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To:

Technology Advisory Board (TAB) Members and Ex-officio Members

From:

Brian Rogers, Chancello

Subject:

New TAB Allocation

With the constrained budgets that the university is facing this year I have decided to strategically allocate TAB funds between OIT, the Rasmuson Library and URSA to ensure that these units are able to continue to provide technology support to students despite reductions to their respective budgets. Beginning in FY15 TAB allocations will be distributed as follows:

- 60% to OIT for smart classrooms and equipment supporting students;
- 25% to the Rasmuson Library for computer and technology improvements supporting student access to library materials; and
- 15% to URSA to establish a student-led process for distribution to support instructional equipment.

Due to this change in the allocation process the Technology Advisory Board will no longer receive funding proposals and will be disbanded. I would like to thank each member of the TAB committee for their effort and commitment to the Board and technology issues at UAF. The decision to change the allocation process is not a reflection on this board, but rather on the current fiscal situation at the University and the need to ensure that existing technology services continue to be available.

cc. Karl Kowalski, CITO Dr. Barbara Taylor, URSA Director