Members Present:

Keith Thompson (minute taker), Colleen McCabe, Leonida Ljumanovic, Rea Kirk, Yong Li, Marge Karsten, George Smith, Mike Forbes, Arthur Ranney, Kris Wright, David Schuler, Susan Hansen, Jeffrey P. Meyer (Student Senator)

Agenda:

1. Review & Approval of February 7, 2012 ILC meeting minutes
   Motion to approve by George Smith with second by Rea Kirk. Unanimous approval.

2. Announcements
   - Summary of Growth Agenda Recommendations
     Two grants by Evelyn Martens were recommended by the subcommittee and to be sent forward to the UW-System:
     - Increasing Retention through Supplemental Reading and Math Support
     - Increasing Retention through A Writing Partners Program
   - Summary of Underkofler Recommendations
     Two applications were submitted by Mike Penn of the Civil & Environmental Engineering Department and by Amanda Trewin of the Biology Department. Both applications were found to be satisfactory and were recommended to be sent forward to system.
   - Update on General Education changes
     Susan Hansen and George Smith provided updates on the progress of the changes. With Writing Emphasis Courses split off as a separate component the remainder of the general education program passed UUCC and is now being taken to faculty senate for review. There will be follow through later on with writing emphasis courses. They were removed from the remainder of the package because debate about availability of resources to fund the writing emphasis courses would likely have postponed the changes for some time to come.
   - CIF – 2nd round for Writing Intensive courses
     There were few comments about this topic.

3. Update on Campus Read / Distinguished Lecture (M. Forbes; R. Reddy; B. Collins)
   The campus wide vote has been completed, but the subcommittee (working with Val Wetzel) has not made a recommendation as yet.

4. The meeting adjourned at 4:30 pm.