University Planning Committee Meeting Summary
Mission/Identity Subgroup
March 22, 2018 | 9-11 am | UC 224

Attendance:
Present: Comer, Fitzgerald, Humphrey, Kirgis, Schwarze, White, Whittenburg

Introduction: Discussion of Core Values, Curriculum, graphic, and Areas of Excellence

Approval of Minutes: Minutes Approved

Content:
The committee took some time to discuss outcomes from the core-curriculum: Leader, Innovator, informed Citizen, Problem Solver.

Then there was discussion around the elements that create these outcomes: Critical Thinking, Thinking Ethically, Communicating Effectively, and Thinking Creatively.

Further discussion was had around the curriculum need to address these elements. The Ways of Knowing course was cited as an example of a course that has a strong curricular opportunity for general education. This example was expanded into three areas: Ways of Knowing (Critical Thinking, Thinking Ethically), Ways of Living (Fiscal Literacy, Personal Health, Data literacy) and Ways of Communicating (Verbal, Written, Visual).

The committee decided to ask someone from Printing and Graphics to put together a graphic to convey the relationship between the Core and the Areas of Excellence.

The committee decided to forward Justice, Policy, and Civic Engagement & Economic Development and Entrepreneurship to the full UPC with the other 3 Areas.