TEACHING WITH TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE Meeting – 12:15 Thursday, February 6, 2020 EPC 304C

Minutes

Me, Sherry, Julie, Susan, David

- 1. UCCS Teaching & Learning Conference another big success
- 2. FRC GIFT Exchanges 7 scheduled for this semester
- 3. FRC UDL grant for proactively designing and implementing inclusive teaching strategies
- 4. Quality Matters vs Online Learning Consortium likely going with the latter
- 5. 2020-2021 CDHE OER grant
 - a. Got it! Still working out details...
 - b. The gist of the current proposal is:
 - i. Ensuring that the Open CU campus teams of teaching and learning centers, libraries, offices of information technology, and accessibility units continue to deliver high-quality **awareness and adoption** workshops to additional educators teaching up to 100 courses total on all four campuses and assisting educators with their course redesign efforts to ensure a quality OER experience for students;
 - Providing financial incentives and deploying OER teams to work closely with faculty to create or adapt new OER content that is fully accessible, discoverable, and openlylicensed;
 - iii. Expanding and publicizing **recognition efforts**, including System-wide awards from the President's office;
 - Reaching out to and persuading educators who teach high school concurrent enrollment courses, with a goal of 25% courses adopting OER as textbook replacements by 2021;
 - v. Redoubling our efforts to provide opportunities for educators to share results; and
 - vi. Building a cadre of educator experts and advocates who will integrate open education principles into the academic culture of CU campuses, thereby ensuring the **sustainability** of the Open CU initiative.
 - c. Highlights of 2019-2020 grant:
 - i. 30 faculty members completed the OER Pathway self-paced tutorial on OER
 - ii. 13 faculty members incorporating OER in their courses Fa19 and Sp20
 - 1. 16 courses
 - 2. Estimated ~1,000 students
 - 3. Estimated ~\$100,000 in total savings
- 6. Canvas
 - a. New gradebook

Next Meeting – 12:15 Thursday, March 5