DoIT Student Advisory Board Meeting – Friday 3/7/14

Broad-based Fee Process

- Student Media Press Release – Tuesday 3/4/14 @ 4pm in the New Arena
- Costs are rising ~3% ...based on Consumer Price Index – student employment, software, contractual obligations for staff.
- Open Forum meeting for all students – Wednesday 4/2/14 @ 4pm – SAC Auditorium

GSO Meeting – Rebate Discussion

- GSO meeting – 3/11/14 - topic will be raised and members will be asked who is interested in participating in this process/discussion

GSO will need to write proposal regarding the fee...

  - What is a fair amount for the rebate?
  - What is a fair cutoff?
    - Status – G4 or higher?

Printing Quota Proposals for USG/GSO: Waiting for representatives to take to their executive boards and respond.

News for students

- Matlab – site wide license – for students
- Soft seats in Frey Hall
- Lynda.com
- 3/14 – 3/15 – SINC Sites are closing at 6pm on Friday 3/14 and will remain closed during the 3/15/14 power supply replacement.
- 3/15/14 – Spring Break – Blackboard / Echo (SB Capture) / Adobe Connect (SB Connect) unavailable
- Discussions with Cablevision about HBO Go!
- Discussions with Apple about educational pricing – iPads, iTouches, iPhones

USG Questions:

#1 – Mobile App Development:

Can we work together to put a system in place for students to come to DoIT “innovation” ideas .... Invest in a “contest” ...students decide what apps and/or software would benefit all and be part of the development.

#2 - Old Computers:

Where do they go? Any University owned computers that are disposed of need to be data wiped and if are too old to be of any use are handed over to Recyclemania
Chuck’s Questions for the group:

**Question 1:** Do you believe students would appreciate it if faculty used Blackboard to communicate where the tools for their class are and post their syllabus in Bb.

Students believe this is would be very helpful...they also suggested that besides the Faculty/Senate, this idea be shared with:

- Graduate / Undergraduate program coordinators
- ATC’s

**Question 2:** When considering courses to register for...what is some information that you would find useful

**Students responded:**

- Course ratings
- Course description relevant
- Instructor ratings
- Does it meet a DEC requirement?

Meeting adjourned at 11:30am.