

Ad Hoc Program Review Process Committee

Minutes

Date 08/29/2013	Start Time 3:00 PM Adjournment Time 3:50 PM Location Lib 640		
Type of Meeting	🖂 Regular 🛛 Special		
CHAIR	Ron Berry		
SECRETARY	Ron Berry		
ATTENDEES	Ron Berry, Gina Biglane, Eric Pani, Lon Smith, Don Smith, Christine Strunk, Paula Thornhill, Neil White		
ABSENT (EXCUSED)			

Agenda

CENEDAL	ANNOUNCEMENTS
GENERAL	ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISCUSSION TOPICS

1. Dr. Pani thanked the members for agreeing to serve on the committee and explained the committee's charge.

2. The committee is charged with creating a process for evaluating academic programs, existing and new, that can be

institutionalized. The committee will not be expected to implement the policy or evaluate programs.

3. Committee will complete their work by the end of October.

4. Dr. Pani shared a model created by the University of Louisiana at Lafayette as well as a book that had been used in previous program review processes at ULM. He agreed to provide a copy of the book to each member of the committee.

5. Dr. Pani answered a few general questions about the scope of the committee's work.

6. After Dr. Pani excused himself from the meeting, the committee discussed general ideas about the process.

CONCLUSIONS

1. Some questions that would need to be answered: 1) what defines a program, 2) criteria to use, 3) frequency of reviews, 4) are non-degree disciplines included, 5) who performs evaluations, 6) who reviews the reviews, 7) will results be open to public/others on campus.

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
 Book would be ordered and delivered to committee members. Committee members would review material provided and be prepared to discuss at next meeting on 9/6/2013. Committee would clairfy charge and expectations at next meeting. 	Dr. Pani Members Members	9/6/2013 9/6/2013 9/6/2013