

Meeting: **Tech Council**
Scheduled: February 12, 2007 from 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM
Location: DeG 551
Subject: Regular weekly meeting
Present: Ann Beck, Sara Campbell, Dan Hayden, Alan Lacy, Jim Moon, Brent Paterson,
 Beth Schobernd, Mark Walbert, and Shari Zeck
Absent: Bob Aaron, Trish Klass, Bob Rariden
Guest: Dave Greenfield

Agenda:

1. Update: Vista & Office 2007...
2. IT Policies: Next Steps...
3. Tech Tuition WG
4. Update: Exchange Proposal...
5. Update: VP feedback IT Strategic Plan...
6. Educating Illinois Task Force
 - Question 1: What is Illinois State doing well?
 - Question 2: What could Illinois State be doing better?
 - Question 3: What are specific areas of concern?
 - Question 4: What advice do you have for the Task Force?

Notes:

1. Dave Greenfield, director of Student Tech Support, spoke to the Tech Council about what a campus transition to Microsoft Vista and Office 2007 would mean. His handout is attached to these Minutes. After scheduled visits with Microsoft representatives on 2/20 and 2/27 - 3/2, Dave will present a draft resolution to the Tech Council at the 3/5 meeting. This would give the Council two weeks or more to finalize a campus resolution on the deployment of Vista and Office 2007 on campus-owned machines.
2. Mark asked for volunteers for a WG on IT Policies. Bill Blomgren has agreed to serve on, or chair, an IT Policies WG.
3. As in previous years, the Tech Tuition WG will be made up of Tech Council members with IT responsibilities in six of the colleges (*sans* Milner Library). This year that list includes Ann Beck (CAS), Sara Campbell (MCN), Trisha Klass (COE), Alan Lacy (CAST), James Moon (COB), Shari Zeck (CFA). Mark will continue to chair this WG. Mark has asked Georgia to find a time for the WG to meet.
4. [postponed to 1/26]

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6. [postponed to 1/26]

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Technology Council: 2/12/07

D. Greenfield

Transition to Microsoft Vista and Office 2007

Microsoft Vista Major Issues

- Hardware enhancements required
- Full compatibility with anti-virus software and Illinois State systems
- Which of the 10 versions do we utilize
- New purchases come with a Vista version (mainly personally purchased)

Microsoft Office 2007 Major Issues

- Change of file format (incompatible with other Windows versions and Mac Office 2004)
- Release of Macintosh file translators/Mac Office 2008
- New Interface – Major training implications
- New purchases come with Office 2007 (personally purchased computers)
- FrontPage no longer available from Microsoft

Illinois State Strategy

Dec '06	Licensing Info to TTUG Media for University owned computers available KMS licensing server working
Feb '07	Technology Council discussion Illinois State Microsoft events
March 5, '07	Recommendation to Technology Council
Early April '07	Resolution from Technology Council
Mid April	Publicity: end-of-year purchasing, new student computers
Late April	Media for personally owned computers available

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Windows Vista versions

Each with 32 and 64 bit versions

Differentiated Feature	Home Basic	Home Premium	Business &	Enterprise &	Ultimate #
Security and Perf. Enhancements	X	X	X	X	X
Search and Organize	X	X	X	X	X
P2P Meeting Space	Join Only	X	X	X	X
Scheduled and Networked Backup		X	X	X	X
Aero glass, animations and visuals		X	X	X	X
Media Center (including extender)		X			X
HD MovieMaker and DVD authoring		X			X
Network Projection		X	X	X	X
PC to PC Sync		X	X	X	X
Mobility (Tablet, Aux Display)		X	X	X	X
Encrypted File System		Read	X	X	X
Remote Desktop			X	X	X
Web Server			X	X	X
Fax and scanning utility			X	X	X
Domain Join			X	X	X
Offline folders			X	X	X
Group Policy			X	X	X
SUA (Unix Subsystem)				X	X
Full Volume Encryption				X	X
Virtual PC Express				X*	X*
MUI -All Languages				X*	X*
Windows Ultimate Extras					X*

* Available separately for free with separate media

& KMS server support available

Windows Vista Ultimate Edition is available, but no KMS support available

Illinois State versions:

University Owned Machines (via Software Management) – Enterprise
Business and Ultimate may be available

Tentative - Student purchase for upgrade (via TechZone) – Business or Home Premium

Tentative - Faculty/Staff purchase for up grade (via TechZone) - Business

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Microsoft Office 2007 table

Differentiated Feature	Basic	Home & Student	Standard	Small Business	Professional	Ultimate	Prof . Plus	Enterprise
Word 2007	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Excel 2007	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
PowerPoint 2007		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Publisher 2007				X	X	X	X	X
Outlook 2007	X		X				X	X
Access 2007					X	X	X	X
OneNote 2007		X				X		X
Outlook 2007 with Business Contact Manager				X	X	X		
InfoPath 2007						X	X	X
Integrated Enterprise Content Management						X	X	X
Electronic Forms						X	X	X
Advanced Information Rights Management and Policy Capabilities						X	X	X
Communicator 2007							X	X
Groove 2007						X		X

Illinois State versions:

- University Owned Machines (via Software Management) – Enterprise 2007
- Faculty/Staff Work at home (via TechZone) - Enterprise 2007 (media expected to be available in April 2007)
- Student purchase (via TechZone) - Enterprise 2007 and other versions as offered
- Tentative - Faculty/Staff purchase for home (via TechZone) - Enterprise 2007 and possibly other versions offered

Notes:

- Major User Interface change; default file saving change
- Office uses 25 digit activation key available through Software Management. Important to utilize on University owned machines only.

- Replacement to FrontPage is to be Microsoft Office SharePoint Designer 2007. This can be used in a standalone way and does not require a SharePoint server. Will require separate media.
- Best guess for next Mac version is late Fall 2007 with translators for previous versions 2 months after that..