

Minutes for the October 10, 2014, IFC Student Affairs Committee

Attendees: Darrell Brown, Sherry Gass, Ukamaka Oruche, Jason Spratt, Ron Sandwina- (presiding)

Introductions

Charge of Committee Reviewed.

General Discussion Regarding Present Issues

Four Issues were brought up as issues that may need attention in the forthcoming year.

1) Health and Wellness

It was noted that it may be helpful to have Zeb Davenport and Jay Gladden meet with the committee to the health and wellness initiative.

2) Academic Misconduct

The issue of having schools approach academic misconduct was discussed. Rick Ward suggested we involve Academic Affairs regarding this issue and invite Brian Tomilison to meet with the committee to regarding this issue.

3) Personal Misconduct

The changes to process related to personal misconduct was discussed. Jason Spratt summarized the changes and reviewed the changes to training of Hearing Commission members. Ron Sandwina reported on his positive experiences with the training, Jason Spratt noted that a group that will hear Title IX related hearings was created and that will receive additional extensive training. Rick Ward inquired o if domestic violence off campus was treated as a Title IX incident for the University to consider. Jason Spratt answered, yes. Rick Ward asked how the University deals with no-contact orders issued buy a judge. Jason Spratt replied a court order trumps any university action.

4) Transgender Students

Sherry Gass mentioned a concern a student raised to her regarding restroom use.