

## International Programs Committee

### End of Year Report, 2017-2018

Date: 4/11/18

Committee Membership:

- Barry Chung
- Arlene Benitez
- Chalmer Thompson
- Conney Freese-Posthuma (fall semester only)
- Deborah Hutton
- Dubravka Svetina
- Gerardo Gonzalez
- Laura Stachowski
- Martha Nyikos
- Rex Stockton
- Vesna Dimitrieska
- Husa Alangari
- Janet Fox

Meeting Dates:

- September 12, 2017
- October 3, 2017
- October 31, 2017
- November 28, 2017
- January 17, 2018
- March 7, 2018
- April 4, 2018

Goals and Charges:

- The committee met seven times during the year early in the fall semester we worked on planning and facilitating activities for International Education Week (Nov 4-12, 2017).
- We heard reports from Vesna Dimitrieska of the Center for P-16 Research and Collaboration. In addition to its main activities, the Center continues to coordinate with regional schools for a variety of purposes and international professional development opportunities.
- Managing the Visiting Scholars program
- We heard from two invited speakers Christopher Viers, Ph.D, Associate Vice President for International Services and Michael Brose Ph.D, Director of the East Asian Studies Program.

Actions and Outcomes:

- Since Conney Freese-Posthuma is no longer coordinating the visiting scholars program, CIEDR has taken on this responsibility. Arlene Benitez and Jennifer Douglas welcomed input and guidance from the committee regarding the Visiting Scholars Program procedures.

Recommendations for Future Action:

- Visiting Scholar program recommendations.

- Keep the International Education Week activities School of Education focused (as opposed to involving the entire campus)