

LSUA Chancellor Cabinet

5/9/2018 9:00 AM | Meeting called to order by Chancellor Huang

In Attendance

Dr. Guiyou Huang, Melinda Anderson, Deron Thaxton, Shelly Gill, Stephan Moore, Dr. Eamon Halpin

Chancellor Huang called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Chancellor's Updates

- Thanks Melinda Anderson, Shere' Thaxton, and Mary McCampbell for a successful Graduate Dinner.
- An announcement will go out to campus today regarding Dr. John Rowan accepting the Provost position. He will start August 1.
- Commencement is this Thursday graduating 266 students, our largest graduating class yet. Senator Jay Luneau is the speaker. The ceremony will be at the Rapides Parish Coliseum.
- Direct Reports between the Provost and Vice Provost are being changed and will be reflected in the new organizational chart.
- UA has added a 7th grade.

Room Reservation System - Shelly Gill

- Thanks NSLS (National Society of Leadership and Success) for agreeing to move their awards service to another room to accommodate CLTCC when Coughlin Auditorium was double-booked.
- We need to create a more streamline reservation process for those certain rooms that also go through both SchoolDude and departments to reserve.

Increase of FTF and the Impacts for Campus - Shelly Gill

- 525 FTF admitted for Fall 2018 (Fall 2017 had 229 admitted).
- LSU has referred 75 students to LSUA.
- We need to be aware of increased housing and freshmen-level class needs with this increase.

Eamon Halpin

- Discussion with Department Chairs regarding workloads and term limits continue.
- Registrar position has been posted for two weeks. Dr. Eamon Halpin and Dr. Nathan Ponder (search committee chair) have received 12 applications thus far. Out of those 12, 4-6 seem promising.

Melinda Anderson

- Working with the Foundation Board regarding the Strategic Plan.
- Finance and Executive Board Meeting tomorrow budgets will be presented.
- Will work with Sarah Black and Liz Jonson in June and July regarding developing the collateral material.

Deron Thaxton

- Will work with the Humane Society or a similar business to reduce the number of cats on campus.
- Enrollment is up 14.7% compared to last year.
- Retention of the last fall cohort is at 47% registered for Fall 2018 (Fall 2017 was at 33%).
- Will close out the year within budget.
- WorkDay implementation is underway.

Shelly Gill

• Kaitlyn Nichols attended a Recruiting Services Meeting at Bossier Parish Community College yesterday, where she picked up the recruitment schedule for 2018-19.

Stephan Moore

- Darryl Glenn, the new Director of Residential Life, will start May 21.
- Interviewing candidates for the Director of Public Safety.
- Met with Human Services Department, which is supporting 8 hours of LSUA's part-time counselor's salary. It is willing to absorb up to 16 hours.
- Call Center is calling to inform students of the College Readiness Bootcamp.
- Office will be closed for Commencement tomorrow morning and will reopen at 1:00.

Respectfully submitted by Erin Weilbaecher

The Next Meeting will be Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at 9:00 AM