

Faculty Senate Technology Committee (FSTC)

Meeting of October 3, 2013

Agenda

Members Present: Malik Benjamin, Gerard Klonarides, Marissa Ball, Ferdinand Gomez, Gwyn

Senokossoff, Matt Hagood

Visitors: C. Delano Gray, Dr. Benjamin's class

The agenda was approved.

The minutes could not be approved because Dr. Senokossoff was the only member present who had attended the September meeting.

A discussion was held regarding changing the meeting time of the committee. Dr. Benjamin offered to set up a survey using Doodle. Dr. Klonarides suggested meeting on Fridays. He has participated on the FSTC for the past eight years and many of the meetings were held on Fridays.

The election of officers was postponed until the next meeting in the hopes that more committee members would be able to attend.

UTS Report:

Matt Hagood presented the UTS Report. He is exploring the use of Course Capture with the College Deans. Matt also shared BlueJeans.net. This is a new video conferencing site that supports a variety of applications like Skype. He has purchased a six month site license. Matt also shared information about the "Cloud Bridge" that supports phones, tablets, and web browsers.

Old Business—none

New Business:

Dr. Klonarides brought up issues that the College of Business is having with CBC 252, their financial lab. Within this lab are three offices and he and his colleagues are experiencing multiple disturbances during classes and exams. The students in Business pay additional fees to use this lab and the equipment so the faculty do not want to restrict them, but at the same time classes are being disrupted. A suggestion was made that Dr. Klonarides bring this issue up with the Faculty Council in his college.