DoIT Student Advisory Board Meeting
Minutes from Friday 11/8/13

Student Leaders raised the following concerns from their constituents:

Audio/Visual:
- Standardizing audio/visual equipment across campus that is found in classrooms

Wireless:
- Requested that wireless access points be added in the Student Union, 2nd floor (especially near the classrooms)

SOLAR – Changing the Layout/Functionality:
- Mobile needs more functionality
- E-Mail notification & To Do List – consensus was that it’s odd to receive an e-mail “There is a message waiting for you in SOLAR”….why can’t the email share what the message is?
- It’s not easy to find out your Financial Aid information in SOLAR

Research:
- Graduate students raised concerns that tech fee money would be used to fund research that they are working on. They requested that tech fee money not be used for significant expenses and Chuck agreed.
- Suggested that a centralized database be created that catalogs technologies available within departments that perhaps others could benefit from using time to time (at no or little cost)

Technology Fee:

An overview of the technology fee and expenditures was discussed based on this information:
The following 2012-2013 Technology Fee summary was distributed to all attendees

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Stony Brook students pay $21.60/credit or $216.00 for 12+ credits
Stony Brook's technology fee supports equipment, supplies, facilities, and staff salaries for the following services:

- Technology, furniture and maintenance of General Purpose (GPC) and computer classrooms.
- Student open access computer labs (SINC Sites) and Collaborative Learning Areas (CoLAs) which includes printing for all students.
- Networking: Wired and wireless access within GPC classrooms and common areas; student portion of the campus Internet connection.
- Overhead rate. This is a charge from the University in the form of a tax on all funds collected from fees. It is used to cover the cost of facilities, utilities etc.
- Instructional support for faculty teaching and student use of technology, free workshops for students on using technology, and Help Desk walk-in services for software and networking issues on personal student computers.
- Instructional Technology services: Blackboard, lecture recording system, online video conferencing, homework management, etc. Email services, Web space and personal file storage.
- Software: Purchase of Microsoft Office, Windows and antivirus software for all students; general utility and instructional software for computer labs.
- Library: Access to online databases and journals through the University Libraries.
- Academic Departments: Technology needed for student instruction including hardware and software for specialized computing labs and graduate student computing resources within departments.
- Health Sciences allocation: A prorated amount of the Tech Fee is given to the Health Sciences Center to support student technology needs.
- School of Professional Development: Fees from online students are used to support their specialized needs.

Top expenditures of the Other Expenditures include:

- Classroom Technologies
- Hardware & Software – PeopleSoft, Blackboard, Echo 360

The group agreed to discuss the following line items from Tech Fee at the 12/8/13 meeting:

- Printing
- Blackboard
- Student Support Services
- Classrooms
- Phones/VoIP
- Networking
- SINC Sites