Planning and Feedback Session

The purpose of this session was to identify the top events, issues, and trends that could impact or influence BSC in the next five to ten years

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1. Flexibility of delivery options - How we deliver education - look at different options (e.g. night classes, weekend classes, certificates, online education)
2. Retirements of staff and faculty - look at succession planning
3. Moving to E-books and away from textbooks
4. Economy going down and impacting state funding
5. Increased use of adjunct professors
6. The focus on job specific occupations - specializations - certificates
7. Increased accountability from Federal and State and the impact on funding
8. New Chancellor
9. Technology, e.g. E-books, I-pads, big increase in telecommuting
10. Desire for degrees - less interest in knowledge
11. One educations curriculum dictated by Federal or State government (e.g. Pearson)
12. Changing state funding models
13. Companies telling us what they need from us, what skills their employees need to get jobs. We become contractors.
14. OIL - more money or bust. We are dependent on the industry.
15. Housing shortages

**Surprises/Discovery**

1.) Lots of optimism (e.g. highly trained employees)
2.) Larry Retires --- Becomes Baseball Commissioner!
3.) World war III
4.) Need for balanced budget could impact financial aid for students