

**Academic Council Meeting**  
**October 6, 2010**  
**2:00 p.m.**  
**Library Conference Room A**

Present: Dr. Debbie Bryant; Dr. Ranelle Eubanks; Mr. Mark Spencer; Dr. Louis James; Dr. Peggy Doss; Ms. Sandra Campbell; Dr. Tom Springer; Mr. Brian Hairston; Dr. Morris Bramlett; Ms. Linda Rushing; Guest: Mr. Billy Hogue; Reporter: Rita Hyatt.

Mr. Billy Hogue reminded the Council of the October 22 deadline to complete Textbook Adoption Forms.

The September 22, 2010 minutes were approved.

The Council discussed retention ideas.

The Council discussed ideas for the Red Balloon Project. The Council indicated that it would like consider the use of technology in instructional design is its project.

The Council continued its discussion on the Council for Adult and Experiential Learning (CAEL).

Dr. Eubanks stated that the AREON lighting program will be rescheduled at a later date.

Dr. Eubanks provided the Council with the application for the Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) grant, noting the deadline for submitting application is November 1.

The Council discussed C & S proposals from Arts and Humanities, Education, Business, Mathematics and Natural Sciences, and CIS. The Council agreed to waive the 10-day review on some proposals and all proposals were approved.

The next Academic Council meeting will be October 27.

The Council adjourned at 3:45 p.m.