

TO: The Senate
 FROM: Suzanne LaVere, Chair
 Library Subcommittee
 DATE: March 25, 2011
 SUBJ: End-of-the-Year Report, 2010-2011

This year, the committee continued to revise a document we began work on last year entitled "Helmke Library Funding Concerns and Recommendations," and also began to draft another document that addressed funding concerns for the library from a different perspective entitled "Value of IPFW Helmke Library: A Report." In addition, members of the committee met with a representative of the Higher Learning Commission and discussed the role the library plays on campus, and Cheryl Truesdell kept the committee updated on major library initiatives, such as the Student Learning Commons, additions to mDON and Opus, and the laptop checkout program sponsored with funds from IPSGA. The committee will meet in April to consider funding for Special Needs Grants.

Membership: Jeff Abbott, Prasad Bingi, Chao Chen, Adam Coffman, Gail Hickey,
 Suzanne LaVere (chair), Donald Linn, Kathleen Murphey, Cheryl Truesdell (ex officio)

TO: The Senate
 FROM: Myeong Hwan Kim, Chair
 Nominations and Elections Committee
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1. Conducted the election for the ratification of the Constitution.
2. Conducted the election for the Purdue University Speaker.
3. In the process of collecting faculty nominations for various Senate committees and subcommittees.

Membership:

Suining Ding, 2010-13
 Myeong Hwan Kim, Chair

Alice Merz, 2010-13
 Zelimir Todorovic, 2009-12