Quality of Life Committee’s
Report to the President
April, 2015

At the request of Dr. Catanese, the Quality of Life Committee met 4 times within the 2014-2015 academic year to discuss and make recommendations about mainly three quality-of-life areas: (1) Conference Center – Next Phase; (2) Internationalization – Finding Commonalities; and (3) Off-site and Distance Learning – QOL Matters.

Subcommittees were created for two areas (Conference Center and Internationalization), while guest speakers from Extended Studies and Online Learning were invited to a meeting to discuss their specific quality of life needs. Reports, and supporting documentation, are included for each area.

(1) Conference Center – Next Phase
**Subcommittee Members:** Catherine Cook (Head), Robin Chan, Jessica Cushman, Cheryl Davis, Liz Fox, Benjamin Hutz, Sharon Stanfield

**Recommendation:** It is recommended a feasibility study is prepared to show credible evidence that the center would be a good investment.

**Report:** Florida Institute of Technology is the perfect blend of natural beauty and sophisticated education, located in the contemporary city of Melbourne on the east central Space Coast of Florida. With a growing student population on the campus of Florida Tech, industry expansion on the Space Coast, and community growth, there is a need for a world-class county conference center.

The mission and vision for the Florida Institute of Technology Conference Center should be to provide an excellent facility to serve the needs of the university, communities, clients, partnerships, and staff. The university needs space to accommodate conferences that will draw new academic opportunities as well as opportunities for Space Coast businesses to showcase their services, and develop new growth benefits for the surrounding Space Coast communities.

The Quality of Life Conference Committee noted that there was no adequate conference/convention center in Brevard County. With this in mind, our issues were: should the university build a center; how would the center be sustained; how would the
center relate to the university and surrounding communities; and, would the center create economic bounce for the university and surrounding communities?

The committee addressed the issue in 3 steps: facts, analysis, and conclusion. The committee conclusion on the need for a convention center was positive. We completed a 12 month event calendar to demonstrate continuous usage of the facility (see Appendix A). However, concerns to be addressed are location, construction, operating cost, staffing, and event planning.

The final thought is the need to be aware of and, possibly, accommodate for the potential of losing sponsorship dollars with existing hotels in town. There are handfuls with existing relationships that have been committing sponsorship dollars and are currently healthy partners with the university.

**Student Organizations use of a Conference Center at FIT:** After reviewing the data collected from 62 student organizations at Florida Institute of Technology only 20 did not show interest in a conference center at Florida Tech. These were mostly athletic or environmentally-oriented organizations. (see Appendix B)

Mostly academic organizations and some service organizations would have use for very large rooms to accommodate exhibitions, poster presentations, banquets and keynote speakers as well as medium-sized rooms for speakers.

Greek Life shows need for a large ballroom set up in banquet style with a stage. As well as a conference center that could accommodate conferences of a hundred people or more with a large banquet room as well as smaller rooms to accommodate round-table discussions.

The culturally-oriented organizations expressed the need for a large conference room to host their celebrations in with a stage for performances and a banquet set-up for traditional meals.

All organizations showed need for audio/visual equipment for their event.

There are many organizations that attend annual conferences in the Orlando area, given the opportunity it is believed that these annual conferences will show interested in hosting at Florida Institute of Technology.

**Athletics:** The athletics teams may have travelling teams that will utilize a convenient convention center/hotel but most traveling teams will base their decisions on costs and
location. However, it is difficult to put a figure on the number of rooms that they may utilize. Baseball indicated they usually have 6 weekends in the February-May window where a team would need 12-20 rooms for an overnight stay and possibly travelling parents. Crew have a large event with a number of high school/club teams that come to the campus for a few days around February.

Other Community Use: The Florida Bar could find a convention center appealing and could utilize a convention center room for meetings and classes, i.e. Brevard County Bar Association (BCBA) meetings, Continuing Legal Education (CLE) events. Many companies offer CLE classes and want to offer them in places that are appealing like Orlando but feedback was that Melbourne would check some of those boxes. The floridabar.org website has events scheduled for Orlando (see Appendix C).

