

TEXTBOOK AFFORDABILITY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, January 17, 2023

2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

[Milner Library 614A](#)

Agenda

Members Attending:

Guests Attending:

Members Absent:

Call to Order:

Action Items:

1. Review and approve [draft minutes from December 2022](#)
2. Determine notetaker

Information Items:

1. All members should have access to Teams site
2. In process of updating the [Textbook Affordability Committee website](#)

Discussion Items:

1. Welcome Carla Birckelbaw – sharing SGA request related to textbook affordability
2. Re-visiting communication plan
 - a. Last year's committee [drafted a slidedeck that could be used for a brief presentation at faculty meetings about textbook affordability and resources.](#)
 - b. Considering audiences for textbook affordability information: faculty, staff (specifically advisors came up in a recent discussion), students
3. Student textbook survey
 - a. At our last meeting, we discussed gathering more/current data from students about textbook affordability.
 - b. The committee last ran the student survey in 2019
 - i. Here are the 2019 student survey questions: [2019StudentSurveyFinal.docx](#)
 - ii. Here is the 2019 student survey report: [TACStudentSurveyReport.docx](#)
 - c. The Consortium of Academic Research Libraries in Illinois (CARLI) is planning to run a survey this spring for member institutions (ISU is a member) about textbook affordability and open educational resources.
 - i. Here is a draft of their questions: [Draft Questionnaire Illinois Course Materials Survey Student Perspective 221220.docx](#)
 - d. Do we want to pursue our own survey this semester? Or would we like to implement the CARLI student survey? Or another option?

Announcements/Miscellaneous:

Adjournment:

