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## Committee on Campus Life and Student Issues of the College Council

Meeting #2 November 6, 2013 S724

## Minutes

Present: Eugenio Barrios, Michael George, Michael Hutmaker, Andrew Levy, Harry Mars,

Ivelisse Rodriguez, Rofiqul Rubel Absent: Winston Aitken, Hicee Globio

- 1. Joint meeting with the Committee on Technology
  - Distribution of information regarding computer lab locations, hours of operation and rules for usage.
  - WiFi coverage in the college overall is very good. Students prefer to complete assignments on workstations instead of using tablets and mobile devices.
  - Computers in the lounge areas at Fiterman Hall need to be better maintained.
  - Explore "print only" pilot to alleviate backlog of students waiting in line at a lab to use a printer. Will request a report from the LRC on their "print only" pilot project.
  - Use of paperless assignments was discussed with faculty.
  - Update end of semester lab survey to include question(s) about printing.
  - Mobile devices are rarely used during class.
  - Journalism classes use printouts.
  - In order to determine the correct number of computer labs needed for a semester the
    departments need to include/update lab requests in proposed department schedules.
     Submission deadlines must be met. Faculty have indicated that there is a shortage of
    instructional computer labs.
- 2. Meeting adjourned.