Faculty IT Committee Meeting January 13, 2017, 10:30 a.m. Tigert 226

Attendees: Frank Bova, Sue Alvers, Anne Allen, David Carlson, Kara Dawson, George Broadwell, Stacey Ewing, Trevor Bopp, Rafa Munoz-Carpena, Jeannie Cimiotti, Kenneth Nunn, Fedro Zazeuta and Al Wysocki

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 a.m. by Frank Bova, Chair.

Learning Analytics Advisory Committee – Al Wysocki

- Work on Learning Analytics started in the fall 2015.
 - The advisory group sent out a survey last spring and plans are to focus on the course level.
 - One size does not fit all and faculty wanted a tool for teaching and program design.
 - o Dr Zazeuta stated that there should be two tracks in the software.
 - 1. Software should have a dashboard with student improvement indicators.
 - 2. Second Track should include statistical models to try and predice outcomes.
 - Having data would help with instructional design.

Draft Electronic Information Technology (EIT) Accessibility Policy – Anne Allen

- Information Technology is drafting a policy that establishes standards for EIT accessibility. The Department of Justice and the Office of Civil Rights are enforcing federal regulations and laws on accessibility.
- IT needs to create tools to follow the policy. Concern is how to convert all the PDFs that are on the website to be accessible.
- Those who work with webpages will have to take a mandatory training course.
- Webpages are accessible if using T-4.
- Members were concerned about how to create accessible videos and faculty teaching in different languages.

Meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.