

## LEC Notes 2019-12-20

### Agenda:

Faculty Book Reception March 18

- Can any of us volunteer to help?

Brief report back from October meeting

Any updates from Amy Butler's team

- If no traction/response on other universities sustainability education programs, what should be our next steps, esp in light of ongoing library space redesign.

Recruitment strategy

Composting program

Spring Events and Earth Day Exhibit

### Meeting Minutes:

#### Present:

Scout Calvert

Loretta Crum

Sruthin Gaddam

Susan Kendall

Lisa Lorenzo

Jonah Magar

Stephanie Perentesis

Eric Tans

Discussions on October 2019 meeting with Amy Butler :

- No updates from Amy Butler , regarding LEC being the action team on campus and what the roles and responsibilities of the action team would be.
- Action teams are charged with drafting goals, recommendations and tactics and take it to the leadership on campus
- Think about how to promote the culture of sustainability at the MSU Libraries.

Efforts:

- Highlight our efforts which would be beneficial in our recruitment efforts.
- Course materials have used 90% less paper over the past year.
- Highlight what we have done, what we have in the works and where we hope to end up.

- Do we have a plan to coordinate with the communications dept at the MSU Libraries? Talk to Cindy and give her a document that summarizes our efforts , send her a story , don't just give her random stuff.
- It would be nice if we can get her to list out or accomplishments.
- Created a report "Current state: Sustainability at MSU Libraries" in the shared drive.
- Link to the "Sustainability at MSU Libraries" document :  
[https://drive.google.com/open?id=1PaJK4jnb\\_-nw9vF6vBH7GAj85n8s\\_K-uXeXmqUQUjFU](https://drive.google.com/open?id=1PaJK4jnb_-nw9vF6vBH7GAj85n8s_K-uXeXmqUQUjFU)
- People can pitch in an over a couple of months to flesh out the document

#### Recruitment strategy

- Promoting ourselves a little bit more . Do we have a size that we aiming for ? 10 ? We should have a discussion if the number gets overwhelming .
- We can individually talk to people , announcing our meetings , the agenda and where we meet ?
- Do we want to actively send out a call for recruiting people ? We can try some things and see what works and what doesn't.
- We could start with reminding people.
- Jonah will scout the new space in the music library for potential meeting space.

#### Composting program

- The IPF recycling guys are ready when we are. They just forgot about the composting bins in the 4th floor bathrooms .
- Jonah will talk to Dave about this.
- Jonah made a guide which has pictures and detailed instructions.
- Maybe a checklist will be turned back at patron services after the bins have been emptied.
- They have been swapping the bins out but not very often.

#### Spring Events and Earth Day Exhibit

- We are doing an earth day exhibit. Case starts in March
- We could do a seed giveaway for the earth day ?
- Theme: Earth Day 50th anniversary. Could the overall theme be accomplishments ?
- A new document titled "Earth day 50th anniversary exhibit" exists in the shared drive so people can include ideas for the exhibit.  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/13L1qpOqCEZk8zH1RqJv8Ks4nThxIW5UjJelfUoF0fPY/edit>