



2. Are learning communities a part of the educational pathways identified in the Quality Focus Essay to develop student education plans and goals?

- There was considerable discussion around this topic – possibility of pathways through the basic skills and non-credit courses.

3. Pathways are a great idea but there is a lot of feedback that isn't positive – how vetted is this with faculty?

- Paul noted that there would be more discussions with faculty to see how the vast majority of students with different interests would benefit from creating educational pathways. Andrew remarked that the 'pathway' need came from the accreditation retreat, which was followed up with a meeting in January 2017. Kurt added that developing educational pathway would open up opportunities for students to take English classes around their transferrable degrees/courses. Valerie added that the 'pathways' could also broaden the scope of the learning communities.

The meeting ended with Paul thanking everyone attending this meeting and for providing input to the ISLR work.