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In attendance: B.J. Reed, Hesham Ali, Gail Baker, John Bartle, David Boocker, Omar Correa, Nancy Edick, Jane Meza, Barbara Pickering, Lou Pol, Hank Robinson, David Richards, Deborah Smith-Howell, Scott Snyder and Sara Woods.

Guests: **Candice Batton, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs**
Patrick Davlin, Student Body President/Regent

- **Blackboard for Syllabi & Grades**
 - P. Davlin discussed student resolution encouraging faculty to use the learning management system (LMS) to provide course information, feedback and grades.

Guest: **Jaci Lindburg, Director of Digital Learning**

- **ITS Reorganization to Support Faculty Technology**
 - J. Lindburg talked about the reorganization in ITS. The plan is to continue to partner with Center for Faculty Excellence and to enhance instructional design resources moving forward.

Summary for February 2, 2017 Meeting – Revised, Approved and Posted on Web Site

New/Old Business

- **Distance Education Analysis**
 - H. Robinson discussed distance education analysis.
- **Legislative Update**
 - B. Pickering discussed legislative hearing held on Monday.
- **Budget Planning**
 - B. Reed said conversations about the budget continue.

Report Items

- Creation of Concentration in Ethics, Law, Social/Political Philosophy
- Creation of Concentration in Philosophy of Brain and Mind
- Renaming of BA in Black Studies to BS in Black Studies
- Renaming of Centration in Cyber Security to Cyber Operations

Sharing of Information

- J. Meza reported on action in international activities.