An Eventful Year

• Engagement
• Unification
Engagement

Working Within the Region
Purdue University North Central Accolades

- 2015 Carnegie Community Engagement Classification
- The President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll
  - General Community Service Honor Roll with Distinction
  - Education Honor Roll
Faculty and Staff Engagement Activities

- Indiana Campus Compact Grants 2014-2015
  - Vanessa Quinn
  - Mary Jane Eisenhauer (2)
- Course Engagement
  - Roughly 35 courses feature Service Learning Components
Faculty and Staff Engagement Activities

- **Boards and Organizations**
  - Several Faculty Members sit on Civic Boards and Community Organizations
    - Access LaPorte County
    - Safe Harbor After School Program
    - LaPorte Symphony Board
    - Volunteer with Local Elementary, Middle and High Schools
    - Non-Credit Continuing Education Program
Unification

Working Across Campuses
Working Toward Purdue University Northwest

• Joint Committees
  • Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Unification Task Force
    • Chairs: Jeff Shires and Feng-Song Wang
      • Oversee Faculty Efforts on Unification
  • Academic Structure Recommendation Subcommittee
    • Chairs: Jim Pula and John Coffey
      • Make Recommendation on a Unified College Structure
  • Constitution Writing Committee
    • Chairs: Heather Fielding and Michael Dobberstein
      • Deliver a Joint Constitution for Vote by April, 2015
Working Toward Purdue University Northwest

- Information Collection
  - Faculty Survey on Unification
    - Surveyed Faculty about Involvement and Attitudes Concerning Unification
  - Academic Structure Recommendation Survey
    - Presented Five Models to Determine Faculty Preference
  - Student Affairs Committee Survey
    - Surveyed Students about Their Knowledge and Attitudes on Unification
Questions