

Senate Enrollment Committee Meeting, Monday, 3/23/2018
UConn Hartford Campus, Hartford Times Building, 10:30-11:30am

Present:

*Sebastian Wogenstein, Chair, Literature, Culture & Languages

*Cora Lynn Deibler, School of Fine Arts

Pam Diggle, Ecology & Evolutionary Biology

Nathan Fuerst, Admissions Office

Eva Gorbants, School of Fine Arts

Mansour Ndiaye, CLAS

Nella Quasnitschka, Early College Experience

* Senate Member 2017/2018

1) February meeting minutes approved

2) Visit to the Hartford Campus to meet with Campus Director Mark Overmyer-Velazquez and Assistant Campus Director/Director of Student Services, Katherine Martin

Highlights of the presentation:

UConn Hartford has close to 90% full-time students. 93% of the students are under 25 (“traditional college age”). The Hartford Campus is a minority majority campus with 54.1% of the student population identified as students of color. Due to campus changes, the junior and senior classes are smaller than the first two years. 9 majors can currently be completed at the Hartford Campus. Teaching staff include 48% adjunct faculty, 40% faculty, and 10% graduate students. The majority of classrooms are located in the Hartford Times Building with additional rooms available at the Hartford Public Library and 38 Prospect Street.

Retention initiatives to reduce the number of students on probation (currently 14%) include Veteran's Support (Oasis Lounge), Honors Program, One-stop shop Student Services, Interfaith and Reflection Space, Student Support Services, UNIV 1800 sections, UNIV 1820 - Academic Standing class, extended standard advising sessions, as well as the campus administration's focus on diversity and inclusion. Two initiatives in development include the Mortenson Scholars and the Academic Achievement Center.

For more details, see the addendum.

3) Plans for future meetings:

- Meet with representatives of summer programs (April 30)
- Meet with regional director: Waterbury
- GEOC and Senate CC&C how to coordinate and streamline information for students
- Data: degree completion, STEM enrollment and related demographics