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ACADEMIC POLICIES COMMITTEE
ACADEMIC SENATE
UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON
2019-2020

MEETING MINUTES

Approved: 10/14/19

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2019

1:25 - 2:15 SM113B

Chair: **Jim Dunne**

Members: **Connie Bowman, Neomi De Anda, Mary Ellen Dillon, Deo Eustace, John Mittelstaedt, Leslie Picca, Jason Pierce, Maher Qumsiyeh, Tereza Szeghi, Deb Bickford (ex-officio),**
Bold were present.

- 1) Minutes from the September 23 meeting were approved.
- 2) Online Courses/Programs: Presentation by Ryan Allen, the Director of e-Learning.
 1. The committee reviewed the ECAS charge on 'On-line Course Quality' that has been received.
 2. Ryan Allen presentation: subject was UD's online courses (outside of 2U). Some key points in the presentation are the following:
 - a. Most courses are individual offerings & many not high quality
 - b. Mainly offered in the summer.
 - c. Student demand is dwindling
 - d. Ryan offered a proposal to improve quality and demand that included:
 - a) Course quality guidelines
 - b) Faculty guidelines
 - e. He included some examples of "best practices" in online courses.
 3. The full presentation and the examples are available on the APC drive.
 4. Ryan indicated that he is available to assist the APC in any way possible.
 5. No time remained for committee discussion and determining our next steps
- 3) Next meeting: October 14, 2019. Committee will discuss our 'Online Course' next steps and the coming committee guests for our planning on the 5-Year CAP Evaluation.
- 4) The committee adjourned at about 2:15 pm.