Technology Committee (TC)

Faculty Senate Technology Committee
Meeting Minutes – 9/8/21

- **Start:** 12:00 PM
- **End:** 1:15 PM
- **Place:** Online Via Webex
- **In Attendance:**
  - Douglas Macur – Chair
  - Alaa Sheta
  - Joe Fields
  - Larry Brancazio
  - Andrea Adimando
  - Gayle Bessenhoff
- **Absent:**
  - None

**Student Response Surveys (SRS)**

The Committee discussed possible methods of incentivizing student participation in the Student Response Surveys

- At Central Connecticut State University all students who fill out SRS are automatically entered into a drawing for a “bookstore scholarship.”
  - Discussion of possibly using something similar here at SCSU.
  - “Scholarship” language is problematic, other options were explored.
  - Discussed inviting the Provost to our next Committee meeting to discuss the possibility of funding such a drawing.
- Discussed allotting time in classes to take the SRS.
- Discussed possibly administering the SRS on the reading day for that semester.
- Discussed the question of who should be receiving the results of the SRS.
  - Unanimously agreed that results should be sent to both the department chair and the instructor.
- Discussed the merits of creating two publicity campaigns for the SRS.
  - One directed at faculty encouraging setting aside class time to administer the SRS.
  - One directed at students to incentivize them.