

Student Tech Fee Council Minutes

April 24, 2020
Via Zoom at 1pm

Present: Bea Padilla, Lwin Htet, Christian Castilleja, Colin Krogh, Chris Schedler, Gerard Hogan, Brian Kimberling, Mickael Candelaria, Ginny Tomlinson

Guests: Marla Firman, Mike Marchand

Absent: Michael Berge, Edgar Carreno

Minutes: Bea Padilla

Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 1:04pm by the Cahir, Lwin Htet.

Laptop Lending Program Update

Ginny updated the council on how the laptop lending program is doing. The laptops ordered by tech fee have not shipped yet, there is currently a shortage on laptops because multiple universities and companies across the country are having to go remote due to covid, so they are back ordered. However, other departments on campus have volunteered to let the program use their laptops so students can check them out. There are currently enough hot spots for students to use. As of today 120 students have asked to checkout a laptop.

Mike Marchand- VDI Costs

The first month of VDI usage will cost \$20,065.17. This does vary on usage, however going forward this should be the amount that will be charged to the tech fee council monthly.

Computer Lab Student Employees

Ginny asked for an update regarding the students who work in the computer labs, these students are managed by Bea. Because of covid, the labs have closed. However, the Human Resources department offered to let student employees participate in CLA online courses so that they can continue to get hours. Bea offered this opportunity to her students.

She started the quarter with 20 student employees, but now only has 12 students. They work up to 15 hours a week on these courses. Some examples of these courses include: "Gaging your Leadership Performance," "Leading through Inspiration," "Women in Leadership," "The many Approaches to Facing Workplace Conflict." Bea asked the council to continue to allow these students to work from home on these courses until the end of the quarter in June. Most of these students need employment to pay for school. The council agreed to allow the 12 students to continue CLA classes for employment.

Voting

Lwin Htet
Brian Kimberling
Collin Krogh
Edgar Carreno
Michael Berge
Mickael Candelaria
Christian Castilleja
Gerard Hogan
Chris Schedler

Non-Voting

Ginny Tomlinson
Bea Padilla