Announcements/Updates/Reminders/Air-time for “Issues”

- Faculty Load & Scheduling Issues and Ideas:
  - ADH Overload Guidelines – updated doc attached, thank you for your feedback 😊
  - Please use and adhere to guidelines.
  - PT faculty (2 classes/sem)...impact?
  - Class scheduling – moving the needle (M-Sat, 8 am to 10 pm...)
  - Curricular considerations and review
    - Low enrollment trends
    - Taking things off our plate?
  - Faculty “service” expectations & recruiting
  - Early Alerts and Instructor of Record “issues”?
  - Commencement faculty processional feedback?
  - Inventory of Dept/Program pull-up banners? (see attachment re: AA poster/banner update cost review)
  - Budget Process – CP review and Q&A if needed. To CP 12/19 (at latest) then from CP to Budget office.

Reports & Guests

AVPAA: Dr. Kurt Haas and the 60/60 “rule”

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Montrose: Dr. Gary Ratcliff
HLC Assurance Review: Dr. Morgan Bridge

TRiO Student Support Services: Ms. Melissa Calhoon, Director (3:30)

Transfer Students: Ms. Sharaya Selsor (4:00)

WCCC: Ms. Chris Murphy
  - EL Class scheduling F2017 – Eng 111 & Math? Open to any CMU student, held in classroom on WCCC campus. Other classes?
  - Separate WCCC/redirect sections of Eng 111? Math? Others?
Academic Support
- Assessment (Dr. Bette Schans):
- ePortfolio (Ms. Tracy DeBellevue):
- OIR (Dr. Sonia Brandon):
- Library (Ms. Sylvia Rael):
- Registrar (Ms. Holly Teal):
- Sponsored Programs (Ms. Cindy Lueb):

Action Items – task group work underway 😊
Task #1: Professional Development fund use/Issues: delimit to FT faculty? Use of funds to pay for credential exams and/or cont ed?
  Dr. Jessica Herrick
  Dr. Russ Walker
Task #2: Use of dept funds to pay for credential exams? Cont ed/grad progs – our certs?
  Dr. Blake Bickham
  Dr. Barry Laga

ADH Tips, Tricks and Suggestions:
Art – Ms. Suzie Garner
Biology – Dr. Carrie McVean Waring (new)
Business – Dr. Steve Norman (new)
CMS – Dr. Lori Payne
Health Sci – Dr. Deb Bailey
Kinesiology – Dr. Jeremy Hawkins (new)
LLMCom – Dr. Barry Laga
Music – Dr. Calvin Hofer
PES – Dr. Russ Walker
SBS – Dr. Jessica Herrick
Tcher Ed – Dr. Blake Bickham (new)
Theatre – Mr. Mo LaMee (new)
Engineering – Ms. Brigitte Sundermann (Interim Coordinator)

Good of the Order/Kudos & TQs!

Upper Colorado River Basin Water Forum (November 2&3): Featured sessions on Integrated water planning, Endangered fish recovery, River restoration, Forecasting streamflow, Demand management, and Ethical and Cultural Considerations of Water Allocation. Special thanks to Ms. Hannah Holm, Coordinator and Dr. Gigi Richard, Professor of Geology and Faculty Director of the Ruth Powell Hutchins Water Center.

Team Grit’s 2017 agBot Challenge proposal has been accepted! The team will build 2 robust robotics arms on the back of an off-the-shelf side-by-side vehicle. The team’s objectives are (a) to build a low cost seeding, weeding, feeding robotic to aid farmers’ ability to maintain and/or tweak the physical layout of their existing equipment. (If you are reading this right now and
email Ms. Erin Rooks not later than noon on Friday, w/o telling anyone else, YOU will earn a prize! 😊) Team Grit members include CMU faculty **Dr. Karl Castleton** and **Dr. Warren MacEvoy**, and computer science student Jeri Abegglan.

**Congratulations to Dr. Maela Vallejos-Ramirez, CMU Professor of Spanish.** Dr. Vallejos-Ramirez will be teaching a class at the University of Puget Sound on Central American Women Writers and will present to a broader campus community in the afternoon on her new book: *Onomástica e intertextualidad en el relato corto latinoamericano*, an edited volume of essays exploring the meaning and importance of names and naming in literature.

**Dates & Deadlines/Future Meetings**

**FALL 2016:** Fridays, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m., Grand Mesa Multi-purpose Room, unless otherwise specified (e.g., we will try to hold one meeting/semester on the WCCC campus): November 18, December 2, Also, please hold December 9 for a possible meeting if needed.

**SPRING: 2017, Wednesdays, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m., Location TBA:** January 18 – CP possible schedule conflict, BOT/Legislative agenda, February 1, February 15, March 1, March 15, April 5, April 19, May 3, **There may be a year-end wrap-up retreat in late May or early June.** Time, date, details—TBA.