The meeting was called to order at 12:35

Attendance: Elwin Myers, Karen Middleton, Scott Sherman, Sue Wingfield, Katy Peeples, and Margaret Lucero

Minutes from the February 24, 2009 meeting were approved

This was a follow-up meeting to discuss methods of measuring the Management goal:

Students will demonstrate an understanding of the functions, principles, and practices common to the major areas of management.

Katy explained why (according to R. Vokurka) that we should not use a pre- and post-test design to measure our goal. Instead a post-test could indicate a level of competence or mastery. This option was discussed as a possibility for measuring our goal. The group discussed the possibility of including questions in the final exams or having separate exams with multiple-choice questions on specific topic areas.

Based upon this premise of including specific items during semester-end or final exams, the following plan was agreed to by the group:

Management majors will be measured and statistics recorded as follows.

MGMT3312 – Katy & Margaret will test on the four functions of management
MGMT3320 – Sue will test on human resource practices
MGMT4320 – Karen will test on the advanced general management practices in coordination with Katy
MGMT4340 – Katy will test on the advanced general management practices in coordination with Karen
MGMT4315 – Scott will stand-by and add additional test items in his class only if it is apparent that the advanced general management practices are not sufficiently covered by Katy and Karen
MGMT4385 – Sue will test on the advanced human resource practices

Goals:
3000 level courses – At least 50% of students will pass with a 70% or higher score
4000 level courses – At least 60% of students will pass with a 70% or higher score

In addition, the group members agreed to support each other by reading and making suggestions about the developed test items where needed.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:19.