Bus/CIT 2008-09

Accomplishment Description:

Video Material Development

The Business department faculty continued work to develop the use of online video resources, including both the creation of instructional videos and tutorial screen capture webcasts, particularly in the Accounting program. We now have 10-20 minute videos to explain almost all the accounting and excel concepts that students typically struggle with. These videos are not course or textbook-specific, so can be used in any class that works with a particular topic, from introductory to high-level.

The CIT department continued to aggressively develop and expand its ability to create and use online video material, particularly in the Network Operations Program. Developed and delivered video lectures in online courses: CS 179 Introduction to Computer Networks, and CIS 102 Problem Solving with Computers. These were in the form of live lectures recorded in a classroom and Camtasia modules of hands-on computer activities with "talking head" lead-in footage introducing the topic. Room 126 was updated with video equipment to record lectures. This increased the number of courses that can be recorded since we've only had the video cart if we could not schedule classes in the Distance Learning Studio.

Strategic Direction

- Build organizational capacity and systems to support student success and effective operations.
- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.

Learning Plan Goals

- Enhance student success and retention
- Address the need for direct student support from faculty and staff as a crucial element of the learning environment
- Increase support for innovation in instruction.

Student Affairs Plan Goals

• Ensure success-oriented systems and experiences.

College Council Priorities

- 5.2 Instructional Redesign: Leveraging Technology
- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention