

Strategic Planning Committee

Academic Excellence and Research Subcommittee

Minutes

Thursday, April 13, 2017

Heth 045

11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Members Present: Carter Turner (co-chair), Susan Schoppelrey, Ebenezer Kolajo, Lisa Vassady, Lydia McCallister, Corey Cassidy, Jeanne Mekolichick, Karen Montgomery, Lori Elis, Janessa Steele, Tara Phelps-Durr, Tom Cruise, Joe Wirgau, Angela Joyner, Nancy Artis, Virginia Weisz, Eileen Lagos, Ken Cox, Joe Scartelli (co-chair)

- I. Called to order at 11:00 AM.
- II. Review rough draft goals and strategies
 - a. Signature programs, centers of excellence, interdisciplinary programs, new degree programs
 - i. Health & human services
 - ii. Safety & information security
 - iii. What does academic excellence mean? And does this constitute a third goal? (Communicate well orally and in writing, critical thinking, ability to apply knowledge to real-world situations)
- III. All groups should look through the responses to the survey, especially for your subgroup but also the entire set of results
- IV. Templates with budgets must be submitted by May 15
- V. Adjourned at 12:05.

Respectfully submitted by Susan Schoppelrey