Email from Dr. Bridgmon setting up a Zoom Meeting for the January Meeting:

12-21-17

Dear Colleagues,

I hope everyone has a restful break and joyous holiday season! Thanks for such a kind welcome to Tech!

As chair of the technology committee, I wanted to alert you all that we have a small (\$125k) pool of unencumbered technology funds that will be allocated in the early spring. Please give some thought to technology needs in your departments/colleges and email your request(s) directly to me by January 16th. Department Heads please copy your respective dean when making the request.

Since the available funds are modest and demand likely high, include a brief justification with your request. Some priorities will include the amount of the request, one time versus recurring, contribution to student learning and academic quality, leverage with other opportunities, fairness across campus, etc.

Decisions will be made by January 31st.

Thank you again!

Phil

1-17-18

Colleagues,

During our Zoom session next week we will discuss the merits of the attached technology requests. They are summarized in the Excel spreadsheet named technology requests. The additional files were submitted in support of the request for funds. To assist with our work, I will send a summary of the recommendations prior to our meeting.

The requests exceed our available funds that we can allocate (@125k). Some also may be more appropriate for existing IT \$\$ depending on planned maintenance, upgrades, etc. We will need the insights of Ken's office on how some of these requests best fit in our existing budgets and plans, and how we may be able to address them with our small pool of \$\$. The acquisition and usage of some of the spending will also be explored.

Thank you. I look forward to our Zoom meeting next Tuesday at 2.

Phil

The committee was provided with a group of requests to review and prioritize.

January 2018 General Technology Committee Activity - kdw

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- COE Technology Needs Spring 2018.docx
- Department of Art Technology requests.docx
- 🔓 Gina Kraft W Arkansas Tech University CPET HPE details.pdf
- Hull Digital Signage HPE details.pdf
- Inception News (002).docx
- Justification for Virtual Reality.docx
- Lasey Request.docx
- Memo-Bridgmon Technology Requet.docx
- 🗟 Ocean Optics Quote.pdf
- Ocean Optics Request.Barron.docx
- Request for Laptops and Carts C& I.docx
- Request for Velotron HPE justification and details.docx
- 🗟 Ross Inception News Academic Budgetary Quote for Arkansas Tech University.pdf
- SAP Proposal.docx
- Sole Source COSMED QUARK CPET HPE details.PDF
- Technology Funds Request Jan 2018 HPE.docx
- 🛃 Technology Requests Nursing.pdf
- Transmitters.docx

Requester	Item Description	Amount	
Caton	Inception Newsroom Broadcast Software	21,848	
Blanks	Desktop Computer	0	Handled by IT
Ward	Upgrade Lab Furniture and Server	30,000	
Lasey	Yoga Chromebooks/Rugged Book/Software	30,000	
Ward	Art Technology/Equipment	16,114	
Barron	Spectrometer	7,721	
Yamashita	Fume Hood	10,000	
Lewter	VR Human Dissection Technology	3,330	
Kellner	Ten Piop Ag 376 Transmitters	1,600	
Bean	College of Education	80,000	
Burris	Nursing Laptops	35,000	

The majorty of these requests were approved and funded through Academic Affairs for the 2018 Spring Term.