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Industrial Advisory Committee Meeting  
School of Business, Aviation and Technology  
March 9<sup>th</sup> 2018

Committee Members Present

Jody Ware (Corhart)  
Sherri Strother (First Energy)  
Bobby Luczko (Thrasher)  
Jared Jenkins (Thrasher)  
Maria Malone (Corhart)  
Andrew Sayre (Pierpont Student Rep.)

Absent: Vanessa Haymond (United Career Center)  
Brian DeBias (Fesco)  
Paige Robinson (Dominion)

Chris Toothman, Program Coordinator  
Gerald L Bacza, Dean: School of Business, Aviation and Technology

8:00 AM Advisory members ate a buffet style breakfast and had a chance to get reacquainted with existing members and get introduced with new members.

8:45 AM Chris Toothman called the meeting to order. Copies of the old minutes were passed out for review. Bobby Luczko made a motion to approve the minutes and Sherri Strother seconded the motion.  
Minutes passed as presented.

Agenda was passed out with topics to be discussed.

Review Curriculum Proposal Changes

Advisory committee reviewed the proposal.

Bobby Luczko and Jared Jenkins discussed the option of adding a possible surveying/drone civil class in the slot that has a 4 hour elective. Was mentioned that the program has several classes for architecture and several for mechanical drafting but only one for the civil area.

Thrasher representatives also commented on how well our students are working out for their company and that we now have 10 graduates working for them.

It was also mentioned if a survey class was offered that leasing equipment was an option instead of purchasing it.

Jared Jenkins made a motion to approve the curriculum proposal and Sherri Strothers seconded it.

Curriculum proposal passed unanimously.

#### 1. Old Model Schedule

Old model schedule was discussed and explained that students wanting to continue their education into a four year degree could still follow that track with the understanding they would have to pay some fees to take the FSU courses through a transient student process.

All Committee members approved that option.

#### 2. New Model Schedule

The main purpose for the major curriculum changes was to make the Drafting and Design program completely independent from FSU. With the new model schedule that mission was completed.

Jared Jenkins and Bobby Luczko suggested some civil options for the 4 hours of technical electives.

All Committee members approved the new Model schedule.

#### 3. 5 year Program Review

Chris Toothman Passed out the summary of the 5 year Drafting and Design review and Dr. Gerry Bacza discussed the review with the committee.

With National Accreditation though ATMAE good through 2020 it was explained that it could be used as the programs outside eyes for regional approval of the 5 Year review.

All Committee members approved the 5 year review

Election of new officers (two year term)

Chair: Chris Toothman

Co-Chair: Sherri Strothers

Secretary: Jared Jenkins

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 AM.