

# Transfer Advising Committee Meeting

Tuesday, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 2-3:30

## Members Present

Brian High (CNAS), Alisa Trotter (COB), Jessica Bendure (COE), Hillary Mayes (CHHS), Ross Hawkins (SDPA), Rebecca Neal (SDPA), Mandi Muse (CHPA), Jaime Ross (Outreach)

## Members Absent

Jim Bellis (COA), Nora Cox (COAL)

## Visitors

None

## CORE 42 updates

1. CORE 42 continues to evolve based on what is happening at the state level.
2. Transfer Council has recommended that each college have a CORE 42 expert who can make decisions in the best interest of students.
  - a. Would members of Transfer Advising Committee be the best representatives?
    - i. Some members of committee feel comfortable doing it, while others would prefer someone else within the college handle the responsibility.
3. Committee discussed the pros/cons of centralized transfer advising:
  - a. For colleges that have advisement centers or points of contact, centralized advising may not be the recommended practice.
  - b. For colleges that rely primarily on faculty advisors for initial transfer advising appointments, it could be beneficial to have centralized transfer advising for general education, reevaluations and CORE 42.
4. Ross and Don Simpson plan to discuss CORE 42 and transfer advising at next ALC meeting (was not on the agenda for the November meeting-may attend a meeting later).

## Discuss and plan advisor forum for spring 2019

1. Committee agrees that it is necessary for an additional CORE 42 advisor forum next semester.
  - a. Forum needs to address how to advise on CORE 42
2. CORE 42 advisor forum from fall 2018 was recorded and will be available online with quiz questions for master advisor credit.

## Transfer Advising Committee Mission/Essential job responsibilities/Inventory

1. Continue to work on these documents

## Division of Student Affairs transfer initiatives

1. Joe Morris met with Ross to discuss in-person transfer student orientation experience
  - a. Optional
  - b. Would be offered for spring 2020 new transfer students
  - c. Will invite Joe to attend a future committee meeting to share details
2. Don Simpson and Ross met with Kyle Moats regarding OTC Night at an MSU men's basketball game:
  - a. Game is scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.
  - b. Plan to invite OTC faculty, staff and students

## Miscellaneous

1. December meeting has been rescheduled to Tuesday, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in University Hall 113 (meeting rescheduled to this date to Susan Martindale's retirement party on Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>)
2. Transfer advising committee members are encouraged to attend the annual MSU/OTC advisor meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Glass Hall room 486.
  - a. Committee members will have a slide or two to cover any changes or information that would be beneficial for MSU/OTC advisors to know (Jaime Ross will create a shared PowerPoint on One Drive).