

Agenda
RCC Technology Resource Committee (TRC)
March 11th, 2021
12:50pm-1:50pm

Zoom Meeting ID: **94688351412** Password: **TRC2020**

In attendance: Patrick Scullin, Gabriel Rivera, Terry Welker, Skip Berry, Bill Manges,
Jill Smithen, Jodi Mowrey, James Mitchell, Stephen Ashby, Yash Tyagi, Cheyenne
Martin-Corbett

Start time: 12:52 PM

End time: 1:59 PM

- I. Approve agenda/minutes from November 12, 2020 Meeting**
 - a. Agenda
 - i. Addition from Gabriel – MediaSite
 - ii. Gabriel approved, Terry seconded
 - iii. Areceli abstained as she was not present for last meeting
 - iv. Approved
 - b. Minutes
 - i. Bill approved, Jodi seconded
 - ii. Approved
 - c. Committee also approved moving to Microsoft Teams
 - i. This will be further addressed in next meeting

- I. Faculty Chair report of activity (Patrick Scullin)**
 - a. **RDAS Report**
 - i. No report

- II. Co-Chair report of activity (Gabriel Rivera)**
 - a. No report

- III. Committee Member Reports**
 - a. **RDAS, ITSC, DAST, TSS (Bill Manges), etc.**
 - i. ITSC
 - 1. Halted due to COVID, not much progress currently
 - ii. TSS
 - 1. Providing service for over 1000 college-provided end point devices, including for students and both campus district employees
 - 2. Continuing to support on-site computers as classes have continued on-campus and more have started to be on-campus again

3. Adhering to strict sanitation and social distancing procedures for those employees working on-campus and for incoming equipment
4. Working to increase number of techs as workload has significantly increased
5. Patrick - List of changes to department should be included in the tech plan
6. Terry – Is the service desk only for staff, or is it available to students?
 - a. This is for any district-provided device, regardless of user

IV. Old Business

a. Website update – Bill Manges

- i. Lots of positive feedback on redesign, including accolades from Chancellor/BOT for centering redesign around Guided Pathways
- ii. Modifications are being made based on suggestions from those who still find the redesign difficult to navigate
- iii. DO is moving all campus and district websites to same system we're using (ModernCampus)
- iv. Released interactive campus map, well-received
- v. Working to do the same with course catalog, but this is a massive job
 1. Interactive course catalog has so much content it has its own CMS and possibly its own website
 2. Over 300 pages so far and each page must be approved
 3. This is not the same as the class schedule; that is a separate issue
- vi. Because so much of the information is in different forms (PDF, JPG, and more), it's a long process to convert everything
- vii. MVC and NRC will be following in our steps
- viii. Also in the planning stages of interactive calendar with its own CMS and content owners
- ix. Starting training for omniupdate soon, giving people access to the content for which they're responsible; there will be guidelines to avoid previous pitfalls

b. WIFI upgrades – Bill Manges

- i. DOIT team leading these
- ii. Parking structure/lot enhancements completed end of 2020
- iii. Projects are already underway to improve existing WiFi
- iv. Also working with DOIT to improve WiFi network SSIDs

1. Trying to simplify and give colleges the ability to make WiFi guest accounts
- v. Security on district WiFi networks is also being increased

c. Devices on loan – Bill Manges

- i. Distributed over 500 laptops from student-facing carts at start of lockdown; college has since purchased 1500 more
 1. 700 currently checked out to students; 100 in process to be checked out
 2. 200 checked out to employees
 3. 500 laptops returning to student-facing carts
 - a. Very big projects, as laptops will require over 20 configurations to be applied to each to return them to student-usable status (deep-freeze, etc.)
 4. Over 100 overdue; students have not returned them
 5. 60 laptops have been returned and are being disinfected for redistribution
 6. 20 laptops returned broken
 - a. Student are not being charged
- ii. Distributed 150 wifi hotspots to students; 150 more on the way
- iii. Library has been an immense help in this process
- iv. Patrick asked about deep freeze
 1. Students (and staff) are encouraged to save all files to OneDrive, as it is a security issue to thaw the laptops
 2. Deep freeze also decreases IT maintenance necessary
 3. We are looking for alternatives to deep freeze
 4. Perhaps training could be provided to students on OneDrive and other ways to save their work when working on a deep freeze laptop
 5. Maybe an external drive could be provided to students for the semester

