Assessment Liaison Committee Meeting Meeting Minutes – Nov. 1, 2017

Attendees:

Sangita Deb – Physical Science Cindy Carlson – Biology Stephanie Owen - Communications Naima Dawson – Assessment Chair Gene Smith – Humanities Yolanda Simmons – Human Services Erika Anderson - Mathematics Dean Nichols – Office of Instruction Dean Phillips – Office of Instruction

Discussion of Phase I – CSLO Template Completion and Issues

- Members discussed their process for collecting templates
 - o Communications 85% collected
 - Humanities collected some, but difficulty in collecting because large number of adjuncts and overall feeling of "assessment fatigue" by colleagues
 - o Biology still in the process of collecting
 - o Mathematics still in the process of collecting
 - O Human Services have most, but still need additional ones
 - o Physical Science have most, but still need a few more

Issues

- Concerns regarding asking faculty to revise their templates when it was difficult to get them in general
- Assessment fatigue by colleagues is it realistic to request faculty to move onto phase II (creating discipline specific assessment tool to be implemented in spring)
- Are faculty, in reviewing templates the Committee has, even ready for phase two when it appears there is confusion about what an assessment instrument is?

RESOLUTION to ISSUES

- Postpone Phase II until Fall and work on collecting templates
 - Template collection deadline extended to NOV. 10
- Review the templates received and each liaison will:
 - Review templates for their disciplines noting common issues that reoccur
 - Make note of excellent templates so those faculty members can either be approached about using their examples OR presenting during assessment portion of FDW
 - o Provide "findings" to Naima along with the system you created to review templates
- Provide FDW breakout sessions on common assessment issues discovered from template reviews