Catalog/Schedule Work Team Agenda

Thursday November 21, 2013, 10:30am

Audio-conference number 1-800-893-8850, conference code 6384637

Attendees: Jane

Barb Gianna Jennifer Joanne Michael Kim Cheryl Jan Jeanny

Note Taker: UAS

UAF UAA

Chair's Report

Banner

TR going to BST today

Old Business:

TR 118 – Russell working on it; bigger change than originally thought.
Mike Earnest took over working on this when Stacey. Not sure if Mike will decide to back off the TR and just make changes to the current programming or if he will continue to pursue.

New Business

The departments that offer blended courses tell us their courses are hard to find. In the search choice "Type of Course Delivery" e-Learning and Blended are separate radio-button choices.

Can we talk about maybe adding a new choice of distance types (0, 1, & 2) including e-Learning and Blended courses that shows all *except* traditional (3) courses. The current radio buttons require multiple searches for this.

Instructors at UAS want to search for their eLearning courses and their Blended courses in one search

Only one Type of Course Delivery option can be selected with each search, unlike the campus and subject

Jane said it can be done, not sure how easy it will be

Search being changed in 8.6 which will show in LRGP in Feb

Decision is to change the radio buttons to boxes so we can search for multiple delivery options

Consensus is to will wait for the 8.6 upgrade in Feb

And after a search, to make a search adjustment, the original choices of Term, Campus, and Delivery are sometimes retained, and sometimes dropped. It's inconsistent. Is it plausible to have a "Revise Search" button that would keep the choices so users don't have to reselect term and campus etc., every time?

Searching is redundant sometimes, make it easier to students, but at the same time students may want to change the campus they're searching in

This was a decision by the team a while back, reasoning is uncertain right now Possibly a browser issue – IE & Chrome will clear all search results, Firefox will retain Term, Campus, and Type of Course Delivery

No one stepped forward with a desire to lead the team. No one opposed Anna remaining lead so she will continue.

There was some discussion of CCS meeting patterns, currently every 3rd Thursday of the month so as not to conflict with BCT. Because of our meeting pattern CCS will sometimes fall on the same day as BST, but it was decided that was unavoidable and we would continue with the same schedule.

Adjourn

Next scheduled CCS meeting: December 19, 2013