

LISC report for SEC Meeting, 4/20/2022

LISC met on April 15th, 2022. We approved minutes from the March 7th meeting and received updated form from the Dean of Libraries, ITLAL and LISC Chair. The CIO did not attend.

Report from the Chair (Lindsay Van Berkomp)

- Open Access Implementation Committee to meet on April 19. Step one is education: gathering feedback, constructing FAQs, and working to get faculty to sign the authorization form.
- Sydney Faught (University Senate) advised on LISC meeting frequency/charge. Chair election will occur after April 29.

Report from the Libraries (Rebecca Mugridge)

- **Anna Radkowski-Lee Graduate Assistantship.** The Libraries are offering two graduate assistantships that include full tuition at the in-state level and a stipend. The two positions are for a Scholarly Communication Graduate Assistant and an Outreach and Marketing GA.
- **Staffing.** The Libraries continue to be seriously understaffed, having lost nearly 25% of its workforce in the last decade, including administrative positions, librarians, professionals, and classified staff. There are at least four retirements and other departures looming in the next few months; if we cannot fill these and other positions, the Libraries will soon be approaching a crisis point.

Report from ITS (Brian Heaton)

Report from ITLAL (Aviva Bower)

- ITLAL's early semester service has wrapped up. We had approximately 140 requests for surveys.
- We continue to plan our summer workshop and academy offerings to faculty, instructional staff, and graduate students.

Upcoming Senate Meetings:

- Wednesday, May 4, 2022

Upcoming LISC Meeting:

- Thursday, May 5, 2022