Provost's Advisory Council Summary of October 29, 2015 Meeting

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involve international students. Students have to pass the tutorial with a score of 70% or else they must retake it. So far, the feedback indicates that the tutorial is useful.

Faculty are concerned about the standard of proof. It is difficult to prove cheating in many cases. It is also important not to target international students. One Council member asked if BC

more conversation about open-access dissertations and theses, since the process is sometimes not entirely clear to students.

David Quigley updated the group on the search for the next Lynch School of Education Dean. The Dean search in the School of Social Work begins with an open forum on November 4

There is also a search underway for Peter McKenzie's successor as Financial Vice President. Peter will end his tenure in December, and his successor should be on board in January.

BC recently purchased a 27-acre parcel of land in Newton, about a mile away from the main campus. The long term use of the land has not been decided, but in the short term it will be used for overflow parking during large events like Commencement and football games.