

REPORT OF THE STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania  
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The Student Affairs Committee met today with Vice President for Student Affairs Tom Segar.

The meeting began with opening remarks about the Student Affairs Division.

An update on the Crimson Scholars Circle (CSC) program was presented by members of the CSC Team, led by Vice President Segar. It began with a review of what the CSC is about and its purpose. Details of CSC students in cohort 1 (2021-22) and cohort 2 (2022-23) included information on the number of student scholars and mentors enrolled and on their activities. The program involved the collaboration of several areas of the university, including Admissions, Marketing and Communications, Student Affairs, University Advancement, and the University College. An analysis of data for cohort 1 indicated higher fall-to-fall retention and spring 2022 grade point averages in comparison to similar students who were not in the program. Lessons learned from cohort 1 were used for planning and implementation of the Early Immersion Week and daily schedules for the CSC students in cohort 2. The presentation ended with student testimonials lauding the program.

Athletics Director Todd Garzarelli provided an update on IUP Athletics for fall 2022.

This concludes my report.

Maura King, Chair  
Student Affairs Committee