Committee on Strategic Planning & Priorities (CSPP) Minutes

Meeting Description: CSPP Meeting

Meeting Date: February 12, 2014 @1:30-2:50pm, SSC331

Attendees: Angeloni, Auryan, Curtis, Hecht (late), Landreau, Liberty, Meola, Norvell, Paliwal (late), Ricketts, Scarpati, Taylor, Wells, Wiley

1. Next steps in advancing signature experiences

* Mentored Internships, Community Engaged Learning, and Leadership Development were identified as needing attention
* Groups will be formed to inventory what we are doing, what we should be doing, and to develop metrics
* Auryan and Taylor will develop charges for groups, number of members
* Faculty and Staff Senates will solicit volunteers and make recommendations for members

1. Assessment of Phase II of Strategic Plan

* Year-end meeting – what have we not done and what to focus on in final year
* Status update on strategic plan from Provost/President
* Deans should take time at beginning of year to discuss their strategic plans

2a. Paliwal distributed minutes; approved with changes

1. Brainstorming about institutional priorities

Committee broke up into small groups and reported back

1. community; lack of identity; school spirit; connection to outside community
2. defining a culture; how to use points of distinction; name recognition and visibility; revenue generation
3. need for long term thinking about data and decision making geared toward effectiveness instead of reporting; need for continued focus on who we are as an academic institution; revenue generation and how this changes our identity
4. more prominent place for assessment; plans for growth; details about what is being done about diversity; budget needs for this year; faculty categories tenure, adjunct etc.

Respectfully submitted by Marc Meola for Manish Paliwal