Assessment Oversight Committee Meeting  
April 23, 2012

Present: Dominic Barraclough, David Boyles, Shane Drefcinski, Eric Farrell, Karen Gagne, Art Ranney, Amanda Tucker, Steve Yunck

Minutes taken by Amanda Tucker

Guests: Joe Clifton, Computer Science

I. Minutes from the AOC March 26 meeting were approved, with minor revisions.

II. Announcements
Drefcinski gave an update on the writing emphasis courses in the new general education model: departments across campus have compiled a list of courses that they intend to become WE, and there should be enough courses already on the books to have a six-hour WE requirement.

III. Assessment of Compute Science
The Computer Science program is housed within the same department as Software Engineering, and while SE goes through the same accrediting process as engineering, CS does not—though many of the courses in one of their concentrations, Computer Technology, are reviewed through the engineering accreditation.

The Computer Science faculty have been assessing the program and curriculum through course surveys; earlier this academic year they met to discuss changes to make to their curriculum, such as requiring all student to have course portfolios, changing requirements in the Computer Information emphasis, and adding a math prerequisite to CS 3630. These changes were approved by the UUCC in February 2012.

Some discussion about senior exit and alumni surveys, the computer information systems emphasis, and other issues ensued.

IV. Meeting Adjourned.