



College of Arts & Letters MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

College Undergraduate Committee – November 12, 2019

Attendance: Miguel Cabanas, Cristina Schmitt, Justin Wigard, Sandra Deshors, Robin Silbergleid, Lily Woodruff, Angela Wendelberger, Quinn Moreno, Chris Frilingos, David Godden, Bump Halbritter, Cara Cilano, and Leann Dalimonte.

Guests: Mark Largent

Agenda: 11/12/2019– 3:30 – 4:30 321 Linton

Meeting started at 3:32pm

1. Guest Speaker - Mark Largent, Interim Associate Provost for Undergraduate Education & Interim Dean of Undergraduate Studies
 - a. Student Success Efforts at the College level
 - i. Major pathways
 - ii. General education reform coming
 - Access & equity
 - IAH
 - OCCI implications
 - Values vs. outcomes
 - iii. Arts & Letters graduation rates – “welcoming college”
 - Student attraction/marketing
 - Dwindling high school graduation numbers in the state affecting higher ed
 - 70% of students change colleges
 - b. Committee Questions/Discussion
 - i. CUC Definition/Approaches
 - Deliberative body for undergraduate student curricular and co-curricular issues, initiatives, and goals.
 - Current initiatives:
 - a. Compelling curriculum initiative
 - b. Recruitment
 - i. First year experience and transfer experience
 - ii. Communication and creating pathways for undeclared students
 - ii. Impact of general education teaching requirements across units; example being AAHD with the Art Historians covering those courses
 - iii. What is CAL’s role in the President’s view and across the whole university related to education?
 - Currently no view/vision of the college as the President is very new and the inside/historical information is not there
 - a. Transactional vs relational leader
 - Recommendation to create the vision of what CAL should be
 - iv. Discussion on flat rate tuition for advising students and looking at programs. Students in need send to Mark Largent or Rick Shipman.

Meeting adjourned at 4:39pm