V. New Business

a. Mobile Computing Initiative – Bill Manges

- i. Meant to replace primary-use on-site PCs for staff with laptops and docking stations
- ii. Having employees remote into on-site PCs from loaner laptops is neither manageable nor efficient and presents certain security risks
- iii. Approved to fund through CARES; estimates and quotes provided ahead of funding due to time constraints
- iv. This move is not mandatory; only for those who opted in
 1. Skip: What is the reasoning for not making this mandatory?

- a. It's not mandatory now because not everyone can do it due to the nature of their position
- v. The docking stations being provided support 2 monitors, as well as USBs ports
 - 1. Adaptors are available for different monitors
 - 2. Also Mac compatible
 - a. TSS has always provided Mac support; however, iPad support is a new addition

b. CI Track Attendance replacement – Bill Manges

- i. CI Tack has not been supported in over 5 years
- ii. Recently found A Plus Attendance
- iii. Hasn't been demoed by TSS
 - 1. Handled at DO level with Deans
- iv. Vetting is still in progress

c. Service Catalog – Gabriel Rivera/Bill Manges

- i. Service catalog was created by a team of It, AV, and Media Tech members, with assistance from Christopher Blackmore and Susanne Ma
- ii. Our goal is for this catalog to inform our user group what services we provide (such as loaner equipment), how will help, and how long to expect a response
- iii. See Service Catalog PP (emailed to TRC members by Gabriel Rivera)
- iv. Service Catalog is broken up into Category Names, Service, Overview, Benefits, Available To, Cost, and Policies
- v. Categories were created from a mix of previous requests, scenarios and repairs experienced by task force members and TSS team members
- vi. Specific scenarios were broken down into Services provided
- vii. Overview gives more detail about Services
- viii. Not yet determined where this will be put, but it will be made available to the public
- ix. Looking to include it or reference to it in the RCC Technology Plan
- x. SLA
 - 1. Incident Priority and Targeted Response Matrix
 - a. Incident impacting (organization, department/building, group, user)
 - b. Urgency (work blocked, degraded, or not affected)
 - c. Response (not repair) (1-3 business days)

- d. Skip - Will your Urgency take into account a single user but impacting student live student learning?
 - i. Yes
- e. Should this be added to the RCC Technology Plan?
 - i. Patrick suggests appendix
 - ii. Skip suggests as a reference so it's not as hard to change
 - 1. Gabriel seconds this, as the intention is for this to be an evolving document
 - 2. Changes will only need to go through TRC for approval

d. Smart Classroom – Gabriel Rivera/Stephen Ashby

- i. Not discussed due to time

e. MediaSite – Gabriel Rivera/Stephen Ashby

- i. Not discussed due to time

VI. 2020/2021 TRC Projects

a. Annual Technology Plan Review

- i. Not discussed due to time

b. ERP – Project Nexus

- i. Still moving forward; currently working to migrate Colleague ERP data into campus Nexus
- ii. TSS and DOIT have been meeting with student service groups
- iii. DOIT expects data extract complete by end of April
- iv. First steps/testing by end of April/beginning of May

VII. Assignments:

- a. District ITSC Meeting on 3/19/2021
- b. Admin Support - Cheyenne Martin-Corbett

VIII. Next meeting: Thursday, April 8, 2021

IX. Action items

- a. Araceli would like a Mac
 - i. She will need to contact her department chair
- b. Gabriel Rivera and Stephen Ashby will send info to and ask for feedback from the committee through email