Educational Technology Committee February 23, 2023 (approved 3/23/23)

Name	Location	PR/ EX	Name	Location	PR/ EX
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Tammy Montgomery	DO-AVCI		Guest: Steven McDowell	DO-OIR	х
Guest: Theresa Milan	DO-EWC	х			

Welcome & Announcements

The zoom meeting was called to order by the faculty co-chair at 3:00p.

Approval of Notes from February and the Agenda

The agenda for today's meeting was approved, and the notes from the February meeting were approved.

Discussion Items

- LOCAL POCR Data Report AVP Workforce Development & Online Engagement and the Research Office presented course completion data on courses that went through the POCR process. Data was taken from two semesters before and two semesters after alignment. And showed a slight (0.5%) decline in student success which is contra to what was expected. The committee asked questions about the data and it was noted that the data includes the initial semesters affected by COVID, and that an improved student experience in these courses was not documented. The slight decline in student success doesn't indicate a lack of success for the POCR process or the value that faculty who participated in the process received via professional development. Members requested some additional data from the Research Office and a request to have a coversheet accompany the data.
- <u>**R-3142</u>** revised language was shared. It was noted that anything that is "10+1 item" is DAS prevue and any changes LMS Coordinators wish to make would be a recommendation to District Academic Senate. Items that are NOT "10+1" do not need DAS approval, but DAS input is highly recommended via report at DAS meetings and/or direct contact with the DAS President by the faculty co-chair to gain their input.</u>

Changes to the Regulation should be on the April 24th Chancellor's Cabinet agenda to make our timeline. The Faculty Co-chair will share the current revised language with DAS.

- <u>Proctorio Reinstall</u>– the AVCIT noted that the removal of Proctorio will cause some faculty to have to recreate old exams. The AVCIT will be checking with the vendor to see if there's a workaround for this. It was noted the LMS coordinators reaffirmed their recommendation to turn off the functions and eliminate it, and that there is no guarantee that a replacement will be found. However, DAS may task this group with researching a replacement.
- <u>Chat GPT & Potential Issues</u> it was noted that the district doesn't currently have a policy related to ChatGPT, which is an artificial intelligence software. SCC has started a small workgroup to talk identify issues related to chat GPT and begin discussions about best practices. It was hoped that their findings could be shared with Ed Tech Committee so that a broader discussion involving all four campuses could be held. It was noted that there's a challenge because some think it's an infringement on student rights/academic freedom. Are there implications for Section 55005 (publications of course standards) and the use of AI/Chat GPT or can we keep it generic/nonspecific. Should professional development be offered? How will the District uniformly meet the 55005 requirements? What is the definition of required technology? The Deputy Chancellor will discuss this at the next VPI meeting.

Informational Updates

- DOIT/LMS none
- AVCI none
- DAPIC/IAC meets tomorrow with Chancellors Office Accessibility Center
- CVC-OEI FastTrack none
- Library working with IT on the ability to collect fines
- College/LMS/DE the DE master plan at CRC is being updated and including the student perspective related to online/onground courses; hyflex discussions are occurring at FLC; SCC is submitting their DE program plan on March 6th; ARC noted that the CVC website is being updated with information on fully online certificates

It was asked how much of the new Universal Design & Accessibility Coordinator's position could be allocated to continuing POCR work? It was noted that the DAS is currently reviewing the job description and due to hiring timelines, the hiring of the UDCs may be delayed. These positions will be filled with full-time tenured faculty. Any questions could be directed to the AVCI.

Future Agenda item:

- ChatGPT/Definition of Required Technology
- Tracking Degrees that have Zero Cost for Textbooks
- Regulation 3412