President's Response Campus Issue 21-22-07

Committee or Individual: PRIE Committee Date submitted: 09/23/2021

Issue/Concern: Changing PRIE Committee to Advisory Group

Summary of Issue:

The PRIE Committee has engaged in extensive discussion about whether to remain a standing committee that reports to Executive Council, or if it should become a different type of group with a different reporting structure. The issue arose as a result of college-wide discussions about the effectiveness of standing committees.

The PRIE committee recommends changing the group's status from a standing committee that reports to Executive Council, to an advisory committee to the PRIE office. The group determined that we have functioned more like an advisory committee anyway, and this change would codify that status within our governance guide.

Action Taken:

04/07/2022: Executive Council determined that the PRIE Committee could change to an Advisory Group pending Academic Senate discussion in May.

President's Response to Executive Council:

I have heard the discussion on Campus Issue 21-22-07.

To follow-up on this campus issue the following actions are directed in accordance with the Executive Council's response: The PRIE Committee will function as an Advisory Group to the PRIE Office. It should be noted that this recommendation is pending further Academic Senate discussion and may be revisited if needed.

Campus Issue 21-22-07 is closed.

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Michael Gutierrez, President Date