Provost's A&S Strategic Planning Committee 8.11.22

Meeting Notes

- A. Provost Bradley welcomed two new members: Jayanthi Chakram, appointed by the provost, and Cara Cashon, appointed by the dean.
- B. He reiterated the importance of using design thinking and keeping the user experience in mind when developing solutions.
- C. He confirmed that he reviewed all subcommittee ideas and tried to give everyone their top ranked subcommittee. No one was assigned to their last ranked subcommittee. He presented a chart that showed each member's subcommittee assignment. (see attachment)
- D. He reviewed the subcommittee expectations and said the goal is to finalize the work of the committee by the end of this calendar year.
- E. He encouraged the subcommittees to reach out and request meetings with both internal and external experts. For example, Gail DePuy and Bob Goldstein are working a lot on university-wide student success and retention initiatives and committee members should contact them if interested in how those initiatives could be implemented into a strengthened divisional structure.
- F. The committee discussed a plan for how to present an update at the next Faculty Assembly on September 23. He asked all to attend that meeting and be there to help contribute to the update, but mostly he and the chairs will likely provide the majority of the update.
- G. The group agreed to wait three weeks before meeting again as a whole group to allow subcommittees time to connect and start working on their focus area.