**Re-envisioning Committee**

**Teams Meeting**

**April 9, 2020**

The purpose of the meeting was to update the committee on the Faculty Senate vote and next steps.

The RUEC recommendations were approved including the continuation of the Re-envisioning Committee to make sure initiatives are accomplished as well as how to handle new initiatives.

Pathways

Need implementation committee

Continue working on 2+2, 9 common credits, common GE, AS/AA/AAS degrees

First Year Seminar

Organize FYS oversight committee

Curriculum and faculty training sessions

HIPS

Endorsed HIPs tracking

Need faculty training for HIPs and GE

Continuing the work/subcommittees

* After some discussion it was decided that the RUEC committee would oversee the subcommittees through the end of summer so work can continue over the summer. There is not time to wait for Faculty Senate elections.
* Subcommittee chairs are to solicit nominations and/or volunteers by next week. The names will be taken to Faculty Senate for approval. If needed, elections can take place in the fall.
* Joe Jensen and Elena Garcia will remain as co-chairs for the summer. It would be difficulty to elect new co-chairs at this point.

Faculty training/development

* Training will be online for the summer.
* With PBA discussions on hold there were some questions regarding the payment of stipends for the training. If the budget stays the same, stipends can be paid for the trainings that take a significant amount of time. Legislature will meet next month so more information should be available then.
* FYS pilot courses will be starting in the fall. Faculty teaching the courses will need to have training over the summer.

RUEC work in the fall

* The committee will likely meet once a month.
* The subcommittees will continue their work with RUEC support.
* Issues that were tabled will need to be addressed.
* Consideration of possible future initiatives will probably be done in the spring along with discussions on how/if the RUEC should continue.

Subcommittee updates

GE

* Brian Birch has been working with university relations in order to sync the GE message with other university messages. Not much progress has been made due to the Covid-19 situation.
* No GE faculty training has been developed at this point.

Pathways

* A small core groups has been working to organize the focus areas. Will continue that work and identify people to add to the subcommittee.
* The next step is to get departments to choose focus area they want to be in. That is challenging given the current situation. Committee will work on possible solutions.

HIPs

* Cheryl Hanewicz and Matt North came up with a plan but need to work on details and implementation.
* Graduation distinction will be run out of the office of Engaged Learning.

First Year Seminar

* A skeleton outline for faculty development has been established. Working on identifying assessments that could be used. A short survey will be sent to faculty teaching an FYS course in order to tailor training. Information/training will be shared with all GE faculty if interested.

The most urgent task is to come up with nominations for subcommittees and get those established.

The committee will have one more meeting before the end of the semester.