

AAC Minutes

11/6/14

Present: Carli Belosh, Mike Hurley, Lauren Kennedy, Derek Li, Jayne Piskorik, Jamie Plunkett, Chris Rick, Brett Wilkerson

- **October meetings approved**
- **Terry Bensel spoke on the Gateway**
 - The Allegheny Gateway will be a new physical space combining various departments from around campus, including but not limited to: Career Education, Civic Engagement, Intercultural Center, and International Education, etc.
 - The Gateway is set to “open” in January, right after winter break
 - In short, the mission of the Gateway is to help Allegheny students share the story of why they are excellent.
- **Discussion**
 - **Who should speak at our meeting in December?**
 - Cornell- discuss the shaping of next year’s class
 - Bill Ross- discuss on-campus facilities and people’s opinions of them as expressed in recent survey
- **Additional notes**
 - All-campus meeting on November 7th in Ford Chapel
 - Carli asked for volunteers for the 2nd annual Thank-a-Thon
 - Jayne, Brett, Lauren, and Jamie volunteered