University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
Council on Internationalization and Global Engagement
Meeting Minutes
Thursday, April 7, 2016
Phillips Hall 283

Present: Rose-Marie Avin, Manuel Fernandez, David Lonzarich, Nancy Hanson-Rasmussen, Karen Havholm, Stephen Hill, Paul Kaldjian, Cheryl Lochner-Wright, Colleen Marchwick, Heather Pearson, Kim Reed (secretary), Shintaro Yamazaki

Absent: Jason Anderson, Linda Carlson, Benjamin Corbett, Samuel Fish, Shanti Freitas, Erik Hendrickson, Theresa Kemp, Kerry Kincaid, Cheryl Lapp, Ling Liu, Alan Rieck, John Rosenow, Eric Torres

Handouts: Agenda, Minutes of 17 March 2016, Creating Our Future: Executive Summary

1) Approval of Minutes of 17 March 2016 as corrected (a date was incorrect)

2) The 59th Annual Juried Student Art Show Opening Reception is tonight, April 7, 7:30 pm. The art is on display through April 27, 2016. Please stop by and view to see how it generates ideas for international gifts.

3) Business
   a) Discussion of Creating Our Future: Executive Summary draft document. Paul handed out the document to review. Please send additional comments regarding global/internationalization aspects to Paul. Paul will forward comments to MJ Brukardt.
   b) Discussion of question from MJ Brukardt: If we want to best serve our students and invest our resources for the greatest outcome, what one area of global engagement should be our focus—growing student participation, integrating the curriculum, expanding regional co-curricular opportunities, or other strategies?
      - Suggested that we encourage department level internationalization plans to allow departments to develop what is best for them.

4) Paul would like to withdraw as Chair of CIGE. Think about ideas of how to choose the next Chair from current members. Paul will bring the CIGE bylaws to the next meeting. Paul will write a report for CIGE activities during 2015-16.

5) Meeting adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kimberly Reed