

Assessment Academy Meeting Minutes

Wednesday April 11, 2018

4:00 PM -5:00 PM

BA 524

1. Check-ins:
 - Ben talked about the HLC Conference
 - Jeff highlighted his 50-mile run scheduled for the upcoming weekend
2. Minutes from March 14, 2018
3. Debrief HLC Annual Conference:
 - Ben found similarities with other institutions around the “culture of assessment” theme. He learned more about the criteria. He was surprised at the amount of neuroscience topics at the conference; this is a topic area of interest for Ben. Early feedback to programs was a tip he heard a few times.
 - Jeff heard validation for other colleges experiences about writing to the criteria and hosting a site visit. Good discussions with scholar, mentor, and liaison. Learned about the year 3 consultation. Should learn who peer-reviewer is in a few weeks.
4. Complete Survey for Year 3 Consultation with Bernie
 - Will do this virtually.
 - Jeff will work on scheduling this.
 - Submit a suggested list of topics for discussion based around the idea that we will be moving to a new liberal education outcomes structure as we align with the MnTC.
5. Discuss the idea of Program Review for our current/new Gen Ed.
 - Discussion about establishing a periodic review of the LEC.
 - Is there a way to gather assessment data and have it scored by an outside group (LEC, CIA, Other?)
 - Discussion about having courses indicate what their assessment measure is and which goal and outcome it is aligning with for LEC.
6. Adjourn
 - Meeting adjourned at 4:45pm

Minutes submitted by Pam Gladis