

AGENDA ITEM

April 14, 2016

2. UNC Asheville Faculty and Student Presentation Joe Uργο, Provost and Vice Chancellor

Faculty Mentor: Patrick Foo, Associate Professor of Psychology

Student: Elliot Nauert, Psychology Major

Situation: The Educational Planning Committee will highlight a faculty/student mentorship from The University of North Carolina - Asheville. Elliot Nauert is a psychology major whose work with associate professor of psychology, Dr. Patrick Foo, is culminating this semester in Elliot's presentation at NCUR. The topic of their research is *Cognitive training does not improve working memory, cognitive flexibility, or fluid intelligence in college students*. Mr. Nauert will describe how the guidance and support from Dr. Foo has helped to develop key skills. The student will also summarize the undergraduate project and the presentation that he will be giving at NCUR. Dr. Foo will explain how he understands and lives out his role as mentor.

Background: Several campuses have presented at the Educational Planning Committee. The topics of these presentations have been widely varied, immensely informative and wonderfully received.

Assessment: These presentations continue to reinforce the Educational Planning Committee's understanding and connection to the meaning of their work.

Action: For information only.