

Core Objectives Assessment Team (COAT)

Meeting Minutes

November 15, 2016 4:00 PM, CHEC – 225

Kerry called the meeting to order at 4:00.

- Rubric Review committee update
 - Kerry reminded the group of the sub-committee to review the rubrics. She explained that in addition to the task of insuring consistency between the rubrics that group will also form a plan for regular rubric review.
 - She made the sign-up sheet available for anyone who wanted to assist in this process.
- Co-chair replacement
 - Kerry explained that this was Mike's final meeting as Co-Chair of COAT. She recognized and thanked him for his many years of service.
 - > The new co-chair, Rachel Bzostek, was introduced.
 - Kerry explained how the Co-Chair system works. She will continue to serve as the primary chair through August 2017 assisted by Rachel. In September, Rachel takes over as primary chair assisted by Kerry until Kerry is replaced by the new co-chair one year from now.
 - In addition it was mentioned that now is the time to discuss with your Discipline Leads the plan for next year. There is no term limit on COAT participation, but if anyone is rotating off, a new member must be assigned.
- Faculty Development Conference
 - A sign-up sheet was provided for anyone wanting to assist with the COAT presentation at the Faculty Development Conference in January.
- Improvement Plan
 - Kerry introduced the concern about what is being done with the COAT findings to improve the quality of Core Education.
 - Kathleen explained that SACS and THECB have the expectation that the assessment will inform the improvement plan for the college.
 - Cameron explained that when a student graduates with a Core certificate it should verify that these students are competent in the core objectives.
 - There was a question of how to provide feedback without breaking the confidentiality of the process. The suggestion was made that improved approaches and methods of teaching to the rubrics be made available to everyone.
 - In addition this was suggested as a topic for the Faculty Development Conference and that the process would be improved by the give and take of discussion.
- Spring Meeting Dates
 - > January 6, 2017 9:00 2:30
 - Spring meeting dates
 - Jan 9 at 3:00 PM
 - Feb 21 at 4:00 PM
 - March 20 at 4:00 PM
 - > April 18 at 4:00 PM
- The meeting adjourned at 4:35.
- Next meeting is January 9 at 3:00 PM

COAT Sign-in 11-15-16

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