

FA DISC minutes—Feb 11

Attendees: Matthew O'Brien, Jose Sanchez, Maureen Melonis, Caitlin Cooke, Sophie Cook, Christine Sargent, Kyle Ehrhardt, Colleen Donnelly

Minutes for Nov and Dec approved.

Announcement: ASC is sunset; DAC is under the AVC of Informational Technology. DAC committees exist; committee constitution and charges are not shared. Accessibility work is to continue as it did before ASC according to AVC Farias.

HR: Reviewed HR posting – no issues. We will cordially ask the HR AVC if the information from the survey of employees who received accommodations can be shared so we can help address any community issues they highlight.

Paws Event: We would like to do Paws for a Break –the week before finals – either Wed, May 6th or Tuesday, May 5th. Caitlin will explore the library collaboration for that day. Matt will see if we can get money from ACE. Colleen will reach out to FSD.

FA DisC Resources: New resources are being updated on our website. We want to advertise what we have up there. Our Digital Accessibility resources will be advertised as on demand and by various modalities. We want people to know about the other resources we have up there as well. As Kyle suggested, we want to draft a flyer/statement we can share with colleges and will do this next meeting. Committee members can then share this through email and college meetings. We will also get something out through UComm and FA in the next couple months.

Student Group: We have 25 interested students. We will set up a Zoom meeting the second Tuesday in March 10 at 6 pm and send out an invite to students and our members. Our goal is to help identify students who want to be officers and get SGA recognition this semester so students can then take the lead and determine what they would like to work on.

Executive Functioning: Grant to potentially support the work to be determined in March. The LRC is interested in working with us on a workshop for students and training for a cohort to implement this. The plan is to have a Zoom meeting and invite DisC, past AOT member and others who worked on the project, and DRS to the meeting to discuss how we would like to proceed. The goal is to have a workshop to offer by the end of the year, beta test with students, and be able to deliver in various modalities and venues for fall.