculty recording, but student could not view without password; apparently, WebEx update set password requirement as the default
- ii. Issue: Access + control + authentication
- iii. Change default v. More security is better
- <u>Action Item</u>: Joe will experiment with WebEx Canvas/WebEx Teams and report at next meeting whether or not there's integration
- (2) AVC for Information Resources/CIO Katina Blue (Ray & Liz)
 - (a) Tech Plan Follow-up
 - 1. Of course, Covid-19 consuming our time, tasks, priorities, etc.
 - 45% of current projects considered "core" projects; remainder administrative, academic mix
 - Prior students can make payment (holds, fees, etc.) through app that is under development
 - Research on backing up user data from workstation
 - 2. IT Tech Survey (Appendix B)
 - 3. IT Governance document; ongoing process
 - 4. Faculty & International travel; security/access, review & planning
 - 5. Classroom refreshes scheduled with department chair/deans (classrooms/needs)
 - (b) Announcement: Liz Cummings & Ray Buehne: Deputy CIOs
 - (c) Question: Is additional Tech Plan information needed?
 - (d) Brief summary of ongoing coordination between DoIT & OOL
- (3) Director of Online Learning Miko Nino
 - (a) Focused in converting face-to-face courses into online environment
 - 1. Link for resources
 - 2. Limiting scope of tools: a function of availability and ability to provide ongoing support for faculty/students
 - Encouraged to use tools acquired/approved by your school
 - 3. Numerous opportunities/venues for faculty engagement both synchronous and asynchronous in-person/online (e.g., questions, learning, trouble-shooting, demonstrations, one-on-one assistance, workshops, walk-ins)
 - 4. Canvas course for new online students
- (4) Dean of Library Services Dennis Swanson (absent/no report)
 - 1. DoIt (Liz) involved in assisting library
 - Shared mailbox for the reference desk
 - Offer WebEx session to campus (general library account for WebEx teams and WebEx meetings)
- E. Unfinished Business
 - a. Student Computing Initiative (update) Lisa
- F. New Business: none

G. For the Good of the Order:

H. DoIt Technology Report for AITC: latest link will be provided.

I. Announcement: noneJ. Adjournment: 4.46 pm