End-of-Year Committee Reports  Due April 29, 2005

Academic Year:  2004 - 2005

Committee Name:  Linear Algebra and Differential Equations Committee

Committee Chair:  Barrett Walls
Committee Members:  Mohammed Aslam, Thomas Cooper, Jessica Craig, Kuouk Law, Susan Nelson, Iason Rusodimos

MEETINGS

Dates of Committee Meetings:  Meetings were conducted via email

Attach Minutes of Each Meeting.

Have minutes been sent to webmaster for posting to the web?  Yes____  No____

Has the CCO for this course been reviewed, dated and sent to the Executive Committee Chair and the webmaster?

Yes X____  No____

TEXTBOOK INFORMATION

Was a textbook search done this year?  Yes  2652  No  2641

If so, list the names of approved books.

Were the Teaching Guides created for each book and sent to the webmaster?  Yes X____  No____

If a textbook search was not done, when is the book in rotation for a search?  2006 (for 2641)
ASSESSMENT

Was assessment done this year?  Yes  X   No

If so, list plans for review of this assessment.

We have gathered the data on the assessment and next year will analyze the data.

If not, when is the course due for assessment?  __________

CHARGES

List the committee charges for the year and indicate the progress of each charge.

1. Administer the assessment questions for Linear Algebra.
   *This year, we administered the assessment question for Linear Algebra during the Fall Semester Final Exams. Due to the low number of responses we will be administering the assessment questions on some of the Spring Semester exams as well.*

2. Finish analyzing the data from the Differential Equations assessment. Make recommendations based on the data.
   *The total number of responses from the Differential Equations was too small to make any sort of reasonable conclusions. With only two sections of the class and low numbers in both we could not gather any statistically meaningful data.*

   *We successfully completed this search. The three new texts will be adopted for this Fall. The three new teaching guides have been completed and sent to the web master.*

List any committee specific charges for the next academic year.

3. Plan an assessment of Differential Equations. Specifically, discuss if there is a way to get enough data to make reasonable conclusions.

4. Finish analyzing the data from the Linear Algebra assessment. Make recommendations based on the data.


Committee Chair Signature:  Barrett Walls