Improvement of Learning Committee—Minutes
Tuesday, 21 April 2009
4:00pm—1510 Ullsvik Center

Attendance:
Kim Ahyong           Tom LoGuidice        Nader Safari-Shad  Keith Thompson
Carol Sue Butts      Amy Parsons          David Schuler       Qi Yang
Kevin Haertzen       Matt Roberts         Adam Stanley

Kevin Haertzen chaired the meeting, and Nader Safari-Shad took minutes.

Minutes:

1. The meeting was called to order at 4:05 pm.

2. The minutes from April 4, 7, 2009 were approved with amendments.

3. Announcements:
   a. Carol Sue Butts announced that there is about 10% increase in the number freshman admitted for Fall of 2009 compared to Fall of 2008. Also, TSI numbers look promising.
   b. ILC meeting dates for the academic year 2009-2010 was passed around. The first meeting will be on September 15, 2009.
   c. Tom LoGuidice announced some upcoming TEC presentations on Technology for Faculty by George Smith. No date set yet.

4. New Business:
   a. UWP award for Teaching Excellence Subcommittee (Martha Drummond, Adam Stanley, and Qi Yang) reported its recommendations in the order shown below:
      i) Benjamin Collins: EMS College
      ii) George Smith: LAE College
      iii) Michael Compton: BILSA College
      Benjamin Collins from EMS was selected unanimously as the winner.

   b. UWP award for Excellence in Service Learning Subcommittee (David Schuler, Frank Steck, and Keith Thompson) reported its recommendations. The subcommittee reviewed applications from Swaminathan Balachandran, Julie Philips, Rea Kirk, and Pat Jinkins. The subcommittee recommended that Swaminathan Balachandran receive the award and gave their reasoning in a typed memo. Swaminathan Balachandran from EMS was selected unanimously as the winner.

   c. Kevin Haertzen started the discussion on membership proposals to ILC on behalf of George Smith. After several rounds of discussion among the attendees, Tom LoGuidice moved that statements 1A, 1B, and 3 be on the agenda of ILC for next meeting, and the statements in 2A, and 2B be clarified by George Smith. The motion was approved unanimously.

5. The meeting adjourned at 4:50 pm.

6. Next meeting: Tuesday, May 5, 2009
   4:00pm—1510 Ullsvik Center