

**IU Northwest Council Meeting Notes**  
**Meeting Held Tuesday August 10, 2021**

Meeting notes from the June 2021 Council meeting were provided to Council members.

**1. Chancellor's Update**

- Restart, we are poised to open in person for Fall semester.
- John Whelan, VP of HR is stepping down and joining Yale.
- John Sejdinaj, CFO has announced retirement.
- Ray Wallace, Chancellor of SE announced retirement.

**2. Student Government Update, by SGA President Garrett Wolf**

- Projects for upcoming academic year
  - Feminine hygiene products
  - Climate plan
  - \$15 minimum wage
  - Diversity issues
- Mark Baer, President of Faculty Org announced collaboration with SGA to have student representation at Faculty Org.

**3. Restart & Covid Operations**

- 92% of faculty have reported receiving all or one dose of vaccine
- 85% of staff have reported receiving all or one dose of vaccine
- 71% of students have reported receiving all or one dose of vaccine
- Masks are required in public places indoors on campus
- Incident Management Team will be managing various aspects of Covid related issues
- Continuing symptomatic testing
- Drive-up symptomatic testing
- There is an option/process for symptomatic individuals that do not have a vehicle. Call clinic in advance.
- Symptom checker through One.IU must be completed for symptomatic individuals
- Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**4. Strategic Enrollment Management (SEM)**

- Enrollment
  - Student enrollment count is negative 9.3% (from last year)
  - Credit hours at negative 10.3% (from last year)
  - New student negative 19.4% (from last year), improved from a few weeks ago. Moving toward enrollment goals
- Efforts
  - Debt relief/Re-engagement waiver
    - For students enrolled from March 13, 2020 through the end of this (2021) summer.
    - Relief of all debt inclusive of late fees and write off debt.
    - Loss will be recouped through HERFF funds.
    - 1,148 students were impacted/relieved
    - \$2.95 million of student debt relieved

- Make a difference to assist with persistence
- Continued efforts and analyses pertaining to enrollment
- Advising Initiatives
  - Continuing student campaign
  - Returning RedHawks
  - New student registration days
- Financial Awards/Support
  - 21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars
  - Frank O'Bannon Scholars
  - Various students in a myriad of populations using HSI (Hispanic Serving Institution) funds

**5. FY 2021 Financial Results**

- Good fiscal year 21
- Strong fall, spring, and summer semester
- Tuition and fee revenue exceed budget by \$620,000
- Total revenue results at \$53 million
- Kept expenses in line and under budget
- (Full presentation available from the Office of Fiscal Affairs)

**6. Together We Commit Pledge - <https://diversity.iu.edu/community-engagement/diversity-pledge/index.htm>**

**7. Upcoming Dates of Importance**

- August 20, Convocation
- August 23, Red Hawk Induction
- First week of classes
- October 1, Installation

**8. Other Business**

- None