NAFSA SUBCOMMITTEE CHARGE

To: Deborah Pierce, VP for Education & Professional Development

From: David Shallenberger, TLS KC Chair

Date: September 4, 2012

Re: Request to Renew the Subcommittee Named:

Intercultural Communication and Training (ICT) Network Subcommittee exp.

3.2015

Sponsoring KC/	Teaching, Learning, and Scholarship KC
Committee	
Proposed subcommittee	The Subcommittee (SC) will create and maintain resources for
Why is it needed?	the Intercultural Communication and Training (ICT) Network in
Is the work ongoing?	coordination with the TLS KC team and ICT Network Leader,
	Christina Sanchez.
	The work is ongoing as it is planned to have new materials appear
	regularly while existing resources need to be kept up-to-date.
Relates to which	Strategic Plan Objectives:
KC/sponsoring committee	• SP Goal #4.1: Maintain high quality products, services, and
outcome/objective?	conferences by identifying emerging professional needs, responding
	to a variety of learning styles, and utilizing state-of-art presentation
	methods;
	• SP Goal #4.5: Integrate theory-to-practice throughout the
	knowledge domains.
Subcommittee outcome	The subcommittee (SC) will assist the ICT Network leader (and
accountability	SC chair) in the following ways:
	• Review existing resources and develop new resources to enhance
What needs to be	the offerings of the ICT Network, including providing assistance
achieved? Action?	in drafting text of resources intros and descriptions;
Is it congruent with KC's	• Revise/rearrange categories on the ICT Network to ensure
outcomes/deliverables?	resources accessibility and user-friendliness;
	• Identify and post timely discussion topics on the ICT Network
	forum (including announcements of new resources, documents,
	events, calls for proposals, etc.), reply to subscribers' postings, and
	recruit members to participate in online discussions;
	• Promote the ICT Network at NAFSA events and other relevant
	professional meetings and encourage participation;
	• Support the development of the theory connections, reflections,
	and applications theme within TLS networks, and on the ICT
	Network specifically.
	The SC will produce an update to the TLS team for the leadership
	meetings held at WLM (January) and the NAFSA annual
	conference (May) regarding resources that need updating, creating,
	or retiring, as well as discussion topics, and other areas where the
	team could assist in promoting participation in the ICT Network.

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Subcommittee	The SC chair will be the ICT Network leader who is appointed by
composition:	the TLS chair. The SC will consist of 7-10 members, who should
Who selects chair?	be familiar with curricular internationalization theory and practice,
Number of members?	and have at least one year's experience working in the field. Skills
Skills needed?	in concise writing, as well as an interest in mentoring others, and participating in online discussions will be helpful.
Time commitment for	Preparing bi-annual reports for leadership meetings may require
Members	5-10 hours in December/January and April/May.
	• Presentations at regional NAFSA conferences (and other
	professional conferences) may be requested by the national team,
	requiring additional preparation time and actual presentation
	time.
	• At least four 1-hour conference calls per year will be requested.
National Resources	Meeting space at annual conference.
Needed	• Funding for at least four conference calls per year with a
	maximum of 8-11 people (SC and one staff person).
	• Staff time for setting up conference calls, facilitating meeting
	scheduling, and posting resources to the ICT Network.
Next review date	March 2015
Approved by Board	
(Date of meeting)	