## **Inclusive Technology Lab Advisory Council**

## Wednesday October 20, 2015 1:00-2:00pm, LIB256

## **Summary Notes**

Attendees: Barbara, Bowen, Cheryl, Earllene, Kim, Meghan, Tracy

Regrets: Carolyn, Elizabeth, Nishat

Minutes: Barbara Sobol

## **New Business**

1. Introductions

- 2. Review Terms of Reference, available at: <a href="http://library.ok.ubc.ca/use-the-library/itl/inclusive-technology-lab-advisory-council/">http://library.ok.ubc.ca/use-the-library/itl/inclusive-technology-lab-advisory-council/</a>
- 3. Overview of current ITL plans, funding and assessment
- 4. Brainstorming session:
  - a. Do students know that the ITL is available? How do we get this message out to students and faculty?
  - b. Can the ITL lead to widespread access to assistive technology on campus for all students
  - c. There is a lot of excitement around assistive technology
  - d. Idea for 20 minute workshops on specific software/app in the ITL; would benefit students and raise awareness of the ITL
  - e. Need descriptions of the software on our website with potential ways it can be helpful perhaps text descriptions and short videos
  - f. Need to consider assistive technology licensing at a campus and institutional level; there may be savings to be found or potential for them, with site licenses
- 5. Tour of ITL (LIB101). For anyone unable to make the meeting, you are welcome to email for a tour anytime!