

University Outreach and Engagement Council

October 16, 10am-12pm

MU Council Room



Attending: Scott Reed, Rebecca Badger, Dave King, Kyle Cole, Gary DeLander, Scott Elmshaeuser, Sherri Noxel, Deb Maddy, Lois Brooks, Allison Davis White-Eyes, Jim Johnson, Bruce Weber, Ron Mize, Emily Bowling, Dave Hansen, Jackie Russell

Unavailable: Susie Brubaker-Cole, Lynn Dierking, Cheryl Middleton, Mike Borman, Anita Helle, Anita Grunder, Steve Clark, Helio de Morais, Gloria Krahn, Laurie Lewis, David McIntyre, Lisa Templeton

Guest: Patrick Proden, Kate Peterson

Agenda:

Great Shake Out, 10:16 a.m. on 10/16 (handouts)

Kettering Critical Issues Paper – Patrick Proden, Regional Administrator Metro Region (ppt handout)

Imagining America Extension Reconsidered was hosted by O&E and CLA April 2014. Kettering Foundation is building on those conversations with creation of a deliberative issue guide about rural community development by and for rural citizens and residents, including those living in small towns, cities.

Seeking feedback on questions from Council, contact Patrick.Proden@oregonstate.edu:

1. What aspects of the culture of higher education should we strive to change over the next 3 years? How can we deploy ways of knowing from the Arts, Humanities and Design to make sustainable changes in the culture of academic institutions?;
2. What specific sources and forms of power can we build to make a difference organizing cultural change in initiatives such as Extension Reconsidered?
3. How might we invent and support new ways for community development to be approached in a way that links economic development with cultural development?
4. What avenues of opportunity exist in the national land-grant university and cooperative extension systems for engaging arts, design, and humanities in service to pressing public problems?
5. How can our collective efforts at OSU contribute to organizing and movement-building as part of a national strategy for holistic community development?

Comments:

- Considering virtual communities and entities?
- Oregon demographics are dramatically changing, great opportunity to lead the way with a plurality of communities. Metro area has uniqueness of rural and urban w/in counties to address cultural changes in communities.
- Expected wave of climate refugees; may see increase in economic disparities.
- How to get county faculty aware of resources available on campus (e.g., CLA civics conversations)?
- How do we engage faculty in community engaged research in communities? One area of change in marginalized communities is nation building; how to create economic development, shared learning/understanding. Raising resolution of community engaged research (critical answer to Q1).
- At the Ext Reconsidered 2014 there was a call to action and next steps; how do we organize internally to continue work with engaged groups?
- Oregon Humanities funding community conversations; also Oregon Cultural Trust and OR Arts Commission.

OSU Programming with Community Colleges – Kate Peterson, Assistant Provost for Enrollment Management

Since 1989 OSU has had degree partnership programs with all Community Colleges (CC); students dually admitted to OSU and CC with academic advising at both institutions. Structure further supported with OSO Open Campus (OOC) facilitating operational agreements/templates with Tillamook Bay CC and Klamath CC. Currently negotiating with each CC re: majors offered, e.g., Columbia Gorge CC focus on technology. Huge opportunity for 2+2's with CC for place bound students. Templates designed for student benefit (originally designed with LBCC). Reverse transfer degree program - student starts taking classes with OSU, transcripts can go back to CC to receive Assoc. Degree with letter of encouragement from Pres. Ray to continue on for Bachelor's degree. Pres. Ray hoping to make available statewide (CC needs to have ability to automate the system). OOC approach to community based education is integral to success of new DPP programs. Draft of one-pager will be shared by Scott in near future.

C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Award Video – Scott Reed

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g7rBj3wJ_OU&feature=youtu.be

O&E Colloquium April 13, 2015 – Scott Reed, Dave King

At Engagement Scholarship Consortium Annual Conference in Edmonton (early October) four posters presented by OSU faculty were very well received, in addition to OSU Open Campus (OOC) presentation for C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Award (received western regional award and presented to panel for national award consideration) .

- O&E leadership would like to **host symposium the second week of December or January** co-sponsored by O&E Council and OSU Engagement Academy, to include the four presentations from ESC Conference, and opened by OOC C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Award presentation by Jeff Sherman.
- **O&E Colloquium** – April 13, 2015 event - Who to bring in, who would be a spokesperson for Engagement? Suggestions (let Scott or Dave know of other suggestions):
 - Winner of national APLU C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Award
 - Scott Peters, Imaging America, keynoter and Marion Rossi, CLA, as counter
 - Extension Reconsidered different college focus, e.g., College of Engineering or different field?
 - Speaker in STEM area – confer with Martin Storksdieck for connection?

CL@SE Update – Ron Mize

[CL@SE](#) works in collaboration with partners in all programs, and with input community partner(s). First Latino center with research and engagement. Center is extending regionally. Forms of research and engagement in five areas of expertise: Youth and Community Empowerment, Socio-Economic Well-Being, Health and Wellness, Education, Cultural & Historical Awareness. Kathryn Ciechanowski has taken on interim role of Associate Director for Research. Center has statewide coverage with community partners. Research and Engagement commitments are fully in place.

Terms Expiring 2014 – Scott Reed

Scott will be in touch with college deans and non-college unit contacts for 2015 appointments.

<http://outreach.oregonstate.edu/about/outreach-and-engagement-council>

Other Matters – All

- Rebecca: O&E is co-sponsoring lecture series, [Voices from the Field](#), with College of Engineering, College of Liberal Art and Graduate School.
- Kyle – Broader impacts with Julie Risien, Center for Research on Lifelong STEM Learning, may be relevant topic for January meeting.
- Allison – Would like to provide update on the re-org of Intercultural Student Service efforts on campus for the January meeting.

Next meeting: January 15, 2015, 10am -12pm, MU Council Room