

Minutes

MU Chancellor's Committee for Persons with Disabilities
December 10, 2015
119 Parker Hall (Counseling Center Conference Room)

Attendees: Susan Lever, Gerald Morgan, Barbara Hammer, Taylor Burks, Cindy Cotner, Abbie O'Sullivan, Amber Cheek, Christy Hutton, Patricia Alafaireet and Derrick Doolittle.

Visitors from TIPS: Mackenzie McGill, Amy Longnecker, Morgan Maddox, Sally Dalton, Anna MauverBatjen, and Lita Gentry.

1. Information was presented on "TIPS for kids" - Training and Interdisciplinary Partnerships (TIPS). Inter-disciplinary program for children with neuro-muscular developmental issues. Much of the work goes on at the Thompson Center. Some of the students are in medical school-some in nursing, OT, social work, etc. Students were here to fulfill an assignment which was to observe a policy meeting.
2. Review of the Minutes of the November. Motion to accept the minutes with one modification of the numbering from Patricia Alafaireet, seconded by Amber Cheek. Committee voted to accept.
3. Proposed Amendment to Charge of the Persons with Disabilities Committee (handout) Susan Lever took to Faculty Council on Nov 19, 2015. Pat Oker and the council approved the amendment and approved two new CCPD members Dr. John Bowders Jr. and Dr. Kari Lane.
4. Web Accessibility standards committee discussion and web accessibility standards have been drafted for the campus based off state, federal and international standards. Will pursue a digital accessibility policy in the future and publish the web accessibility standards to campus.
5. 3D map Innovations and Interdisciplinary Fund (IIF) has been approved by the granting committee. There is a capital review committee who oversees renovating and changing of physical environment on campus. Gerald Morgan will speak to his boss, Gary Ward about moving forward with this project. Security of the map was discussed- Smithsonian has these maps.
6. Discussion about accessibility education at the Board of Curators level. Christy discussed how counseling initiatives involved all four of the campuses and therefore became a system initiative which has gained additional resources.

7. Susan reviewed the map of campus where all members of the committee frequent and discussed that we should all have our eyes/ears open to review and report accessibility opportunities.
8. No CCPD meeting during January. Discussion about the possibility of changing the meeting times. Dr. Kari Lane may be able to attend this meeting at the current time with enough advance notice. Graduate student Micheal may be able to attend next semester.
9. Barb Hammer updated information on the Disability Center staffing opportunities. They have an open position for Assistant Director. Today her office posted a full time Access Specialist position.
10. Athletics department- breaking ground on new softball facility February 1. Relocated band practice field and new parking spaces. Krissy Ellis is working with Mizzou arena staff, Autism friendly venue.
11. Christy Hutton- December Respond training is full and January 13th has a few seats available.