(2) Internationalization – Finding Commonalities

Subcommittee Members: Jackie Lingner (Head), Carla Deras, Jared Campbell, Jessica Ha, Ulreen Jones, Mischka Maxwell, Danny Otero, Nate Stewart

Report: Universities across the United States, both public and private, are experiencing a rise in the numbers of international students on their campuses. The rise in numbers has brought attention to the need of universities accommodating all faiths of students, particularly Muslim students.

FIT has a large group of Muslim students. Members of the subcommittee reached out to other universities with large numbers to see how they accommodate this growing presence of students. In the end, FIT is very accommodating to the Muslim students and very few (almost no) issues were presented to the group that were not already being taken care of.

The subcommittee has provided a list of recommendations and observations based on their investigation into several matters reported to the QOL.

a) Prayer Rooms – FIT has a room set aside for students to use to pray. Muslims are required to pray 5 times a day. However, being that the students are in school, there is no place to wash feet as required before entering the prayer room. Due to liability issues, many schools with prayer rooms have designated washrooms outside the prayer room for this purpose. This happened because the floors in the restrooms were always wet and slippery. Some universities re-located prayer rooms in order to be closer to a washroom.
Recommendation: Look into relocating the Prayer Room if it is not near a washroom in order to avoid any potential injuries.

b) Housing – Although FIT does not have all-male/all-female dorm rooms, at the present time it does not have all-male/all-female floors either. However, effective fall 2015, Newman Hall will have separate floors for males and females (per FIT Housing Office).

Observation: This is a good start. If more separate facilities were available to all male and female students, there might be a shift in the number of Muslim students who live off-campus currently.

c) Dining Services – According to current Muslim students who frequent FIT’s dining facilities, there were no complaints. Our dining services label foods containing pork, nuts, etc., and students appreciate this. FIT’s dining services have begun a meal series each month by working with students from different countries and showcasing their food on a particular night in the dining halls. Other universities do this and it has been a great success. There are some universities who have separate kitchens in which they can prepare meals specifically to halal specifications. When asking FIT’s Muslim students about this, they voiced that this might be going overboard for a university of our size; they could see this on much larger campuses.

Recommendation: Continue with current services; students expressed no concerns. FIT Muslim students did think that it would be a nice idea if Panther Dining Hall prepared a meal, with input from the Muslim students, and participation from the FIT campus, to celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr (a Muslim festival marking the end of the month-long fast of Ramadan; a month in which Muslims abstain from food, drink, and other physical needs during the daylight hours.)

d) Swim Sessions – FIT does not currently have an allocation of an hour or more a week at one of the lesser-used pools for women only. Any woman would able to use the pool during that time; women lifeguards would be on duty; and barriers erected so that males could not see the women swimming.

Observation: Unless this issue is voiced by more women, there does not seem to be a pressing need for something of this nature on the FIT campus.

e) Official School Holidays – There are two Muslim holy days, known as “Eid”. Some institutions consider these as holidays so students can have day-long celebrations. For example, Syracuse University has made Eid-ul-Fitr an official school holiday on its five-year calendar. Administrators initially objected on the grounds that the holiday would be religious. The university’s Muslim chaplain contended that Easter and Christmas, two religious holidays, were already on the school calendar and thereby
forced the voting to be between no religious holidays or one additional holiday. Other universities acknowledge Muslim holidays, while still holding classes on the two Eids; they allow Muslim students to make up missed assignments and notify professors to avoid scheduling tests on the religious days.

**Recommendation:** Consider putting Muslim holy days on the same calendar and allow students to make up any missed assignments; students should be considerate in notifying their instructor in such cases.

**University Experience** - Many universities have started to require all first-year students on the college campus to take a course similar to (in FIT’s case) University Experience. Campuses have gone a step further to create a specific section or two just for international students. The specific sections discuss all phases of a student’s life on a campus, from academic expectations, immigration regulations, where to go for help, issues dealing with professors and "chains of command"; cultural differences (being an international student in America); plagiarism, cheating and consequences of, group work vs individual work, managing workloads, culture shock, etc.

