

Academic Technology Committee

2-7-07

Chairperson: Dr. William Hart

Time Began: 2:00pm

Time Adjourned: 2:55pm

Recorder: Sherry Alexander

Members Present: Dr. William Hart, Dr. Guido Arze, Mark Meadors, Dr. Myra Haulmark, Larry Elzo, Peggy Dugan, Cliff Layton, Claudia Glass, Sherry Alexander, Brian Reeves, Bob Willis, Alan Lawless

Topic	Discussion	Action
Chairman	Motion made by Bob Willis to re-elect Dr. William Hart as Technology Committee Chairman by proclamation, seconded by Cliff Layton.	Motion carried.
Chief Technology Officer of Academic Computing Services	Chairman Hart asked if anyone knew the status of filling the position of Chief Technology Officer of Academic Computing Services. Brian reported this was being handled by President Wiley. It was suggested by the committee to inquire to the President concerning the status of the position.	No Action taken.
New Business	<p>-Spam Filters Dr. Hart inquired about the university's spam filtering system. Professor Layton offered to ask Dr. Macpherson about prior Spam research. Mark Meadors had minutes from May 6, 2004 proving where Spam had been discussed, however no recommendations were made. Dr. Haulmark suggested spam training prior to submitting an official recommendation and the possibility of comparing spam systems of other institutions. Peggy Dugan offered to contact UCO, Cameron, and Langston; Professor Layton East Central; Dr. Haulmark NSU; and Mark Meadors Northwestern.</p> <p>-Wireless Discussion was held concerning limited wireless access on campus and the issue of Cisco Clear Access Agent not supporting MAC or Linux systems. It was suggested RSU look for a product that supports all systems. Dr. Arze requested a time limit be set to find a new product in order to support the number of faculty utilizing the MAC system needing wireless access. Dr. Arze reported that both of the Graphic Arts faculty members are utilizing the MAC system. It was also reported that a significant number of students are frustrated from trying to utilize their MAC notebooks in the library. Motion was made by Dr. Arze that converters for wireless access be researched and alternatives be checked to support the MAC system</p>	

	<p>as soon as possible, regardless of the operating system. Motion was seconded by Peggy Dugan. Motion carried – Brian Reeves will check in to the situation and report back. Dr. Hart suggested those contacting other institutions concerning Spam should also inquire about their wireless capabilities and if MAC was an issue with their systems.</p> <p>-Library Access-Student/Faculty logins Dr. Hart brought up the possibility of the student log in and faculty log in being placed on one domain in order to increase access in the Stratton Taylor Library. Brian Reeves explained that with our current system and due to security issues this was not a possibility. Currently the library has one computer with faculty access.</p> <p>-System Update Professor Layton suggested we put together a migration plan from our current XP Windows system to Vista or Office 2007. There was discussion concerning the incapability of WEB CT to run on Vista at this time. Dr. Haulmark reassured the committee the two systems would become compatible shortly.</p>	<p>Motion Carried.</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Wednesday, March 7, 2:00pm, location TBA</p>	
<p>Adjournment of Meeting</p>	<p>2:55 pm Motion made by Bob Willis and seconded by Professor Layton.</p>	<p>Adjourned</p>