

Student Policy Committee (SPC)

2/14/2024 Agenda

Attendance: Amanda Strong, Elliott Horch, Kate Marsland, Beena Achhpal, Deron Grabel, Joan Weir, Matt Ouimet, Jillian Rispoli, Elizabeth Wilkinson

Guests in Attendance: Melissa Lopez, Jules Tetreault

Start: 12:16pm

Old Business:

1. Banner notes - specific to Hybrid courses, where “notes” were required to appear in the schedule indicating dates, additional work, and other differences.
 - a. Joann Academic Advisors
 - b. Meredith: follow-up
 - c. School/College Faculty Advisor- finding consistency
 - d. *confusion amongst students*
 - e. “remaining credit hours asynchronous”, or a way that can transfer to all portals
 - f. RECOMMENDATIONS: chairs need to write better notes, systemic research on FYE data on this? ,NESCE/BESCE (could we add site specific questions) longitudinal)
2. Availability of Menstrual Products on campus (3rd): BEGIN at 1pm
 - i. Access to menstrual projects legislation- we technically are following it, but not really at all times.
 - ii. What is your take on expanding hours?
 - iii. Suggestions on how it may occur/ hurdles?
 - iv. Menstrual Equity Law
 - v. Notes in bathrooms about where products are available
 - b. Melissa & Jules: process of bringing groups together as stakeholders to help
 - i. 4 locations from period pantry
 - ii. Quickest and easiest expansion would be at library to be supported
 - iii. Funded through operational dollars from SHS.
 - iv. Long-term planning: begin to think about what it looks like/sustain
 - v. Access out of hours:
 - vi. Proposals put together: 8 bathrooms commonly and easily accessible (10-12,000)
 1. Custodial duties to fill in bathrooms.
 2. Potentially library and student center (other than SAGE center)
 3. 2 weeks with presidents office and discuss program and donor. Get that in front of leadership team.
 4. SHS cannot fund this next phase.
 5. Current operational fund cannot add this.
 - vii. CT Foundation potentially taking over for Food Pantry: end of fiscal year potentially
 - c. Zumba-a-thon/Food Panty and period pantry support
 - i. Announcement coming soon
3. Student Re-admission (4/5)
 - a. skipped
4. Clarity of flow for Student Academic Complaints (4/5)
 - a. skipped

5. Enrollment, Retention, Persistence (1st)
 - a. General discussion- “where we are”
 - b. Want a comprehensive discussion about enrollment management
 - c. Where do we stand with general enrollment
 - d. Targeted needs
 - e. “HOW are we doing”

FYE data? Nicole Henderson for seeing if questions on registration could be added?