

Undergraduate Advising Council
Thursday, September 19, 2013
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm, 240 Rinker Hall

Minutes

Meeting called to order at 3:30 pm.

Minutes from the September meeting were approved and moved for posting to the UAC site.

Dr. Sherry Benton of the Counseling and Wellness Center presented to the UAC their new online counseling tools. Programs such as “Kognito” and “the Desk” are available to students at the university. <http://www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc/SelfHelp-Resources.aspx>

These are both new resources to the UF community and have been effectively used in other settings such as Australia and Europe. The CWC is carefully tracking the progress of the programs and have created tools to measure the effectiveness. The UAC looks forward to see the progress made by these new and innovative outreach strategies.

Due to limited time considerations, the time remaining for this meeting was used to discuss preparation for the 2014 UF Advisor Training Conference. After some discussion about previous size and budget of the 2013 conference, the discussion moved on to the format and content of the 2014 program. Andrew Wehle proposed that a supplementary meeting be held on October 31 at 3:30 to continue this discussion in greater detail. This motion was seconded and approved.

Meeting was adjourned.