Well Being and Mental Health steering community

Charged in 2021 by President Wilson

Supports strategic plan

Division of Student Life + DEI + HR and more

Embed mental health into culture at iowa

Communication of well being framework to increase awareness of resources

Attention to intersectionality and cultural sensitivity

Three year plan, but continuous development afterward

1. Evaluate existin programming
2. Identify needs of diverse groups
3. Create inclusive framework of resources
4. Increase awareness of resources
5. Expand curricular and co curricular learning

Works within existing plans and priorities across campus, such as strategic plan, shared governance, dei goals and action plan, alcohol harm reduction, violence prevention, etc.

Communication between subcommittees to reduce redundancy

Subcommittees include

1. Food, nutrition and movement
2. Connections inclusion and purpose
3. Substance use
4. Built and natural environment
5. Collaborative leadership framework
6. Mental health and resilience

Fluid entry and exit of additional committee members

First year goal to inventory resources, strengths, weaknesses identify gaps of each inventory

As well as establishment of holistic framework and web portal

Presidential update

Flock cameras to track license plates

   Partnered with University Police

   Does not record drivers, other privacy protections

Nite Ride partnering with student orgs
Centralization of threat assessment

Flagging of individuals with multiple incidents reviewed by committee

IMU fees not increasing

Vice Presidential update

Networking at the bowl game – Go Hawks!

Communicated member government struggles and expectations of Engage system

More networking at Regents Breakfast in Des Moines

New opportunities for working with legislators

Financial updates

Member governments able to use GPAC funds rather than their own

Cabinet Director

Successes in world cup watch parties and candle pouring events

Alumni networking event

Hancher Finkbine Committee nominations coming up

No questions for cabinet level directors

Elections for GSS, COPSLC, and ISBA; ISBA using GPSG funds for Barrister’s Ball event no other member government updates

Importance of getting representatives settled before end of semester

No unfinished business

Voting on D.B. 8 – passes unanimously

D.B. 9 – passes unanimously

D.R. 11 – passes unanimously

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