

President's Council
Meeting Summary
January 5, 2011
2:30 p.m., CSS 301C

Attendance: Burcham, Davison-Wilson, Eisler, Erickson, Evans, Green, Kamptner, Pilgrim, Postema, Scoby, Willey

Discussion Items:

- Mid-Semester Planning Review
 - President Eisler led the review and discussion on planning results started last summer.

- Vice President presentations of mid-year initiatives, including progress, impediments, milestones, assistance
 - Academic Affairs:
 - Reviewing Academic Organization
 - Enhance Student Success
 - Academic Incubator
 - Online
 - Grants Office

 - Administration and Finance:
 - Auxiliary Enterprises – restructuring and strategies
 - Reorganization of divisional human resources
 - Implementation and monitoring of campus master plan
 - Athletics
 - Facility projects
 - Other

 - Student Affairs:
 - Seamless Environment
 - University Center planning
 - Commuter Student support
 - “Enhancing Commuter Student Experience at FSU” to be updated
 - Student Engagement

 - EIO/CPTS:
 - G1/I3: Cultivate a stimulating, student-centered learning environment that integrates global society.
 - G1/I7: Develop and implement a plan for Ferris State University’s multi-site presence.
 - G2/I5: Enhance the sense of community for everyone at Ferris State University, including those attending or working online and at all FSU sites.
 - G3/I2: Expand the marketing campaign to promote Ferris State University

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- G6/I2: Designate a standing “blue sky” committee to review market trends, identify opportunities and work with appropriate leaders and structures to facilitate the development of innovative programs.

- Governmental Relations and General Counsel:
 - Adjunct Faculty
 - Inclusion Advocates (will provide list of who attended Summer U sessions)
 - Compliance Committee
 - Federal Lobbying
 - Conflict Resolution

- KCAD:
 - Academic Planning
 - Federal Building

- Diversity and Inclusion:
 - Diversifying Workforce
 - Foster/Orphan Program
 - Diversity Education/Training
 - Relocating the Jim Crow Museum (progress report to BOT in February)

- Enrollment
VP Burcham provided Spring 2011 registration data.

- President Eisler
The President emphasized that we still need to identify more of what we will not do. The sub-group is working on responding to the themes heard in the administrative employees meetings. Additional funding was allocated for student work, will be transferred to Student Employment for spring and summer and will be monitored through that office.

Next meeting date: January 19, 9am-Noon, CSS 301C

Meeting adjourned 5:00 p.m.

Submitted by Elaine R. Kamptner