

**President's Council
Meeting Notes
March 8, 2017**

Updates: Gerhard Voggel discussed PACES desire to promote with our non-student population the idea of using SUNY Cards at the participating businesses throughout the community. By doing so, a 4% financial return to the campus is realized from those businesses.

Mary Dolan gave an update on the presentation regarding Respectful Communications.

Enrollment & Budget Rick Miller reported that Graduate applications are down about 6% from last year, but not far off of their goal target. Undergrad applications are down 6.5% which is about in line with the average decline in SUNY's comprehensive sector. Michael Sitton reported a pleasant uptick in applications to Crane's composition major. International applications are at 33, and staff are currently recruiting in India hoping for a number of students to attend in the fall.

LF Agenda The Council discussed plans for next week's Leadership Forum and suggested agenda topics to include updates on the strategic plan, the budget and enrollment.

Procedure for Departmental/Program/Unit Name Changes Mary Dolan pointed out that there is no current formalized procedure for when name changes are requested. Mary was tasked with creating a form for this process and all agreed that final approval should lie with the President's Council.

Personnel A number of personnel requests and issues were discussed.