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