

English (Reading Emphasis) Meeting Minutes
March 3, 2015

Attendees: R. Cerofeci, S. Corbin, R. Kistler, V. McCallum, I. Newbury (via conference call), S. Schwartz, R. Arehart, B. Halonen, M. Ansite, D. Breckheimer, S. Blake, M. Cheung, N. Burruss, A. DeVaney (via conference call), Tom Lew (dean), Elise Geraghty (associate dean)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- CAREER FAIR (Sabra still needs faculty)
- CHERRY BLOSSOM FESTIVAL THIS THURSDAY, MARCH 5
- EVALUATIONS (ask Elise if you have questions)
- NEW POWER POINT POINTERS (Elise demonstrated the new Wireless Presenter that will be available for checkout).

1. SLO BUSINESS

- a. Fall, 2014, English 80 and English 82 SLO Results were distributed and are in TracDat.
- b. English 84 assessed this semester
 - i. We will pilot the English 84 assessment draft developed last semester.

2. READING EXIT EXAMS

- a. Elise reminded the faculty that standardized final/exit exams are appropriate as long as the content of the test is in line with curriculum and the grade is factored into the final grade. A suggested percentage is 20% to 30% of the total grade.
- b. A quick poll revealed that not all faculty administer the DRP but all faculty administer the Townsend Press exam; it is suggested that a new TP be developed for use as a standard final/exit exam and SLO assessment.