**ACUA Meeting Minutes**

**Farrior Hall 2024**

**March 7, 2017**

**1:30-3:00pm**

**Attendees:** Angela Lindner, Tammy Aagard, Joel Brendemuhl, Keith Carodine, Abdol Chini, Kim Curry, Tom Dana, Linda Haddad, Chris Janelle, David Pharies, Christine Richmond, Jen Day Shaw, Joe Spillane, Curtis Taylor, Nancy Waldron, Al Wysocki, Marie Zeglen

**Guests:** Jeff Citty, Matt Jacobs, David Julian, Brandi Baker

1. Welcome (Lindner)
   1. Introductions from today’s guests.
   2. Dr. Lindner thanked Joe Spillane and Christine Richmond for hosting today’s meeting in the newly renovated facility at Farrior Hall/Academic Advising Center.
2. Division of Student Affairs Update (Jen Day Shaw)

Distributed Preview Calendar, Gator Career Closet/U Matter, We Care info card and Newell Hall hiring announcement.

Multicultural and Diversity Affairs discussion and director/new staff recruitment update.

Student Government elections were held last week. SGA’s primary focus is academic success. Faculty are encouraged to meet with SGA students in their classes as they receive A&S funding that is very beneficial for support of academic functions.

* 1. Action Items:
     1. Gator Career Closet donations are needed, particularly men’s items. These are loaned to students and alumni up to 6 month post-graduation for employment interviews.
     2. Newell Hall opens April 17. There is a need for student workers here as the staff position didn’t receive funding. Please direct any potential FWSP students to Student Affairs.

1. Experiential Learning, SLO’s & Framework (Dr. Chris Hass’ Team—Matt Jacobs, David Julian & Brandi Baker)
   1. See attached presentation.
   2. UF Quest Task Force overview.
2. Innovation Academy Changes (Jeff Citty)

Innovation Academy had a banner recruitment and admissions year. Applications and admissions doubled. Very close in number to their original goal. Their message is being delivered via high school counselors, parents and siblings.

Update on Board of Governors review of majors and academic compliance and subsequent discussion.

1. Classes Involving Contact with Animals and Tissues (Angela Lindner)

Dr. Lindner will be sending out an email to ACUA members requesting number of courses and students enrolled in each college who come into direct contact with animals, animal tissues and animal by-products.

1. College Presentation: Warrington College of Business (Alex Sevilla)

Deferred until fall.

1. Items from the Floor

Dr. Lindner announced Dr. Charles Lane, UF Senior VP & COO, will be the guest speaker at next month’s meeting to discuss local Strategic Development.

Next month’s meeting with be in the Hawkins Center, 2nd floor conference room.

\*\* Reminder: ACUA Focus Areas for 2017 (Lindner and All)

* Advisory Role Focus Areas:
  + Creating and Nurturing a Culture of:
    - 4-Year Graduation
    - Hospitality and Inclusion