**Recommendation:** Because FIT already has a University Experience class, if a section or two (depending on the number of new semester admits) could be registered with just international students, a great need could be filled. Many students, not just Muslim students, come from societies in which group work could be considered the same as individual work; classroom attendance is not mandatory, etc. Just an international class section would help in all phases of a student’s academic right from the start.

**Classroom Expectations** - All classroom expectations should be clearly printed on the course syllabus; attendance; test grades; participation in class is spelled out and how these contribute to students final grades. Be sure the students know the difference of pass/fail and an actual grade. Office hours are clearly mentioned and posted on office door. The ability to provide alternative methods of presenting to a classroom if a male/female does not feel comfortable is made-known at the beginning of a semester as well.

**Recommendation:** All course syllabi should clearly state expectations, including if alternative methods of presentation is allowed.

**Observation:** All instructors must realize that international students experience different challenges than a “domestic” student such as language barriers, financial
issues, lack of family support, family pressure, and culture shock. Let all students know you are supportive.

h) Social Gatherings - FIT offers Coffee Hours every other week during the academic year. Each coffee hour is “sponsored” by students from different countries. Without question, the most popular coffee hour is the Saudi Student Coffee Hour. Every coffee hour participating group is encouraged to showcase their country and their food.

**Recommendation:** Be sure that all students are able to be included in all activities that are presented on a campus, and that they feel welcomed. Many new students are “curious” about different activities.

**Summary:** Based on discussions with colleagues at other institutions, FIT seems to be the only one experiencing particular issues with international students. Most universities usually do not provide special accommodations for Muslim students until they make requests and prove a need exists; however, more universities are willing to meet Muslim students’ distinct needs. By providing Muslims accommodations on a campus, these universities are putting out the welcome mat and boosting student satisfaction, thereby creating a positive image of campuses that celebrate diversity. It shows to what lengths universities will go to make Muslim students feel accepted.

Jackie Lingner spoke at length with a member of FIT’s Muslim Student Association and long-time student. He is not aware of any issues Muslim students may be having. He stated that when Saudi students are offered a scholarship to attend a university in the United States, they must go through a vigorous orientation program before they leave their country. They are informed that they can keep their own identity, while at the same time experience college life. She also spoke with a female Muslim student, and she, too, heard of no issues concerning classroom experiences or other problems. She indicated that Muslim students feel very welcomed on FIT’s campus.

(3) **Off-site and Distance Learning – QOL Matters**

Dr. Ted Richardson, Senior Associate Dean of Extended Studies, and Mr. Brian Ehrlich, Associate Vice President and Director of Online Learning, attended a Quality of Life Committee meeting to discuss this matter. Both reported that, for the most part, the needs of their students, faculty and staff are satisfactorily met. However, any activities or events that connect their students back to the main campus are highly favored. These
students are especially proud to graduate from FIT. Suggested actions were to advertise and provide tickets to FIT sporting events played near off-site locations or in the surrounding areas. Students should be invited to attend special events on campus, such as homecoming. Any virtual events, such as seminars, convocation, graduation, etc., should be available via live-streaming for all students. Academically, it was suggested that a special Dean’s List be established for online learning students. Also, students transferring from online to main campus should be identified and targeted for additional assistance to address special needs associated with their transition.

**Recommendation:** Target advertising of appropriate events (curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular) to off-site and online students. Provide tickets to athletic events.

**Recommendation:** Establish a special Dean’s List for online learning students.

**Recommendation:** Develop special orientation sessions for students transitioning from online learning to main-campus, residential life.
Appendix A

Convention Center –

Calendar of Events
Below is the 12 month calendar of events researched by the committee.

