## **ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

Time of meeting: 2:00PM Location: SPG-HS117

Meeting called to order by: Dr. Jonathan Steele

**In attendance:** Robin Sibucao, Dr. Jonathan Steele, Nancy Smith, Damon Dougherty, Dr. David Manson, Dave Greenberg, Tom Block, Jeanne Reynolds, Randy Rumore, Rosaria Pipitone,

Nathan Muehl, Jeff Donovick, Katie Hicks, Krista Fusari

Time of adjournment: 3:40PM

Who prepared the minutes: Katie Hicks

## **MEETING AGENDA**

- Welcome, introductions
- Old business- minutes
- Program statistics
- MIRA Academic Chair search
- Bachelor's degree approval process update
- Equipment purchase approval
- Industry partnership updates
- Program outreach and recruiting
- Advisory Committee recommendations/discussion
- Setting of next meeting date and location

ITEM	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATIONS	ACTION
Welcome,	I.Dr. Steele called meeting to order	
introductions	II.Introductions were made; Krista Fusari noted	
	attendance	
Old Business	III.Approval of minutes from 9/13/13	Approved
Program Statistics	IV.Dr. Steele reviewed statistics of program  A) Graduates  1) 2009- 1  2010- 4  2011- 14  2012- 22  2013- 8 (So far)  B) Enrollment  1) 2011-2012- 263  2012- 2013- 288	
	2012- 2013- 288 2013-2014- 258 (So far)	
	V.Announcement of Mark Matthews' resignation	
MIRA Academic Chair Search	due to personal reasons.  A) The department is searching for a new chair.  B) 22 applicants that fit requirements  C) Hope to have decisions by early summer	
Bachelor's Degree Approval Process Update	VI.Legislation will be reviewing bachelor's degrees VII.Current compromise is a 1 year pause of submissions VIII.Internal confidence to continue planning degree program and go forth when submission process opens up again.	
	IV Drayact has approved conversion of closet in	
Equipment Purchase Approval	IX.Provost has approved conversion of closet in Music Center into a recording studio.  A) Can teach and provide services in the space now.  X.Recording console was donated by WMNF, originally used in the 80's/90's at Morrisound	
	Recording.	
	XI.Dave will send Randy a quote request for equipment  A). The college purchasing department will be informed to place Sam Ash Clearwater on their vendor list.	
	XII.Dr. Steele asked for permission from members to	
	put forth idea to Dr. White	All approved.
	XIII.Before it is submitted to Dr. White, plans of console refurbishment needs to be finalized.	

## Industry **Partnership Updates Program Outreach** and Recruiting **Advisory** Committee Recommendations/ **Open Discussion**

- A). Need to find out what the price is to repair and update mixing console.
- B). Need to capture an estimate price for any facility remodels needed, no matter how small (a place to position the equipment, electrical service, etc.)
- XIV. Robin presented partnership updates with Dean Guitar, TC Electronic, and Fender Music Foundation.

## XV.Katie presented the MIRA Street Team Initiative A) The role of the MIRA ST: To expose students

- in the MIRA program to relevant events, professionals, and networking opportunities with the potential to enhance their awareness of the music industry to the Tampa Bay area.
- B) MIRA ST first event was at the Gasparilla Music Festival in Tampa. Katie and Rosaria volunteered and raised \$1,108 in donations.
- C) MIRA ST will continue to promote at events. Please send Katie any requests for ST members to be present at events.
- D) Updated Committee on MIRA Presentations in the community
- XVI. Randy invited Street Team to set up a table at Sam Ash.
- XVII.Dr. Steele and Nancy Smith suggested a list of essential skills and functions are needed for the MIRA program.
  - A). Professor Muehl has a link to the nurse's essential functions.
- XVIII. Graduation numbers and enrollment numbers are different
  - A). Group discussed that not all MIRA majors are in MIRA courses and some choose not to graduate until they have their AA. Most students take at least 3 years or more to graduate.
  - B). My Learning Plan initiative- Rosaria will be working on this to confront students on what courses they are missing.
- XIX. Open Discussion
  - A). HSN will be visiting MIRA department for presentations of AS degrees.
  - B). Discussed student success stories
  - C). Consideration for the future: MIRA

Will send to Dr. Steele

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	partnerships with high schools to develop MIRA like programs.	
_	XX. Next meeting will be on September 10 at Epi TE 1-	
Setting of Next	302	
Meeting Date &	A). Committee voted for the lunch time meeting	
Location	B). Renewal of Committee Chair will take	
	place in September	
Meeting Closure		
	XXI. Robin called meeting adjournment at 3:40PM	

Approval of Minutes:

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