

Owens Community College

John Deere Technology Advisory Meeting

Date: October 28, 2008

Location: Café Marie, Perrysburg

Owens Attendees: Tracy Campbell, Mark Durivage, Randy Ratliff, Bernie Goedde, Sherri DeCant, Don Standish, Bruce Busby, Colin Binkley

Industrial Attendees: Brad Warner, Jason Schmidt, Steve Schar, Stan Sikora, Bob Grove, Brian Johnson, Joe Eberle, Khris Montgomery, Eric White,

Ken Koenig, Matt McConnell, Heath Weilnau

Student Attendees: Alex Patterson

| Topic | Discussion/Rationale | Recommendation/Decision/Action |
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| Call to Order and Review of Previous Minutes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stan called the meeting to order | |
| Enrollment and Retention Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Currently have 17 freshman on the roster, may lose one to the military – 9% increase. Had 23 interested prior to semester starting. 2nd year enrollment is at 10 (1 is C&CE). ▪ Already have 6 interested in starting John Deere in the fall 2009. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Colin has been hired full time and will be working on enrollment. ▪ If you are having John Deere days or similar events we would like to have Colin attend. |
| Faculty Report Randy Ratliff/Bernie Goedde | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Randy attended John Deere Day events. ▪ Bernie and Randy both attended the training in Moline. Very informative; excellent networking. Got to tour the factories. They highlighted the Wood County store for strong network. ▪ Received Advanced Service Technician status. Master Technician status is next year. | |
| Student Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alex Patterson, 2nd year student. Really likes the faculty in the program-easy to talk with. Enjoys AMS, electrical and the program overall. ▪ Heath was asked how things have changed since he graduated. Stated that things have changed a lot in 11 years. Heath is now a Service Manager. The older techs are going to be retiring and have a lot of critical tech secrets that they will be taking with them. | |
| Outcomes Assessment Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mark Durivage discussed the revised of the outcomes and how they will be measured. | |
| Outcomes Competency Validation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The competencies are aligned with the eight NATEF standards | |
| Program and Curriculum Enhancements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Students are working on new tractors. They are not doing customer work. | |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Working on adding some of the business aspects of the dealership possibly into the QCT course. Would like to have guest speakers from the dealerships for this course. ▪ Students are learning and using Service Advisor. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The committee members were asked to be guest speakers. |
| Equipment, Facilities, and Staffing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ We received more equipment through Paul Williams. The student to equipment ratio is 2:1. ▪ Andy D'Amore is working as adjunct faculty, from Wood County. ▪ Introduction of Colin Binkley, hired as the Corporate Program Manager. | |
| Accreditation Status | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mark Durivage discussed the NAIT accreditation review this Spring 2009. | |
| Other | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Randy concluded meeting and thanked everyone for their involvement and support. | |