



GOVERNMENT

IF YOU THINK THE PROBLEMS WE CREATE ARE BAD,
JUST WAIT UNTIL YOU SEE OUR SOLUTIONS.

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Congratulations



- Faculty Research Enhancement Awardees:
 - Charles Allen & Dave Bixler
 - Bob Dowler
 - Amaris Guardiola
 - Edith Osborne
 - John Osterhout
 - Joe Satterfield
 - Toni Sauncy
 - Scott Williams

Alexander K. Stewart, Ph.D.

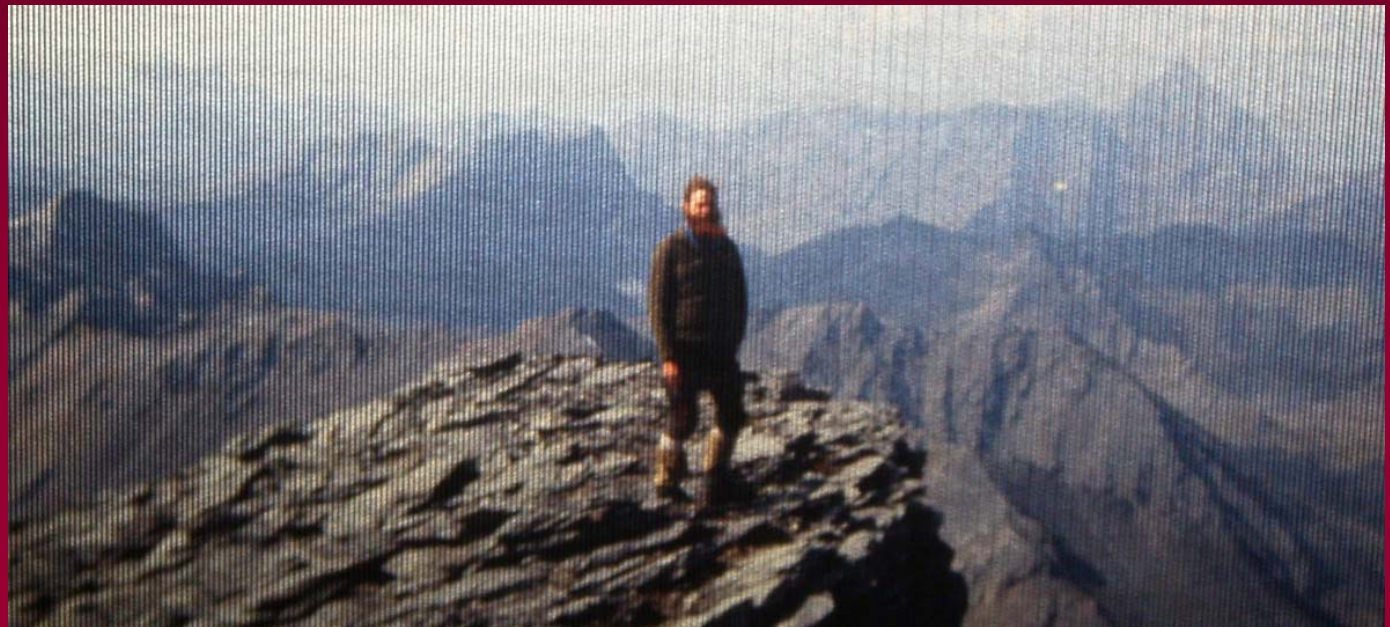
Back in Afghanistan as of 1/21

1 Year Assignment



C. Michael Seidensticker

- Ph.D. Geology, Rice University
- Taught in Barstow, CA. and El Paso, TX.
- Works as Environmental Geologist
- Has taught beer-appreciation and beer-making courses



Overview



- University Mission
 - Student Learning Outcomes
 - Academic Planning
 - Resource Allocation
- SACS Updates
 - Five Year Interim Report
 - Mandatory syllabus language
 - Process-driven budgets
- Fiscal realities
 - Summer School
 - PAA Update

Remember

All of this stuff is on-line



- www.sci.angelo.edu
 - Semester Faculty meeting slides
 - Monthly department head meetings
 - Background documents

The Big Story



We have a University Mission

Ron & Steacy

The New ASU Mission

- Angelo State University, a member of the Texas Tech University System, delivers undergraduate and graduate programs in the liberal arts, sciences, and professional disciplines. In a learning-centered environment distinguished by its integration of teaching, research, creative endeavor, service, and co-curricular experiences, ASU prepares students to be responsible citizens and to have productive careers.



