**College of Health Professions**

**College Council Summary & Actions**

**October 6, 2021**

**Announcements/Information**

1. Bobcat Days, October 16 and November 20, San Marcos Campus: Tables will be in the ballroom
2. Dean’s Seminar, November 4, 5:30 p.m., Nursing Building, Round Rock Campus
3. Fall Commencement, December 10, 6 p.m., San Marcos Campus
4. Availability of Enrollment Data for Colleges: Dr. Marc Turner, Asst. VP Institutional Research (IR), will be working with each college to determine what type of data is needed from IR and how to improve data that is available.
5. Undergraduate and Graduate Admissions: Applications are being accepted for the fall 2022 academic year.
6. Other
7. Street Naming Event: Students, faculty, and staff on the RRC are invited.
8. Film crew will be on campus Nov. 17-18, using the conference room on the second floor of Willow and the reception area on the first floor.

**General Discussion**

1. Digital Signs: Dr. Brooks provided an update on the 7-8 signs in the college that are being considered for contracting by ITAC to include outside advertising. He continues to work on finalizing the details.
2. Step Up to State: Council of Student Leadership members have been notified of their assignment, and alumni email lists have been sent to chairs/directors.
3. CHP PPS 02.02.33 Immunizations – Handout: Discussion was held on the need of this policy as a college versus individual program policies as some programs follow a slightly different process. Council asked for a more “general” policy that all could use. Item was RTA’d.
4. COVID-19 Update: Positive cases have decreased on campus. Face coverings and washing of hands continues to be highly encouraged.
5. Spring 2022 Classes: Face-to-face classes will continue for the spring 2022 semester. If changes are needed to the delivery mode, they need to be done before program begins on October 18.
6. Tenure & Promotion/Reappointment Deadlines: Dr. Brooks reminded Council of approaching deadlines. See T&P calendar and Reappointment calendar for specific dates.
7. Common Experience Theme – Compassion: The Dean encouraged Council to consider participating as Compassion is a theme that should be closely related to healthcare. Send ideas to Margie Rodriguez.
8. CHP Advising at RRC: Dean discussed the need for advising on the RRC. Discussion moved to the application process and nursing’s need for assistance with admission application processing. Dr. Brooks will work with the Advising Center and the nursing program to try to find a solution.

**Off Agenda**

1. No College Council meeting on Oct. 20.
2. Dr. Myers, Faculty Senator, reported the following:
* Academic Computing Committee and the computer replacement program – The senate web page has been updated, [https://www.txstate.edu/facultysenate     /committees/computing.html](https://www.txstate.edu/facultysenate/committees/computing.html), and the announcement should go out from VPIT in the next day or so.
* The Title IX Director and Coordinator, Alexandria Hatcher and Chief Compliance Officer, Bobby Mason presented to the Faculty Senate on how to deal with allegation of sexual misconduct, harassment, or discrimination. Concerns of not knowing when to report and what to listen for were discussed. Bottom line: When in doubt, report.
* Senator Ledbetter asked for topics to discuss with PAAG: Idea of requiring vaccines, a lack of conflict resolution or de-escalation for faculty and GAs when dealing with students. There is training for faculty however, not GAs. How shared governance works at the systems level, lack of COL adjustments and equity adjustments to prevent salary inversion with long-serving faculty, diversity and inclusion initiatives related to mandatory training for faculty, and more native plants on campus.