Council of Deans April 11, 2018

The Council of Deans met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 11, 2018. Provost Michael Hargi

- V. Groves-Scott reported that the College of Education hosted the Arkansas Association of Colleges of Teacher Education last Friday. Joyce Elliott spoke to the 120 attendees.
- P. Mehl stated that the College of Liberal Arts hosted a successful History Day event on April 7 with more than 350 high school students competing. Two representatives from the U.S. State Department will be visiting campus next Thursday, April 19. They will hold a general information session at x-period about employment and internship opportunities, and then attend the College of Liberal Arts' Research Symposium.
- S. Watson announced that the College of Business will host their research and project day on April 19.
- J. Glenn reported that he just returned from the annual HLC conference. He reminded COD that the Four-Year Assurance Review will take place in 2020 and the university's Quality Initiative proposal will be submitted shortly thereafter. While at the conference, he was able to meet with the university's new HLC staff liaison, Dr. John Marr.

4. Provost's Announcements

The next Council of Deans meeting will be Wednesday, April 18. Courtney Mullen will attend next week's meeting to discuss placement requirements and its potential effect on Admissions.

Be prepared to discuss special degree requirements at the next meeting. The Employee Service Awards ceremony will be April 17 at 1:40.

Dr. Patricia Poulter has expressed that she would like to schedule one-on-one meetings with the Council members in July.

The candidate visits for both the College of Liberal Arts Dean position and the AVP of International Engagement position will likely be completed by the end of April. Each candidate will have the opportunity to meet with the Council of Deans. Thank you to the chairs of each search committee for their work on these important searches.

The Provost's Office is currently working on the schedule for the May 9 Deans Retreat.

The meeting adjourned at 11:05 a.m.