Present: Rob Gould, Chair; Julie Hanson, Donna LaLonde, Rebecca Nichols, Roxy Peck, Wendy Pogoda, Mary DeHart

Recorder: Mary DeHart

1. AMATYC/ASA Joint Committee Meeting at AMATYC Conference

The AMATYC/ASA Joint Committee will meet at 4:30 PM on Thursday, November 9th at the 2017 AMATYC Conference to be held in San Diego. Julie will request that the meeting room have internet access.

2. Webinar on Multiple Regression

Rob is in the process of finding a presenter for a Joint Committee sponsored webinar on multiple regression. An update will follow.

3. AMATYC/ASA Memorandum of Understanding

A memorandum of understanding between AMATYC and the ASA was recently signed by the executive directors of the organizations. The purpose of the agreement is to “sustain and expand the existing working relationship between the American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges and the American Statistical Association”.

One of the stipulations in the memo states that the organizations agree to “provide complimentary registration for each organization’s appointed members of the AMATYC/ASA Joint Committee when they are attending the other organization’s annual conference or annual meeting for the purpose of participating in the Joint Committee meeting”.


The following changes to the Statistics Resource Page were discussed and approved:

The TANGO link will be removed. It may be reinstated in the future after the contents have been updated.

The AMATYC/ASA Joint Committee’s mission statement will be included after the mission statement heading that appears on the bottom of the webpage.
The StatPREP announcement will be replaced by an announcement that the AMATYC Board has approved the new GAISE. A link to the recent Joint Committee sponsored GAISE webinar will be included. (All StatPrep workshops this year are booked to capacity.)

A link titled “Sources for Data Sets” will be included under the Classroom Resources heading, along with the acknowledgment that the sources listed were provided by the Faculty Learning Community of the AMATYC Statistics Committee and/or by the AMATYC/ASA Joint Committee. “USA Facts” will be removed from the list of data sources because the links are not yet operational and the data sources have not yet been identified.

The Committee also reviewed and approved additions clarifying the sources for “Classroom Resources” and “Papers and Publications” provided by Julie.

The Joint Committee will meet in July to review and approve the changes to the Statistics Resource Page. The webpage can currently be seen at: https://amatyc.site-ym.com/general/custom.asp?page=StatsTemp