January

Lead Brevard Community Stakeholder Summit – January 23, 2015

Sea Shell Show & Sale – January 11, 2015 (Held at Melbourne Auditorium)

Annual Space coast Birding and Wildlife festival

February

American Advertising Awards (ADDYS) February 21, 2015

Brevard School South Region Science and Engineering Fair February 20-21, 2015

Brevard Watercolor Society Annual Festival – February 20-21, 2015

FIT the International Festival February 28

LEAD Brevard’s 2015 Leadership Awards, February 27

Florida Tech host High School Business Competition, February 23

March

India Fest March 7 and 8, 2015

Brevard County Bridal Association Bridal Shows March 1, 2015

Southern Division Elementary Art & Science Fair March 10-12, 2015

Brevard Women's Expo March 12, 2015

Brevard Walk of Fame Event March 14, 2015

Women’s History Month Luncheon – March 19, 2015

Society of Women Engineers annual award banquet

Space coast writer's conference – March

Melbourne Air & Space Show March 21 and 22

FIT Sporting Affair XXIII & the 12th Annual Chopper Dropper, March 13
FIT Annual Florida-Friendly Landscaping Seminar, March 7
FIT 10th Annual Botanical Fest, March 7
FIT Women’s Business Center, Annual Women's History Month, March 19, 2015
National Science Foundation, NSF Day at Florida Institute of Technology, March 9
Melbourne Chamber: Business Breakfast, March 5
The 29th Annual Junior Achievement Space Coast Business Hall of Fame, March 7

April

Brevard Walk of Fame Event March 14, 2015
Florida Tech student research Showcase
Space coast human resources conference – April (may not be annual)
Melbourne Art Festival annual April 25 and 26
FIT Ethics & Leadership Conference, April 16

May

Space Coast Nerd Fest May 23 and 24, 2015
Annual Spring Honors Convocation, May 7

June

Brevard County Bridal Association Bridal Shows June 7, 2015
Bridal Showcase- June 28, 2015

July

Space Coast Reef Conference July (may not be annual)

August

FIT Women’s Business Center, IMPACT Business and Leadership Summit, August 28, 2015
September

Brevard Women's Expo- September 12, 2015

Third Annual Panther Prowl off-season event, September 20

October

Economic Development Commission of Florida's Space Coast annual meeting

Melbourne Air & Space Show October 4 and 5

Florida TechXpo 2013

November

The Florida Institute of Technology School of Psychology and Scott Center for Autism Treatment Autism Conference – November


December

Fit Women’s Business Center, High School Business Plan Challenge December 5
Appendix B

Convention Center –

Use by Student Organizations
Ultimate Frisbee Club:
  • Would use a hotel for their Frisbee Tournaments

Best Buddies:
  • Uses a medium size room for about 20 people
  • Would not need a hotel

Active Minds:
  • Have large events, but are generally outside so they have no need for a conference center

College Players:
  • Have need for a larger theater, not necessarily a conference center

Alpha Phi Omega:
  • Needs a conference center to suite approximately 800 people for their Merit Badge University Program for the Boy Scouts
  • Would need smaller rooms for the group to branch off to and also a large conference room to fit 800
    o Utilizes: tables, chairs and projectors

Society for the Advancement of Material and Process Engineering
  • Attends a large conference every year.
    o **May 18-21**
    o Approximately 5000+ people attend
    o Large rooms and small rooms are utilized for speakers and academic paper research presentations.
      ▪ ~20 rooms utilized
    o There is also a poster segment that is set up in the center
      ▪ Large Exhibit hall with 100+ exhibitors
    o A hotel would be used for this conference

Society of Women Engineers
  • Attends a national conference every year – **October 22-24**
    o Would use large conference rooms as well as smaller conference rooms
    o Tables, chairs, podiums and audio/visual equipment is used for the conference
    o The event would utilize a hotel
Squamish

- Hosts community activist sessions such as Seeds for Change
  - Could use a smaller conference room for this event

FITSSFF

- Hosts a LAN party once a year (they hold a competition of popular video games using the same server)
  - Would use a small room for this event
  - Utilizes many tables, Ethernet ports/switches and outlets/powerstrips

