

SAB Meeting Agenda  
February 14, 2018

- Andrea, University interior designer & Mike, University architect
- **Biology Lounge**
  - Rough draft layout:
    - 50-50 split of tables/chairs & soft seating
    - Glass doors
      - bottom frosted but the top clear [semi-private]
    - 2 computers at the front
    - big bookshelf along wall
    - Option 1:
      - Front: few lounge chairs
      - Middle: three 2-person moveable tables & chairs
      - Back: 2 large circle couches
    - Option 2:
      - Front & middle: same chairs/layout
      - Back: more movable furniture, only one couch, and more chairs
    - Whiteboard walls [definite keep]
    - Niche that has access to a dark room as well as an emergency exit [required for safety]
  - Suggestions:
    - mini fridge and microwave
    - Printer next to computer station
      - Thought: printer in storage cabinet to maximize space
    - Cubby space for backpacks/coats in bookshelves against wall
    - Main feedback: would like to see more tables and chairs, less lounging furniture
      - Focus on homework & study groups
    - Whiteboard tables?
    - Power cord tower to charge phones, with chargers
    - Switch the arrangement and have the public space in the front and hard core studying in the back
      - This way it won't be as distracting for the people who are studying to have people constantly coming and going
    - TV in the lounge area to stream things from computer (similar to Library)
      - Utilizes the place as comfortable, but also functional
    - Rolling chairs in middle section
  - About 18x25 ft (rough estimate)
  - Completion: shooting to be done sometime in the fall (mid fall)
- **Other USI design changes/suggestions**
  - Getting new chairs in the math lecture rooms
    - No more swivel chairs

- More perch-chairs in the first and second levels of the SC
  - Outside of the departments
- Squeaky tables in the math/chemistry lounge
- Furniture like what's in the Redwood lounge in the first floor of the SC under the stairs and next to the forum room in the front
- Charging station in the Pott college advising center
- Cubbies in the lobby of the ED/SC
  - Behind the stairs in the ED/SC building
  - Set up like the locking phone charging stations
  - Possibly automatically unlock after 24 hours, so people are discouraged from leaving their stuff for days at a time
- More tables outside by cone
  - Bigger tables
  - Tall tables
  - Charging station outside?
- Upcoming changes to campus
  - Path/sidewalk to applied engineering building in the works
  - PAC phase 1 is scheduled to be done at end of the year
  - Welcome center completed Fall 2018
  - PAC phase 2 is to start this year and hopefully end next year
  - New residence hall in the 2-3 years [master plan]
  - Lower level of the library renovation [3 years?]
    - Update furniture, light fixtures, etc.

#### Excellence Awards

- Haven't received any nominations as of yet
- Deadline is March 12
- Awards announced in April
- Maybe have some type of ceremony for the winner(s) at the last SAB meeting
  - If budget allows

#### Mentoring Program

- Etiquette dinner
  - Went well, good turn out of approx. 30 students
  - Not what people were expected, more common sense
  - Would get more out of a dinner, future reference
- Next three meetings
  - Alumni panel, Scholarship, Quiet night

#### SOC

- Next meeting February 20th at 3:00 pm

#### **Next SAB meeting is February 28**