

Attachment B

Summary of "Most Wired Campuses" Meeting

8:00 - 9:00 AM

June 19, 2000

VPRIT Conference Room

Attendees: Harper, Burns, Hesser, Maher, McNamara, Milligan

The purpose of the meeting was to devise strategies in order that CSU rank better in next year's Yahoo survey of "most wired campuses."

It was decided that a team consisting of the individuals present at this meeting (see list of attendees above) will respond to the survey next year. This team will be more aggressive at collecting information that will make CSU look better. Specifically, more effort will be made to collect information from our distributed IT environment, through interaction with the colleges. The intent is to develop a single, comprehensive survey for the colleges.

Specific items where CSU could rank better are defined below, with associated strategies.

1. Required/subsidized student ownership of computers - The College of Business intends over the forthcoming academic year to develop a strategy to include this in their Charges for Technology activity to be implemented in academic year 01/02. The strategy here will be to promote this model through the central Charges for Technology activity (entice additional colleges, at least Engineering, to participate). The model will involve input from UITSS and the UITS subcommittee. Burns will also explore coordinating this activity with David Kassoy of the CU System.
2. Help desk staffed 24x7 - It was noted by Linda McNamara, now that CTSS operates the consulting services, that this expands the staffed time of the central consulting office to from 8 AM to 11 PM M-F and some time on weekends. The strategy will be to take advantage of this increased staffing and, in addition, to collect information from the colleges on staffing of their open student labs, to expand our coverage.
3. Classrooms connected to the Internet - Currently, CSU has about 65% of its general assignment classrooms connected to the Internet. The strategy here is to use CSUIITE Project 1 funds to wire essentially all of the remaining classrooms, and work with local units to get these classrooms connected to their LAN's. ACNS will take the lead on this activity.
4. Course web pages - Over the forthcoming academic year, Burns, McNamara and Maher will work with the colleges to automate the provision of "standard" web pages so that every course has one. The preferred type of course web page will be in WebCT.
5. Disk space for student e-mail and WWW pages - ACNS will work to increase the disk storage limits on student accounts. McNamara will work with the colleges to collect data of disk storage space provided by them on their local, college servers.
6. Web page hits - McNamara will work through UITSS with the colleges to collect web page hits on web pages on their local, college servers. This may involve colleges instituting meters on their systems to collect this information.
7. Wireless coverage - Wireless networks already exist in the Library and the College of Business. The strategy for this item will be to use \$100k of CSUIITE Project 1 funds to deploy wireless networks in the most populated buildings on campus, including Clark, Engineering and Eddy. Also, ACNS will work with Mike Ellis to explore installing a wireless network in Lory Student Center. Finally, ACNS is in the

process of deploying wireless Wide Area Network connections to Old Fort Collins High School, and this technology may be used to provide connectivity to additional locations in the future.

8. Collaboration with local high-speed access providers - Such collaboration will happen automatically via our agreement with Sprint to lease our ITFS spectrum.
9. Courses offered exclusively on-line - Over the next year, Maher will be collecting a database of these.
10. Student e-services - Hesser, McNamara, Burns and Milligan will prepare information on this topic to be presented at the next ITEC meeting.