

## Educational Policy Committee

### Meeting Minutes

April 25, 2012

EPC Members in Attendance: Provost Cindy Speaker, chair; Professors C.J. Koepp, Ted Lossowski, Tom Stiadle and Susan Tabrizi and student member Jeremiah Miller

The meeting began at 9:30 AM.

1. Minutes Approved.

2. Continued Academic Program Goals Discussion

A. Define difference and respect within a community – tabled for later

B. Sandbox of uninhibited learning. We want to ensure that Wells is a laboratory for experimentation, encourage student responsibility, and encourage calculated risk taking.

C. Wells should be open to innovation and should be willing to embrace new pedagogies. The College should also be able to flexible, efficient, and able to get things done. Organizationally, we should work smarter not harder. We need to go beyond aspiration – do or do not there is no try.

D. We want our our students to be enthusiastic and accomplished.

E. Ultimately, we want to ensure that our goals are reflective of our realities and that the experiences received aren't canned.

The Meeting ended at 10:30 AM.