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Faculty Senate Evaluation and Assessment Committee

November 26, 2012

3:00 pm

Barge 412

Minutes

Present: John Creech, John Hudelson, Michael Pease and Jeff Snedeker

Absent: Lynn Richmond

Guest(s): None

Meeting was called to order at 3:05 p.m.

Michael moved to approve the October 29, 2012 minutes. John Hudelson seconded and minutes were approved.

Administrator evaluation questions – Michael suggested that there should be no more than 15 questions each survey and has tried to eliminate the double barrel questions. There is some overlap in questions between surveys, but not much. Committee discussed wording changes to Michael's documents. Michael will set up a shared folder through DropBox so everyone can access these documents and provide comments and feedback.

SEOI update – Jeff gave a brief background of the report from Dr. Pellet on the summative SEOI report being requested by the Deans. Melody hopes to speak with the Provost Council, but was not able to do so this week. Jeff will be speaking with the Executive Committee about some of this information. John Hudelson moved to not include the averages in the SEOI summary report, especially the two bolded section averages. Motion was seconded and approved.

- Bad data
 - a. Equalization of diverse questions
 - b. Averages of Standard Deviations is meaningless, so why are they included
 - c. Intra-departmental comparisons are meaningless if all classes are treated equally and included, especially if they are averages of averages. General Education and major courses.
 - d. This comparison gets progressively worse as it goes to college and university levels.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Next meeting January 7, 2013