

Institutional Effectiveness Committee

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IEC Agenda October 28, 2020 11:10 am WH 203

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Student Representative

1. Previous meeting minutes:
 - a. September 23, 2020
 - b. October 14, 2020Minutes not yet available

2. Subcommittee and Working Group updates:

- a. A. Data Governance
Data definition accepted by EC

- B. Planning

CMI President is reminded to ask Board President to recommend board member to the participatory governance review committee

- C. Mission Review

Terms are defined, however, discussion on community definitions

- our community is defined as “communities of the RMI”
- *cmi community refers to students and employees of the College?*

2. Cycle 1 MAPS SLO Assessment

The role of IEC is to review, and accept the report and the implications

- What is the % of benchmarks not met and why, ex: is it due to internet or IT access problems?
- To address IT issues, “bring your own device” might be a better solution to free up classroom space and ensure students have IT access on and off campus
- And additional 400 new laptops have been ordered for the bookstore
- If approved by SLT, CoVID funds will be used to cover 50% of the cost of the student laptops

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- Misinformation and confusion regarding assessment has been identified and corrected
- Everyone to read the report and send questions to Dean Va or VP Elizabeth by end of next week if there are questions

3. Accreditation: Review I.A.3

The committee read through the standard. The chair summarized what was written in the ISER.

4. ISLO assessment

Working Group to include Cheryl, Department Chairs, and the Assessment Coach. Cheryl to be invited to future Dept. Chairs meeting

5. PR progress

a. Formulate data collection plan

Amass and Consider data

There has been progress on PR, however, there are some programs that need to complete their parts.

Meeting adjourned 12:00 noon but there are remaining items for discussion.