**Library Advisory Meeting**

**Date: 1/5/2024**

**Time: 1:00 pm**

**Attendees:** Richard Hodges, Steven Kolber, Wendy Chase, Arenthia Herren, Martin McClinton, Hope Goodwin, Sandy Sardinas, Laura Price, Caroline Seefchak, Brian Page, William Shuluk, Peter Van Leeuwen, Jennifer Summary, Deborah Teed, Matthew Hoffman, Victoria SanFilippo, Rozalind Jester, Jane Charles, Timothy Bishop, Tami Such, Thomas Rath, Rebecca Harris, Anthony Valenti, Whitney Rhyne, Mark Herman, April Palmer, Elizabeth Schott

**Digital Commons & Archives: Dr. Hodges:**

**-**Much archival material has been discovered

-Have foundation to create digital archive

-Bepress platform is expensive (Elsevier)

-Islandora is free, but has been a 2 year wait

-Impressed with Bepress, is a top platform with unlimited storage

-Good analytics, 600 institutions use platform

**Wendy Chase:**

-Bepress is wonderful and has much to offer

**Peter Van Leeuwen:**

-Bepress has all that is needed and more for our archives

-Visited FSU, FGCU and Broward to get insight on how to use this platform for archives

**Dr. Hodges:**

**-**Library would go into contract with this platform in July

**-**Will develop policy, mission etc with Deans and faculty

**Tutoring Centers:**

**-** All tutoring located in libraries, move will be completed in Charlotte next Friday 1/12

**-**Collier tutoring move completed on 1/17

**Sandy:**

**-**Many subjects covered, interviewing additional peer tutors

**-**Covering most core courses

**-**Shared statistics on remote and in person tutoring for math and writing centers

**-**Math foot traffic decreased because of Senior Coordinator change

**-**Up and down decreases and increases, bigger increases once moved into the library

**Laura:**

**-**Student satisfaction surveys given to incoming students

**-**Good numbers in general, 95% of students satisfied

**-**Math 91% and writing 98% satisfaction

**-**90% in math and 94% in writing for student in confidence

**Dr. Hodges:**

**-**Looking at and considering visiting other colleges to see how peer tutoring is handled

**-**Always looking to recruit students well-versed in peer tutoring subject matters

**Collections:**

**-**Collection HQ Academic will tie in and assist in analyzing the usage of our alma system in real time (ongoing analysis)

**-**Shows weak areas that need help

**-**Peter and Tony will be training in this

**-**In the midst of setting up a contract with them

**Tony:**

**-**Good tool for focusing on collection development

**Dr. Hodges:**

**-**Will take some months to implement

**-**Better to have something to assist on targeted things

**Embedding Librarians/Liaisons**

**-**IDS 2891 Capstone Course dedication

**-**Allows to reach many students in helping them succeed

**-**Many colleges would love to have this

**-**Faculty librarians now located within the various schools

**Arenthia Herren:**

**-**Purpose is to become better collaborators with faculty

**-**Research instruction not very effective

**-**Better results with being embedded in this course

**-**More integrated with what students are doing

**Jane Charles:**

**-**Very rewarding and affective

**-**Workshops that are taught helping students to apply

**-**With the instructor and students in the classroom, as well as meeting with those needing additional help

**-**Always something new

**-**Relationship building with students and faculty, show support

**-**Seeing the students evolve over the course

**-**Will have a place to put student projects that can be shared

**Rebecca Harris:**

**-**Having librarians in the class is invaluable, has heard amazing things

-So much to offer in making classes more rigorous and engaging

-Encourage all to involve the librarians

**Jennifer Summary:**

How to get a librarian to visit her classes?

**Dr. Hodges:** Please fill out form to get a visiting librarian

**Arenthia Herren:** Adjuncts would be available

**Richard Hodges:** First embedded librarian would be scheduled, if not available, then adjuncts can teach RI’s

**New Carpet:**

**-**All libraries now have new carpeting

**-**New whiteboards especially used for math students

**-**Directional Signage and new TV’s

**-**Complete anatomy lab with signage

**-**Tutoring and directional signage, will be replicated at other campuses

**More to Come!**

**-**June 13-14 Hosting the Members Council for Library Services

**-**Library Leaders from State College and University Systems

**-**Joy Miles will be assisting with set up

**Questions?**

**Martin McClinton:**

**-**Let people know or remind them that we have lost a classroom for library instruction the library. Now we have a room in A-209 building and laptop cart

**-**N Building, possible use of reserving classes

**Rebecca Harris:**

**-**Reserving through event services

**Rozalind Jester:**

**-**Tutor.com

**-**Lets students know what tutoring is available

**-**Hours have increased, double from a year ago

**-**Good results

**-**Satisfaction services are overwhelmingly positive

**Richard Hodges:**

Tutor.com used on weekends as library tutoring center not open on weekends

**-**Will be reaching out to admin and faculty for feedback and ideas

**Meeting Adjourned**