Memorandum

To: Dr. Rosanne Stripling
From: Dr. Emily F. Cutrer
Subject: Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Topic
Date: April 24, 2015

I greatly appreciate the effort that the campus Curriculum Committee has put into investigating and developing potential Quality Enhancement Plans for A&M-Texarkana. I also recognize and appreciate the assistance of the Provost’s Office. Both of the proposed QEP’s would be excellent enhancements to our students’ academic experience, and I can understand why preferences were so closely divided between Writing Across the Curriculum and Active (Experiential) Learning.

In making my selection of our next QEP, I consulted our University’s strategic plan and Academic Affairs’ vision statement. Both place a great deal of emphasis on student-centered learning and the application of classroom learning in “real-world” environments, and Active (Experiential) Learning would appear to align more closely with those characteristics. Thus, I ask that you move forward with the next steps in our QEP development timeline to produce a full proposal on that topic.

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