REPORT TO FACULTY SENATE

FROM: Student Affairs Policy Committee

DATE: September 12, 2022

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The committee's focus in 2022-23 will remain on student success, including basic needs, course materials, and health and wellness. A representative from Student Success & Retention Innovation (SSRI) will join our committee since their work is closely aligned. SAPC's first meeting is 9/13.

The committee would like to make Senate aware of the following student-focused news and resources:

- <u>CatCloud</u>, a new, all-in-one digital hub for students to actively manage their academic and student life, is now available campus-wide for all University students. CatCloud pulls in information from D2L, Trellis, and UAccess, improving students' ability to view classes and grades, organize assignments and quizzes, receive enrollment notifications, and much more. <u>Learn more about CatCloud</u>.
- Applications for the Richard H. Tyler Student Emergency Fund (RHTSEF) will be available to Fall 2022 enrolled students in the coming weeks. Students should check the <u>Dean of Students page</u> for details about applying, as well as for other emergency resources.
- Students can check out laptops, mobile wifi hotspots, assistive technology, and other equipment from the UA Libraries. The <u>Borrow Technology page</u> lists available equipment and locations.
- <u>Campus Pantry</u>'s Fall hours are Tuesday: 2-6 pm, Wednesday: 11-3 pm, and Friday: 11-3 pm. Its <u>Instragram page</u> reports that 1,410 people used the Pantry during the first week of Fall classes. The Pantry is located downstairs in the Student Union and serves anyone with a CatCard.
- Transit services on <u>Sun Tran, Sun Link Streetcar, and Sun Express</u> remain free through the end of December 2022.
- Students can find jobs and internships at <u>Career Days</u>, starting Sept. 13.
- Student Engagement & Career Development is offering <u>Career Champions trainings</u> for employees who want to help students achieve career success. A new series of trainings starts Sept. 28.
- <u>UAlert</u> is a free service that delivers emergency alerts to registered students and employees. Use this <u>direct link to sign up</u>. UAlert registration needs to be renewed every year, or any time you change your cell phone carrier.

GOALS:

- Have active representation from ASUA, GPSC, and Student Success & Retention Innovation
- Continue to support basic needs initiatives and increase awareness of resources
- Explore student-affecting policies that changed and reverted during the pandemic to assess their continued applicability
- Continue to actively seek information about current student challenges and concerns; the committee welcomes contact from our colleagues about any student issue you may hear about; please email co-chairs Cheryl Casey (<u>ccuillie@arizona.edu</u>) and Diane Ohala (<u>ohalad@arizona.edu</u>).