

CTL Minutes

October 6th, 2008

Members Present: John Burke, Moira Casey, Kate Duskey, Brad Farr, Lizz Howard, Eric Luczaj, Ellenmarie Wahlrab.

~ The AURCO meeting ran over about 15 minutes, but the LC meeting made up for it at the end of the meeting.

Open House Reflection

It seemed as if approximately half of the amount of people showed up at the open house, than usual. The LC thought some adjustments to be made for next semester were to hold the open house earlier in the semester as well as sending out personal invitations to new faculty. Another factor that may have contributed to the low attendance could have been the United Way ice cream set up, going on at the same time. The good news is that we got a nice amount of SGID requests.

SGIDs and Recruiting Facilitators

The LC has gotten more SGID requests than we have facilitators, so we will be sending out an e-mail to faculty who have had SGIDs done and propose they help out with facilitating. We will discuss with Rob the possibility of a course load reduction for facilitating SGIDs.

Governance Modifications

The LC decided not to change the current governance of the CTL.

CTL Liaison to CELT

In Kent Bradshaw's case, we may be giving him either a gift or gas card, for his trips to Oxford. Ellenmarie will check with Rob on whether we can offer the gift or gas card. We will also be asking that he send the CTL an e-mail after the CELT meeting that he will attend, to inform us on any new news.

Future Conversations

Rob stated that he would like to know what faculty's thoughts on retention are, so the LC discussed having a CTL Special at the end of October, focused on student retention. John discussed a new retention committee, which he is willing to ask if they are interested in

attending a conversation with faculty and staff on the issue. Moira will e-mail Rob and see how he feels about it.