

ANNUAL REPORT

STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL OF RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE

Committee on Mission and Goals

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Annual reports should contain the following information:

1. Members of the Committee Michael Giacalone, Prachi Kene, Maria Lawrence, Roz Sibielski, Ron Pitt (VPAA); Exofficio members: Sue Abbotson (UCC), Gerri August (Grad Committee), Nancy Carriuolo (Pres); John Rainone (Student Member)
2. Meeting Dates were October 28, 2015 and February 12, 2016
3. Review of Committee Activities with Discussion of Major Issues
The minutes of February 2016 meeting is attached in appendix to this report.
 - A) October 2015 Meeting
Convener and Chair identified, Maria Lawrence, discuss charge of the committee and set task to review the newly adopted strategic plan for applicability to the Mission & Goals charge.
 - B) February 2016 Meeting (minutes attached)
The members' review of the new strategic plan revealed a need for extended discussion about the strategic plan.
4. Decisions Approved and Actions Taken
(including specific recommendations of the Committee to Council)

Recommendations as expressed in the attached minutes consist of a review of the Vision 2020 document, and how the projected improvements might be initiated/approached—including who by and when.

5. Specific Recommendations to New Committee
Pursue the above recommendation about the actionable aspects of the Vision 2020 document as relates to the charge of the Committee on Mission & Goals.

6. Self-evaluation
The committee work was focused toward a review of Vision 2020 and recommends the continuation of the review for the next academic year.

Please submit your annual report to the Council Chair, Jeff Blais – jblais@ric.edu