2015-2016 Annual End of Year Committee/Advisory Council Report

Committee Name: Machining Advisory Committee

Chairperson: David Kulbeth

List of members: David Kulbeth, Gentry Meyers, Ernie Stutz, Scott Stubbs, Mike Kwas, John Bradshaw, Scotty Fransisco, Eric Michaeli, Mark McMillan, Spenser Sanderson, Carl Priebe

Dates of meetings: November 4, 2015

Accomplishments:

*David Kulbeth was elected Chairperson, Ernie Stutz was elected Recorder

*Members approved programs goals and outcomes

*Members reviewed and agreed to make no changes to the Scans and General Education Outcome Matrices.

*Program Statistics: 6 graduates in Spring 2015 semester, 14 student majors, 6 new / 8 returning.

*Approved program changes were implemented by removing MCHN1438 (Basic Shop)/ MCHN2402 (Intermediate Mill)/ MCHN1458 (Intermediate Lathe), and adding MCHN 1408 7(Basic Lathe) and MCHN 1413 (Basic Mill)

*Equipment: No issues with CNC machinery. Some wear on conventional machinery that will be addressed during the summer. Additional equipment added: EZ-Router 40"x40" CNC router with 4-tool ATC was purchased as well as a Grizzly Cabinet saw.

*Donations: Pratt Whitney has donated 58 CNC tool holders of various sizes and types. THANK YOU!

*We continue to use the "Vernon College Machining Lab" Facebook page for student accolades and program updates. Our Sophomore Roundup and GenTX days expose this program to the grade school audiences that might otherwise never make contact

Recommendations: More troubleshooting and inspection

Membership suggestions: None

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