

FISCAL YEAR 2006 ANNUAL REPORT

Office of Information Systems

JULY 2006

Key Personnel: Mike Stone and Laura Mondy

The Computer Information Services department has been very busy this year providing support to all areas of the campus. Lately we have mostly been focused on Implementing Datatel. We have rebuilt the Davinci 2.0 site and are about ready to switch over to KcNet leaving behind the fraise Davinci. I have recently installed SharePoint Portal and have been testing it with Bruce Fischer to see how we can move away from Novell and become more Microsoft based so that we can take advantage of all the integrated tools in SharePoint. This will go hand in hand with Datatel in the early spring of next year as Datatel will be changing their entire product line over to SharePoint in the next 3 years or so.

We have worked extremely hard building/maintaining community relationships with free web sites being hosted on Kaskaskia College Web Servers for South Central Illinois Growth Alliance (SCIGA) The Athletics area team rosters have been a great success, and the community feedback as been wonderful.

We have done so much for so many and documented all most all of it. In reviewing our documents (many of which are in our new online helpdesk) we have selected a short list of some of the major accomplishments for you to see below.

- We have played major roles in the successful implementation of Datatel Financials which went live in late June 2006
- Assisted in preparations for the Board of Trustees presentation in Seattle at the ACCT Conference
- Vision 2020 web site
- Participated in the selection committee for ERP system
- Mike Stone Participated in approximately 55 days of Datatel Training not including travel days
- Laura Mondy Participated in approximately 45 days of Datatel Training not including travel days
- Microsoft Visual Studio 2005 Training
- Microsoft SQL Server 2005 Training

- Live video/audio coverage of Graduation delivered to Auditorium
- Live video/audio coverage of Groundbreaking for the Health and Professional Careers Building delivered to Education Centers
- Developed Work Ethics web sites (Internal and External)
- Purchased furniture for office that is now the Media Center
- Added Web Programming Specialist to our team
- Re-programmed Student Worker Timesheet Entry Interface to accommodate semi-monthly pay periods
- Researched, purchased, and implemented LIFT Text Transcoder so that we can offer Text Only versions of our web pages dynamically
- Participated in IT Web Accessibility Workshop for Higher Education
- Supported several online surveys
- We have photographed all educational rooms on campus so they can be added to the new room scheduler (Resource 25)
- Upgraded hard drive storage space in three servers
- Migrated all our databases to SQL Server 2005
- Upgraded all servers to the new Domain so that we could centralize our daily backups with IT backs. This is also the first step in a Single Sign On which we hope to have completed by the end of next summer.
- Installed KCTV around campus to better communicate with our employees and students.
- Filmed and produced 15 DVD movies
- Filmed nearly all KC Events
- Converted several faculty Power Points into DVD presentations
- Installed New Sound System in Student Center. This greatly improves the sound while hiding the wires and speakers. It also cuts our setup time to about 15 minutes from 1.25 hours.