

ISTeC Research Advisory Committee Meeting
May 7, 2008
Minutes

Attendees: L. Troup, B. Draper, S. Hayne, R. Kwok, D. Bastian, H. J. Siegel, M. Stroub, R. Kwok, K. Paustian, J. Liu, J. Vaske, J. Potter

1. C. Papadopoulos will be joining RAC and will coordinate “Coffee with CSU”
2. S. Hayne is going on sabbatical FA08 and has requested a replacement from CIS
3. **Next Academic Year Meeting Time**
 - calendars were defined and an email will go around to the members who did not attend to determine FA08 meeting schedule. 2 choices will be 10-11 Wednesday or 1-2 Thursday of the first week of the month.
4. **PAR update**
 - Moving forward and keeping up momentum
 - Review of van Tilborg meeting
 - Potter following up to solicit white papers to move forward
 - Participants in the Van Tilborg meeting indicated difficulties with Van Tilborg’s response – that the scope of PAR is too big – but also encouraged by his statement that “no one else is doing this.”
 - One of the areas of research defined by Van Tilborg as being an area where PAR might be used was in remote searching of a building that may have unfriendlies in it. Hayne to coordinate followup of this.
 - Draper following up with OT and Vet Med in next week or so. Having difficulties at faculty level in OT with participation.
5. **HPC study – next steps**
 - Presented survey results to Farland (VPIT)
 - Will present HPC Study results to CRAD on August 18 (Monday)
 - ISTE C will host a campus-wide forum on HPC:
 - Present HPC Study results
 - Solicit views and suggestions as to how CSU should move forward in enhancing HPC capabilities
 - Participants: (1) Respondents of HPC survey; (2) people suggested by CRAD; (3) other CSU colleagues that are interested in the topic

Some ideas for ISTE C to help further in HPC at CSU:

- Expand the portal to include a forum for HPC (exchange views and information about HPC problem solving and resources)
- Provide “match-making” in HPC problem solving between CSU colleagues and IAC members
- Have an “ACNS-helpdesk” like facility to help CSU colleagues about HPC

6. **RAC Plans for Next Year**

- Distinguished Lectures
- Coffee with CSU
- HPC
- PAR
- Funding communities (Hayne and Folkestad)
- Research brochure for Farland