Corporate/Community Partnerships-Economic Development Committee
Minutes
4/14/22

Members present: Vinod Agarwal, PhD, Lisa Koperna, PhD, Jeff Tanner PhD, Dean Claud, Carol Considine, Gail Dodge, PhD, Mujde Erten-Unal, PhD, Sally Copeland, Karen Meier, Todd Johnson, Jerry Cronin, George McLeod, PhD, Beth Tremblay, PhD, Tara Saunders, Amu Lynch

Members excused: Tom Allen, PhD, Robert Doherty, Nancy Grden, Judith Dunkerly-Bean, PhD, Annie Gibson, Bob McNab, PhD, Craig Rollins, Wood Selig, EdD, Danielle Veras, Djuan Wilkins

Call to order

New Business

1. Presentations and Discussion
   • Daniella Cigularova – Assistant VP for Academic Success
   • Marissa Jiminez - Director, Academic & Tech Resources
     o The Office of Academic Success Initiatives and Support supports academic success in the classroom and beyond through student-centered programs, resources, and high-impact educational activities.
       ▪ Featured Academic Success Initiatives – ePortfolios, Impact Learning Communities, and LeADERS

2. Round Table
   • Students need internships paid or unpaid, students may have trouble paying tuition when the internships aren’t paying internships
   • Students need to engage with industry early
   • Don’t forget our online students may need internships
   • Faculty don’t always get feedback on what is being done to help students who are struggling and have been referred to the Academic Success Center

3. Adjournment

Next Meeting 4/21/22 at 4:00PM (Hybrid Format)
• On site in the Strome College of Business Room 2003 and via Zoom