

Division Chair Meeting

October 6, 2014 Noon Polycom: EGF-Room 301/TRF-Room 662/AC-Room 13

MINUTES

Attendees: Carey Castle, Dorinda Sorvig, Andrew Dahlen, Andy Mueller, Erin Almlie, Brian Suckow, Justin Berry, Karl Ohrn and Lori Johnson, Recorder

Absent: Brian Huschle, Jodi Stauss-Stassen, James Retka, Curtis Zoller, Kari Koenig

Topic	Responsible Party	Discussion/Outcome
Call to order		12:15 pm
Note on Tuition Eligibility for Developmental Courses		Discussion was held on tuition eligibility for Math Foundations (MATH 0080). It was decided to add a note on the Math Foundation courses to make sure students are aware that these courses do not qualify for financial aid.
		Lori will add the following note to all sections of MATH 0080 on the spring schedule and forward:
		"Not financial aid eligible"
Welter World Citizen Award		Karl reported on the Welter World Citizen Award process. The student nominated should most exemplify global citizenship.
		 Each college can nominate one student (cannot be a previous recipient) and will determine its own selection process.
		 Awards will be granted on a first come, first serve basis on the time/date stamp of the email submission.
		Division Chairs will add the nomination task to the agenda of first meeting each semester so that the name can be submitted as soon as the nomination window is open.

Russell Beier Memorial Award	 The Russell Beier Memorial Award is given to one EGF student each spring semester. The nomination process will be added to the agenda of the first Division Chair meeting of the spring semester.
Adult Pathways to Postsecondary Forum	Karl talked about the upcoming Adult Pathways to Postsecondary Forum in Detroit Lakes on November 3 rd . So far, Ralph Cox has expressed an interest in participating. Anyone else interested in attending should let Karl know as he will be registering the team from Northland.
	Karl will forward to the chairs the email and information he shared earlier with the developmental faculty regarding the forums.
4. Fall Group Advisory Committee Dinner/Meeting	Carey asked about the upcoming group Advisory Committee Dinner/Meeting to be held on each campus in October. He will be able to attend the dinner/meeting on October 20 th on the TRF campus but not the one in EGF on October 27 th . Carey asked for the committees who will not be participating in the group events and would like to offer his assistance/attendance at their individual meetings.
	Karl will ask Rita Lealos to provide him with the names of the groups not participating in the group meeting so that he can contact them.
	Lori will give Carey the names of the groups not participating in the group dinner on the TRF campus.
5. High School Career Exploration Course	Andrew talked about a new High School Career Exploration course for spring semester on the TRF campus. Lincoln high school students will be able to enroll in a course that will explore the technical programs on the TRF campus. The course will run for three weeks in each program and will give high school juniors a "taste" of the college experience before they are able to enroll in their senior year.
6. Faculty Concerns	None
7. Next Meeting	The next meeting will be held on Monday, October 20 th at Noon via Polycom: EGF-Room 301/TRF-Room 662/AC-Room 13.
Agenda for Next Meeting	
Adjourned	12:55 pm