

Computer Use Committee – Annual Summary

Things we did well this year:

- Increased communication with campus IT.
- Many members attended the e-mail core or advisory group, using the invitations extended to us from IT.
- We provided input for computer-use related policies.
- Open Forums – “A” for effort. We received good coverage from the Lobo with a front page story on our effort. While we didn’t have a huge turnout, we have one invitation to speak to an academic department (Geography).

Ideas for next year:

- Revise charge/name change? Our charge seem very dated. (Keep in mind time frame as this means a change to the Faculty Handbook – maybe need a draft before first meeting of the year)
 - ACTION: subgroup will draft a revised change over the summer so we can start as soon as the academic year begins
- Address web best practices (see spam/email address problems)
- Create a web presence for the Committee to encourage communication, build on what we’ve done this year
- More members of CUC should try to attend IT cabinet as these are open meetings
- Student involvement – we should get on ASUMN and GSPA agendas to talk directly to students about technology issues

OVERALL, the group felt that we made a good start for improvements in communication for technology-related issues this year and we are optimistic for continuing to do so in the future.

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