International Education Advisory Committee

Minutes

Friday, 09/20

Attendance:
Arnab Shaw, John Conteh, Thomas Fenton, Yi-Hui Lee, Michal Kraszpulski, Dane Daniel, Fatima Boumahchad (SGA, Shree Gotteti (SGA), Michelle Streeter-Ferrari (UCIE), Giancarlo Mariani (UCIE)

Notes

I. Meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm

II. Updates:
   a. University Center for International Education

   Michelle Streeter-Ferrari updated the committee on staffing and organizational changes to the UCIE. Mr. Giancarlo Mariani, the Associate Director of International Enrollment Management, was introduced. The committee was updated on enrollment data as reported to SEVIS (144 new international students, 591 total Fall 2019), and it was indicated that more comprehensive data regarding enrollment numbers and agent activity/performance would be reported in Oct-Nov. The group was updated on education abroad, study abroad scholarship opportunities, and the study abroad fair. Information regarding current initiatives of the UCIE included international recruiting partnerships (SannamS4, Turca Solutions), the SACM Memorandum, and potential social media and website management in China through a local service.

III. Sub-committee AY2018-19 Recommendations

   The committee reviewed the IEAC charge and reports from AY2018-19. Recommendations by the sub-committees were also reviewed. It was proposed that items related to sub-committee charges be engaged on an ad hoc/outcome-driven
basis. The proposal would be considered through e-mail vote with members in non-attendance involved.

IV. Discussion:
A brief discussion on the committee’s priorities was held. The committee chair suggested drafting resolution language to align the committee’s business and activities with Wright State’s strategic plan. Discussion was tabled. The committee agreed to vote through e-mail on meeting on Friday, 10/18, and Friday 11/22 from 2:00 – 3:30p.m.

The meeting concluded at 3:00pm