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OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

INTERNATIONALIZATION LABORATORY with American Council on Education



Committee for Strategic Internationalization: 10/23/18 Meeting

On Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2018 Auburn University's Committee for Strategic Internationalization gathered at the Auburn University Hotel and Conference Center to discuss the profile of an ideal internationalized institution and began discussing programs, procedures and curriculum that model institutions have adopted.

10/23/18 Meeting: Overview

Characteristics of Idealized International Universities:

- University of Florida
- Purdue University:
 - Six cultural credit requirement, which can be met by:
 - Studying abroad
 - Taking intercultural classes on-campus (e.g. foreign language)
 - Who would teach these courses? - Graduate students and instructors
- University of Michigan:
 - Record system of students' international experiences
- Boston University:
 - International fundraising team
 - Alumni connections - Domestic and international
 - Data collection system that begins at the undergraduate level and is utilized to target a connection prior to alumni status
- University of California, Berkeley:
 - International parent giving - Connecting with international students' parents (alumni and non-alumni) to foster a mutually beneficial relationship

Sub-Committees:

- Research
- Student Experience
- Strategic Partnerships
 - Companies
 - Government
 - NGO's
 - Universities
 - Alumni

Next Meeting:

- Wednesday, Nov. 14 - Visit by Heather Ward, ACE Lab Advisor
- Tuesday, Dec. 4

Committee Reminders:

- Select your sub-committee (research, student experience or strategic partnerships) and email Andy Gillespie with your selection
- Utilize MS Teams as main mode of communication - if you have not done so, download app to phone and computer desktop