Missouri S&T Retention Committee Meeting
March 21st, 2013
8:15-9:15 AM


Members Absent: Tim Albers, Patty Frisbee, Edna Grover-Bisker, Leon Hall, Thulasi Kumar, Laura Stoll, Ramya Thiagarajan.

Guest: Adrienne Neckermann

I. Review and Approval of Minutes
The committee members reviewed the minutes from the March 7th, 2013 meeting. A motion was made (Stephen Raper) and seconded (Klaus Woelk) to approve the minutes with no corrections.

II. Old Business
a. None.

III. New Business

a. English Performance Subcommittee Presentation
4 reading and writing challenges with subcommittee recommendations are:
  • Reading comprehension
    Recommendation: Diagnostic Reading and Grammar Testing for all incoming students. English 20 lab for those that fall below Level 1 benchmark.
  • AP/CLEP
    Recommendation: Greater Scrutiny/Revisit Criteria regarding AP acceptance and CLEP benchmarks.
  • Advising regarding English 20, 60, 65 & 160
    Recommendation: Information cards detailing course content, intended students, prerequisites.
  • Writing Across the Curriculum
    Recommendation: 3 semester reading and writing course sequence.

IV. Announcements
a. None.

V. Next Meeting: Thursday, April 4th, 2013 at 8:15 am.
The meeting was adjourned.