Program Groups – Discussions on Tuesday, Aug 16, 2011

Tasks to be done:

1. Reflect on meanings of assessment results for courses. Share your successes and challenges with your colleagues. Work on interpretation; look for patterns, and differences among courses. This dialogue among colleagues is the goal.

Questions to ask:

Do the course SLOs reflect the most important outcomes of the course?

Are they written in a way that makes them assessable?

Are there alternative ways to assess these outcomes that would contribute insight to student learning?

What changes might help the learning process?

How do these courses together achieve Program Outcomes?

- **2.** What questions remain about student learning in a course, and in the **Program?** Request help with getting evidence to answer these questions.
- **3. Decide which course SLOs you will be assessing this term.** If needed, coordinate this among faculty teaching different sections of a course. Send an email with this information to the Faculty Lead for your discipline.

Campus policy: Each course will have at least one SLO assessed each term the course is taught. Over a 4-year period, every SLO in a course will be evaluated.

4. Decide how to spend the Program stipend, Inform your Dean of the decision.

Program Groups meeting rooms

Planning Group	Room No.	Stipend amount
Engineering/CIS	17-109	\$250
Math	17-103	\$250
Physical Sciences	17-105	\$250
Biological Sciences	17-109	\$250
Radiation Tech	your choice	\$250
Social Sciences	3-104	\$600
(Anth, PoliSci, Hist, Econ, Phil, Psyc, Soc, Geog)		
Language Arts (Engl, Lit, Comm Studies)	3-254	\$250
Fine and Performing Arts	13-216	\$500
(Art, Art Hist, Music, Theater)		
ESL	13-15	\$200
Foreign Language	13-212	\$200
Design/Tech, Creative Arts (Des, Fash, MART, Arch) 13-110		\$700
PE, Fitness, Athletics, Dance	13-111	\$600
Business, Accounting,	13-112	\$250
Medical Assisting	13-117	\$250
CBOT	13-112	\$200
Early Childhood Education/Child Development	13-116	\$450
Paralegal	13-112	\$200
Human Services	13-117	\$200

Reserved rooms:

17-103, 17-105, 17-107, 17-109 13-110, 13-111, 13-112, 13-116, 13-117, 13-210, 13-212, 13-216 3-104, 3-254, 13-15

Stipend amounts were prorated according to the number of courses within each Program Group.