Premedical Club

- Hosts speakers from the medical field
  - Would use a small sized room for the speaker
    - Currently use the conference room on the second floor of Olin Life Sciences
  - Use multiple tables/chairs and an audio system with a small stage for the Speaker

American Meteorological Society

- Host an academic conference, will be held on April 4th this year
  - Would use a podium and display/audio system as well as seating
  - Has Speakers at event as well as an exhibition segment.
    - Would need a large room for exhibits
    - Would need medium-sized rooms for the speakers
- Attends a national conference
  - At the beginning of January
  - Have a banquet and awards ceremony
    - Would need a large room for 200+ people
  - Many presentations
    - Would need many medium-sized rooms to fit approximately 50
    - Would need podium with audio/visual system
  - Poster segment
    - Posters were set up on billboards in a ballroom
  - Exhibition Hall
    - Was in an adjoining ballroom
  - Would utilize a hotel

Society of Physics Students

- Attend a national chapter conference once a year in the spring
Latin American Student Association

- Attends Viva Brevard
  - **10/10/2015**
  - Large event involving the community
  - Consists of many booths with different activities

Tri-Beta

- Attends National Conference
  - Would need a large conference room for posters and small presentation rooms for PowerPoint presentations
    - Would utilize projectors, tables, large seating areas, etc.

American Society of Mechanical Engineers

- Attends regional conference for ASME
  - Speakers, Competitions and Networking events
    - Would need a large conference room and a few medium-sized rooms

SGA

- Attends a large national conference every year at the beginning of October in Washington DC
- Has bi-monthly meetings of 80 people or more.
  - Need for a medium-sized conference room
    - Would need an audio/visual system and tables/chairs

Indian Students Association – Sanskriti

- Hosts a Holi celebration at FIT in March
  - Has need for a large room (to fit approx. 500) with tables/chairs and a sound system with a stage

African Students Association

- Hosts an annual African Night
  - **April**
  - Approx. 400-500 people attend
    - Currently use Hartley room but it is too small, use Gleason now
    - Needs a stage and round tables for food
    - Great need for a large ballroom in a conference center
American Chemical Society

- Hosts an Inter-chapter Symposium
  - Approximately 50+ people attend
  - Has a poster segment and speakers
    - Would require two medium-sized conference rooms
    - With a stage and tables
- Attends a National Conference
  - November 4-7
  - Poster presentation and speakers

Association for Computing Machinery

- Host a Hackathon
  - Use a projector and tables/chairs
  - Need a medium-sized room

Omani Student Association

- Host their National Day
  - November 18th
  - Approximately 300+ people
  - Need a stage and seating

Biomedical Engineering Society

- Attends a national conference
  - November
  - There is an exhibition hall, keynote speakers and other speakers
    - Would need a large hall for exhibitions/posters
    - Also medium size rooms for Speakers/Presentations and a large ballroom for the keynote Speakers
  - Has need for a hotel

Ice Hockey Team

- Would have use for a hotel for when teams come into town to compete

FIT-IEEE

- Attends the IEEE Southeastern Conference
  - April 9-12 this year
Exhibition hall, professional papers, programming sessions, career building sessions, leadership training and networking activities

- Would require large conference rooms as well as a few small and medium rooms
- Hundreds in attendance yearly

- Believe that it would be possible to submit for the conference to be held at FIT in the future – the conference is held at different institutions
  - 2015 conference is in Fort Lauderdale
- Would have need for a hotel

KTE Co-op Honor Society

- Attends a national conference
  - April 3rd-6th
  - Large conference
  - Hosted this year by the University of Texas at Austin
  - Would have a need for a hotel

Student Rocket Society

- Hosts an event with one or two speakers
  - Approximately 50 people attend the event
  - Only need one room with audio/visual technology

MTS-SNAME

- Attends a national conference annually
  - Thousands of people are in attendance
  - Utilizes multiple conference rooms with many speakers
    - Medium-sized rooms (approx. 50 people)
    - Needs many tables and a podium for each room

