

Technology Committee

Mission and Purpose

The Technology Committee (TC), a campus level committee to provide advisement to the President's Advisory Council (PAC), was established in 2012 by combining the Technology Implementation Planning Committee (TIPC), the Instructional Technology Committee (ITC), and the Distance Education Advisory Committee (DEAC). In 2006, by mutual agreement with the College President and Faculty Senate, the Educational Technology Committee (ETC) was split into the Instructional Technology Committee (ITC) and the Distance Education Advisory Committee (DEAC). In May 2009 the President's Advisory Council approved a committee structure that included the ITC, DEAC and TIPC.

The Technology Committee (TC) is a policy recommending and implementation committee of PAC. The TC makes recommendations on the use of instructional technology and related policies for the delivery of instruction and then implements as directed by PAC. Among the issues relating to technology that the committee may address are developing an instructional technology plan, budget, and administrative and support structure. In regard to distance education TC coordinates the use of instructional technology and the delivery of instruction and student services at a distance; designs and develops training curriculum; and oversees the training of faculty. Among the issues relating to distance education that the committee may address are curriculum development, staff development, student services, counseling, media production and administration. At the direction of PAC the Technology Committee (TC) is charged with implementing technology and distance education related policies and recommendations. The TC shall also solicit proposals and recommendations for PAC to consider from representatives of non-academic areas relating to their use of technology.

The Technology Committee will: (1) address technology and infrastructure issues; (2) coordinate the implementation and support of the technology needs of the campus, the Educational Master Plan and related Strategic Instructional Technology and Student Services Plans; (3) oversee the implementation of the technology infrastructure necessary for the efficient instructional use of technology; (4) gather information in regard to needs and concerns; (5) promote effective and efficient use of technology; (6) develop technological partnership among campus programs and departments; (7) assist the College in the avoidance of unnecessary technological duplication; (8) recommend priorities for the non-academic use of technology on campus based on administrative needs and incorporate academic technology priorities as recommended; (9) identify, prioritize and recommend staffing for technology; (10) develop an ongoing comprehensive College Technology Plan for consideration by PAC; (11) recommend funding strategies and priorities for major technology spending to the PAC; (12) receive regular reports from the District Information Technology Committee and review and respond as appropriate; (13) report and make recommendations to Faculty Senate and PAC on the solutions to Distance Education issues and trends; and (14) report and make recommendations to Faculty Senate and PAC in regard to Hosting, Blackboard, and DE related training.

Co-Chair

The committee will be chaired by one faculty member elected by and from the voting members for a two year term and one manager appointed by the President.

Meetings

Committee meetings will be once per month, date and time to be determined by committee members. Additional meetings may be scheduled at the discretion of the committee as needed to facilitate special needs or projects.

Composition

10 Faculty, one from each division (appropriate faculty will be appointed by Faculty Senate – one must teach online, if a division does not fill their position it will be filled as an At-Large position)

6 Managers (one from Student Services, one from Distance Education, one from ACT)

3 Classified Representative (one from Instruction, one from Student Services, one from Administrative Services)

1 Associated Students Representative

Resource

Vice President, Administrative Services