

Technology Committee Meeting 12/8/2021

Attendees: Manuel Perez, Althea Kippes, Ludmila Prisecar, Hyla Lacefield, David Reed, Carlos Luna, Gampi Shankar, Ray DeCasas, Celeste Kidd, Mary Chries Concha Thia, Nick DeMello, Ami Smith, Julian Taylor, Ray Lapuz, David Meckler, Sandra Mendez, Allison Hughes, Maria Huning, Tammy Robinson, John Perez

Multi-Modal Teaching and communication-

Discussion around support for Students and resources for faculty, Link to Technology provided via chat

<https://canadacollege.edu/technologycommittee/techresourcesfacstaff.php> along with the ITS website for outages and notifications <https://its.smccd.edu/>

There was also discussion around digital onboarding for new faculty (full-time and adjunct) along with available resources. DeMello suggested a "digital Oasis" with use of google docs.

Reed reviewed the TechCommittee Plan along with goals meeting student needs. Additional concerns regarding student communication needed for SP22.

DeMello suggested offering a virtual door to support services and allow students to "drop in" virtually to get technology support, counselling, and orient themselves on a virtual campus -- like West Valley does using Cranium Café <https://youtu.be/vETayQEudVU>

Facilities Master Planning Timeline-

Reed shared Timeline Document and reviewed timeline.

Update on NEAT boards and new technology for SP22. Reed showed the Hyflex phase I slide. Reviewed the NEAT boards and smart cameras. Cañada has 4 complete rooms. The next phase is to bring faculty into these rooms. 23-103, 23-105, 23-203, 23-205.

Phase II looking to add 12 rooms, should know by the second week of Jan. Also, targeting all rooms complete by May 2022.

Suggestion to have a PD activity on how to use these new boards and rooms.

Hyla will be hosting a NEAT board overview from 1 to 3 PM in building 22, send Hyla a note if you cannot make Friday 12.10.21.

There were additional items to support new technology and teaching such as training students and faculty through TeachingTeams.

Question regarding surveys- was it in Spanish? Answer, no, future surveys will need to be in Spanish.

Questions regarding survey “when the survey goes out, is that preference available and toggle-able, with the send? (so we can have different versions of the announcement and make sure the right one goes to the student who has requested that format)?”

Next meeting Wednesday, February 9, 2021

Will look at meeting in a smart room/NEAT board room

Spring Meeting dates:

- February 9
- March 9
- April 13
- May 11