Minutes: Assurance of Learning Committee

Date: Friday, March 26, 2021

Schedule: 2:30-3:30 p.m.; online via Microsoft Teams

Present: Gwen Achenreiner, Danny Franklin, Ken Graham, Hannah Han, Kim Lyons, Laurie Miller,

Shishir Paudel

1. Approved the minutes from the 2-26-21 meeting M-S-P (6, 0, 0)

2. Fall 2020 CITM Reports

Committee members that had been paired up to review competency in the major reports discussed their findings and reconciled differences. Feedback will be returned to departments for follow-up.

3. End-stream measures of student learning

Laurie indicated that, after conducting three norming sessions for the MGT449 critical thinking task, reviewers expressed significant disappointment in the student artifacts. Danny agreed that there is a significant measurement issue with respect to conducting this assessment during the final semester of the senior year, and that this context has a disproportionate impact on performance. Laurie and Danny will do some research to see what methods other AACSB schools use to capture end-stream data.

4. Update on Social Responsibility rubric

Danny is looking at AAC&U Value rubrics to determine how they are implemented by other universities and to see if there is an opportunity for us to choose elements from these rubrics that will work for us. He is also looking at how social responsibility is being operationalized by the courses that map heavily to this outcome (MGT 393, ECO 110, BLAW 205, MGT 449) to determine how the rubric can be tailored to meet our needs. He will provide additional follow-up on his findings.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:30 pm

Respectfully submitted Kim Lyons