



Regents' Administrative Committee Institutional Research & Planning

Spring 2023 Meeting Minutes

Date: April 13 to 14, 2023

Location: Middle Georgia State University

Thursday, April 13

Lauren Farmer, RAC-IRP Chair and Tim Howard, RACEA Chair welcome the groups to the meeting and led the discussion on RACEA/RAC-IRP Intersections. We discuss how our groups intersect on each campus and what needs to happen for our groups to work together.

Suggestions:

- Our groups meet together more often because our jobs cannot happen without each other.
- It was also suggested some overlap for smaller institutions so when someone leaves, the other person will be able to help.
- For IR, knowing how the data will be used helps them formatted it correctly. When you create dashboards, have a purpose.
- Angie Bell asked for feedback on the Qlik reports that are being produced. Academic Programs Proposal training was discussed.

Executive Vice Chancellor Dr. Ashwani Monga meet virtually with us on Teams. He thanked us for our hard work. He commented that they were working on having more on communications from the USG office and within our campus offices. Student Success is front and center of everything we do.

Goals

- Enrollment challenges and retention within the university system.
- Transferability - making it easier for the students to transfer to one university to the other by making more courses transfer.
- How to help students move through the program faster.
- Providing meaning to the courses

Academic Forecast – building tools to help colleges.

Angie Bell and Dana Nichols share their State/USG updates.

Dana Nichols went first. She was asked to create a Provost OnBoarding Committee. You can email her if you want to be on it.

METRICS is a set of dashboards that will be rolled out to campuses for their internal use. They are being created by Michael Rothlisberger in USG Academic Affairs.

- Measurable (?)
- Enrollment
- Teaching (DFW rates; variability between sections)
- Returning
- Intensive
- Completions
- Strategies
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Low producing degrees are 15. Enrollment is at least 15 students (not changing the official threshold, but the board is looking)

Angie Bell provided the System Office Update. She showed Georgia Degrees Pay website and described the cost of attendance website.

