

President's Virtual Town Hall – Thursday, March 25, 2021 @12:30

Regarding the announcement that was made to be fully in person in the fall: We have community members with medically vulnerable children, including nontraditional students, who are currently fully remote. These folks are unable to responsibly be in person until a vaccine is available for their children. How are we being inclusive of those students (and faculty/staff) in the Fall and not derailing graduation plans for those students?

We will honor ADA and medical accommodations for faculty and staff, and are developing a plan for students who cannot join in person but who wish to study with Keene.

Is there a breakdown of data available that shows the Staff and Faculty cost separately per student?

That's a great suggestion. We can investigate providing that information.

Thank you all for the data rich presentation. What is KSC doing to leverage our collective success as college and community for offering in-person learning over the past year to attract new admits for the coming fall? Also, what efforts are underway to raise awareness of what KSC has to offer to prospective students from schools within 100 miles of campus?

Science-based communications with students about safety. Town halls with students and families. The Marketing team has been spreading the word. 100 miles is a specific target we are working on.

When are we going to start working on reducing the amount of work that is piling up due to either positions that are no longer here or thru the new systems that are creating huge amounts of extra work?

We are deep into the process of defining work that must be done and what can be discontinued. This includes processes and programs.

There are many students who love the online experience and prefer it. Will we be receptive to that?

The broad majority of our students want an in-person experience. But there is room to transform our learning options.

Will there be an effort to get students that have dropped out this last year to re-enrolled for classes for Fall 2020?

Yes! We are working on this.