Norfolk Campus Senate Meeting

Attending: Sarah DiCalogero (Chair), Richard Gill (Secretary), Judy Gill, Meredith Pollard, Libby Watts, Ivory Warren, Joe Joyner

Correction to minutes: E-Portfolio Tool

Minutes approved

Meeting called to order.

Under Chair's Report:

Use of Professional Development

- Should certification fees be covered?
- First aid? CPR? Mental Health?
- Expenses associated with peer-reviewed exhibitions?

Should these expenses be covered by college? If not, by professional development? The college should pay for professional requirements.

Sarah: Coca Cola job fair should be on the Norfolk Campus since they are so close to our campus. Job fairs should rotate among the campuses.

Question for Dr. Chestnut: are deans travel expenses covered? Chestnut: yes, by provost funds. Who covers travel expenses for faculty who teach a course on another campus? Issue will go to college senate in the context of Pathways.

Question for Dr. Chestnut: why are testing center hours reduced? We will contact Kia Hardy who coordinates for the testing center. The restricted hours are difficulty for night students and for online students. Suggestion: cut back on morning hours and extend evening hours.

What are we doing to advertise child care services? Have students been able to talk about their needs?

There was a short conversation about dual enrollment problems in registration.

There was a short conversation about the number of students per faculty in faculty advising. Twentyeight students seem like too many.

Norfolk will host the College Senate meeting next week.

Spirit Week will coincide with the first week of registration for spring semester.

- the future of the Thomas Moss Scholars Award
- Faculty Advising Model Update
- Electronic Student Surveys
- Adjunct Faculty Promotion
- Performance Funding Model Information Sessions
- Use of Faculty Professional Development

- Should certification fees and certification exam fees be funded? Some teaching positions have credentials that need to be updated (accounting, law, health professions, etc
- o Should funds be able to be used for First aid (CPR, Mental Health first aid)
- Should jury fees and shipping costs associated with exhibiting artwork in peer-reviewed exhibitions be funded? The College Art Association, the largest professional organization for higher education artists, considers this funding a best practice. <u>http://www.collegeart.org/standards-and-guidelines/guidelines/statementof-exhibition-venues</u>