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# **Technology Committee Meeting**

Nov 28, 2011 2:30 pm, Room 2306 (Minutes compiled by Ruth Hanna, Heidi Ulrech, and Angela Amaya)

**Present:** Carol Edson, Ruth Hanna, Jovian Marcelo, Brian Owyoung, Scott Vigallon, Paul Sapsford, Larysa Karpylovych, Mark Smythe, Heidi Ulrech, John Gonder, Dyan Miller, Angela Amaya, Mike Ansell.

### 1. Welcome

-Called to order at 2:36 pm by Chair, Angela Amaya. -Katie Egan will be representing the Arts and Communications Division but was not able to attend.

# 2. Review and Approval of October Minutes

-October meeting minutes will be reviewed at the January 23, 2012 meeting.

# 3. Reports

- a. District
  - i. Jeannine Methe -- no report
- b. Campus

i. Steve Gunderson -- no report

- ii. Heidi Ulrech no report
- iii. Scott Vigallon -
  - over Winter Break upgrade to next service pack of Blackboard not a major upgrade, just fixes some bugs

iv. LPC website -

Laura Weaver, District Public Information Officer, was scheduled to attend this meeting but had to cancel due to the Chabot Presidential Forums. She has been re-scheduled for the January 23, 2012 meeting. If you or those in your division have specific questions/concerns regarding the LPC college website, please let Angela or Laura know prior to January's meeting.

Some of the concerns that were mentioned were:

- links not working
- information (degrees, for example) out of date
- Who is responding to webmaster e-mail?

#### 4. Open Action Items

#### a. paperless paystubs proposal –discussion and vote

Proposal to consider paperless paystubs was read and discussed.

Proposal has been voted on and approved by the Sustainability Committee

#### **Discussion:**

- Existing paystub information on ClassWeb is not available from the 18<sup>th</sup> (verified date?) of the month until the last day of the month. This is a great handicap for employees who need to provide financial proof during this time frame.
- Loan verification often requires that paystub information be watermarked.
- <u>suggestion</u>: revise the proposal so that it reads something like 'as soon as the technology problems are solved so that things such as the half-month-downtime does not occur'
- There was concern regarding the statement "soon be available" with regard to the Banner Document Management system.
- <u>suggestions</u>: possible stop-gap solutions: print to pdf files instead of paper, do not mail them out, print them out by individual request only
- <u>question</u>: has there been current discussion with the Chabot Technology Committee? Answer: No.
- <u>question</u>: Is there an estimated cost savings for this?

**Vote:** John G motioned to approve the proposal as written. Ruth H seconded. 8 in favor/1 opposed/0 abstentions. Motion passed as written.

**Next Step:** proposal will be forwarded to College Council as recommendation for consideration.

Angela will contact Jeannine Methe/District to speak to why pay information is not available on Class-Web for half the month during payroll processing.

#### b. <u>electronic signature proposal –discussion and vote</u>

Proposal to consider electronic signatures on college forms and develop an electronic repository was read and discussed.

Proposal has been voted on and approved by the Sustainability Committee

#### **Discussion:**

 recommendation to digitize all forms possible, and to store these forms in electronic form instead of physical paper form

- The statement "all forms" was mentioned as a concern. Committee discussion supported the exception that there may be some sensitive forms where a whet signature may still be the best practice.
- college still needs to work on determining which forms can use electronic signatures

**Vote:** John G motioned to approve the proposal as edited with it to be returned to the Sustanability Committee for re-vote before moving forward to College Council. Ruth H seconded.

9 in favor/0 opposed/0 abstentions. Motion passed with edits.

**Next Step:** proposal going back to Sustainability Committee for discussion and re-vote due to wording changes by Technology Committee. If approved by Sustainability Committee, proposal will be forwarded to College Council as recommendation for consideration

#### c. Software Purchasing Process

The Software Purchasing sub-committee (John G., Steve G., Angela A.) has developed a draft form and rubric that are still being worked on. The latest draft will be brought to the January 2012 Technology meeting for review.

#### 5. Good of the Order

No good of the order items.

#### 6. Adjournment

Jovian Marcelo motioned to adjourn. Ruth H. and Carol E. seconded.

Next Technology Committee Meeting:

Monday, January 23, 2012, room 4129