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The Education Committee had their first meeting on December 2, 2010 at the Lonestar Steakhouse in Auburn Hills. Committee members present were Marilyn Kostrzewski, Diane LeBar, Mark MacEachern and Mary Fitzpatrick. Robbie Craig and Jillah Biza were excused. Topics under discussion at the meeting were the scholarships for students and members; Pecha Kucha when to do it; and what classes to offer based on the conference surveys.

Conference scholarships discussion was based on how many, what to do about the fact that Wayne state may phase out the health sciences program, what about online students, and library technician students. Discussion around the extended deadlines this year was also held. Updating the scholarship procedures and timeline was decided. This will be brought to the board for approval.

Pecha Kucha was a huge success at the past conference and during that session there were comments made about scheduling this earlier in the conference. We decided to schedule Pecha Kucha for Thursday and have asked Jennifer Barlow to coordinate this for us and she has accepted. Thank you, Jennifer. The committee will be seeking participants for this so look around and see what you want to share with your peers.

The conference program will be brought to the board for approval.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Fitzpatrick  
Education Chair