UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT AND OUTREACH

(Final; Information)

PE.24.02 2023-2024 Annual Report of the Senate Committee on Public Engagement and Outreach

This report summarizes the activities of the Senate Committee on Public Engagement and Outreach (PE) during the 2023-2024 academic year. PE held three meetings during the fall 2023 semester (September 21, October 26, December 7) and three meetings during the spring 2024 semester (January 25, February 22). More detailed information is provided in the minutes of those meetings.

I. ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE AGENDA

PE.24.01, Community Learning Lab and We CU

Katie Shumway, Director, Community Learning Lab, attended the October 26, 2023 meeting and shared that the Community Learning Lab (CLL) creates and supports relationships between the community and students in a partnership that is mutually beneficial in the areas of sustainability, service, growth, and education.

Shumway also shared that We CU supports partnerships between local organizations and service learning instructors to create impactful learning experiences for students, honor students for their community-based work, and promote positive change in our community.

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