AIAA

- Attends AIAA regional/national conferences
  - Kissimmee FL
  - January 5th-9th
  - Large conference
  - Would make use of a hotel
- Hosts a STEM outreach program
- Hosts multiple guest speaker each year
  - Would use a medium conference room
Florida Tech Swing Club

- Would like an open space with preferably wooden floors
- Would make use of a hotel

FIRST@FIT

- Hosts a Panther Prowl – a robotics competition
  - Approximately 1500 attendees
  - Multiple speakers
  - Currently uses the entire Clemente Hotel
  - Hotel would be utilized
- Attends multiple conferences in Orlando and South Florida
  - Similar set-up/needs as Panther Prowl
  - A hotel is utilized

Student Organization for Sustainability Action

- Hosts speakers
  - Would utilize a small conference room
    - Would need a stage and audio/visual equipment

Chi Epsilon

- Attends a bi-annual conference
  - 2014 conclave was in March in Salt Lake City, Utah

Relay for Life

- Needs a large conference room for the event and a smaller conference room for the survivors and bank at the event

Future Educators of America

- Currently uses Gleason and Crawford
- Also attend a national conference in Orlando
  - A hotel is used

Order of Omega

- Hosts an annual Four Pillars Leadership Symposium for Greek Life of FIT
- September
- Would need a large conference room and 4-5 medium sized rooms
  - Multiple speakers
Would need tables/chairs, a stage and video/audio equipment in each room

- Would utilize a hotel for the speakers

Panther Cricket Club

- Hosts competitions
  - Would use a hotel

International Student Service Organization

- Hosts bi-monthly International Coffee Hours
  - Currently held at the library
    - 50 people attend
  - There is a presentation and cultural displays
    - A stage would be utilized with a stage and audio/visual equipment with tables/chairs
- International Festival
  - Held annually outside at the Panther Plaza
  - 800-1000 attendees
  - Would have use of a conference center in case of inclement weather

Taiwanese Student Association

- Hosts community programs
  - Up to 50 people in attendance
  - Use smaller rooms for activities

Alpha Phi

- Hosts Red Dress Gala
  - October
  - Philanthropic event
  - 300+ attendees
    - Would need a large room
    - Would need a large ballroom with tables/chairs, a stage with a podium, audio/visual technology
  - Would utilize a hotel for alumnae

Kaleidoscope

- Hosts an open mic night at the Panthereum
  - Need an audio system and a stage
    - 2/24/15, 3/24/15, 4/21/15
- Would like to host Speakers in the future
Would require tables and chairs

Crimson

- Host a keynote/panel
  - 200+ people
  - Tables/chairs
  - Audio/Visual System would be set up
  - **February 25th, 2015**

Tau Kappa Epsilon

- Attend the Province Educational Conference annually
  - Normally hosted at UCF – Florida Province
    - Looking for new locations to host the conference at
  - October 22nd, 2015
  - Approximately 60+ people attend
  - Need a medium-sized conference room for the start and smaller rooms for modules
    - Medium-sized conference room would need multiple tables in a banquet format
    - Modular rooms would be in desk format or round table discussion
  - 3-7 speakers
Appendix C

Convention Center –

Other Possible Community Use
**Annual Florida Bar Convention**
Make Plans to Attend the 2015 Annual Convention
June 24-27, 2015
Boca Raton Resort & Club
Boca Raton

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**The Florida Bar Fall Meeting of Rules & Other Select Committees**
September 16 - 19, 2015
Tampa Airport Marriott
Tampa

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**The Florida Bar Winter Meeting**
January 21 - 24, 2015
Hilton Orlando Lake Buena Vista
Orlando
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This is the master calendar for the Florida Bar and all the events etc for the upcoming year but again, difficult to know how relevant these would be for us and this project.

[http://www.floridabar.org/DIVPGM/CN/MasterCal.nsf/DateList?OpenForm](http://www.floridabar.org/DIVPGM/CN/MasterCal.nsf/DateList?OpenForm)