- College of Sciences Mission: *to promote inquiry, literacy, and service in the field of science*



Is this still good?

Student Learning Outcomes



- REM: *Teaching Effectiveness* dead.
- Student Learning Outcomes flow from Program Mission:
 - Which flows from College Mission
 - Which flows from ASU Mission
- Two Flavors:
 - Draft institutional SLO's now being circulated in Faculty Senate.
 - Programmatic SLO's should be developed & administered in Spring.

Academic Planning

New Academic Master Plan Committee

- What new programs should be added (undergraduate, graduate, web-based, etc...)
- Which programs to grow or enhance
- How to grow enrollment
- How general education (common core) will be assessed for accountability
- Improve recruitment and retention
- Improve access to higher education and diversity

Academic Planning

College Membership



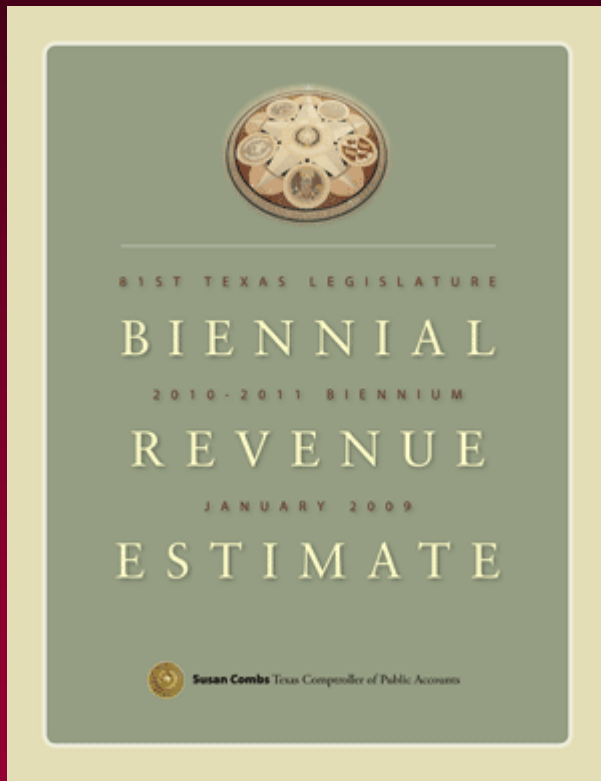
- Brian May – Faculty Senate
- Cody Scott – Graduate School
- Connie Russell – Biology
- Grady Price Blount – College of Sciences
- Steven Jackson – Student Senate

SACS Update



- Next reaffirmation due in 2013
- All schools in 2013 cadre ordered to produce:
 - 5 Year Interim Reports
 - Due in March
 - 32 of 41 schools in 1st cadre were dinged
- Don't try to prove you're a good teacher. Prove you're paying attention to student learning.
 - Document everything - electronically.
 - Act on what you learn!

Fiscal Realities



- Do not look at your TIAA/CREF statement.
 - You haven't lost anything...yet
- Susan Combs says ~\$9.1B in lost revenues this biennium
- Hard Looks at PAA & Summer School



News

- ASU Budget request will include Course Enhancement Fees
 - Building 3-year capital budgets now.
- New *zero-based* budget per SACS
 - Follow the money
- Summer School 2009
 - Strict ban on small sections.
 - Prepare for possible major cuts in 2010!
- PAA criteria will be revised
 - 1st Round Recommendations:
 - 9 vs. 8 vs. 1 vs. 1 vs. 0

College of Sciences



- *Reminder of our personal goals (08-09):*
 - *Define this new college.*
 - *Participate aggressively in defining the illiteracies of our new ASU Mission.*
 - *Get our programmatic and college missions aligned.*
 - *Begin to seriously define our Student Learning Outcomes.*
 - *Participate in Succession Planning*
 - *Get the University Curriculum Committee out of our pocket.*
 - *Stick together and stay focused during the coming economic challenges.*

The New World



Initiative

Direction

Guidance

Discovery