

Council of Chairs
Sept. 29, 2015

Present: Tom Costa, Michael McNulty, Amelia Harris, Sandy Huguenin, Robin Benke, Rachel Tighe, Bryan Hoyt, Jeff Cantrell, Bruce Cahoon, Jacob Somervell, Frank Frey

Absent: Margie Tucker, Cathie Collins

Ms. Harris said that the SACS on-site committee will likely speak with Department Chairs, but perhaps not all ten. Topics may include qualifications for hiring faculty and for lead faculty. Tisha Paredes, from Old Dominion University's SACS leadership team, will be on campus next week to lead a SACS review to help us be better prepared. Mr. Huguenin added that faculty may be questioned about policies, assessment, faculty governance, intellectual property, and faculty evaluations.

Mr. Huguenin noted that members of the Staff as well as Administrative and Professional Faculty may not receive additional pay for teaching during the day, as that is normal working hours for 12-month salaried employees.

Mr. Huguenin distributed departmental budget reports to each Chair and discussed several of the categories.