

Millersville University
Faculty Senate - Meeting Minutes
06/01/2021

The meeting was called to order remotely via Zoom at 3:15 p.m. All departments were in attendance except for Interdisciplinary Studies, Accounting and Finance, Counseling and Human Development, Economics, English, Government and Political Affairs, Language and Culture Studies, Library, Management and Marketing, Music, Philosophy, and Physics.

I. Minutes of the Faculty Senate

- a. Minutes from the 04/20/2021 were approved via Robinson/Frost motion as revised without dissent.

II. Proposed Courses and Programs for approval

- a. Consent Agenda
 - i. Undergraduate New Courses
 - 1. CSCI060 - Web Application Development
 - 2. COMM087 - Production Practicum
 - 3. COMM086 - Theatre Practicum
 - ii. Undergraduate Course Changes
 - 1. ESCI110 - Global Climate Change: Science and Policy
 - 2. BIOL033 – Biometry
 - 3. ENGL172 - Business Writing
 - 4. COMM095 - Survey of History, Structure, and Social Impact of Mass Media
 - 5. COMM092 - Theories of Rhetoric
 - 6. GOVT030 - Democratic Transitions and Trends
 - 7. PSYC079 - Advanced Lab in Developmental Science
 - 8. PSYC077 - Advanced Lab in Cognitive Psychology
 - 9. PSYC078 - Advanced Lab in Sensation and Perception
 - 10. ENGL160 - Special Topics in Writing Studies
 - 11. ENGL161 - Science Writing
 - 12. ENGL162 – Technical Writing
 - 13. ENGL163 - Advanced Composition
 - 14. EMEE095 - Positive Learning Environments for All Students
 - 15. ENGL165 - Intro to Rhetoric for Writers
 - 16. ENGL164 - Craft of Writing
 - 17. ENGL166 - Rhetorical Analysis
 - 18. ENGL167 - Reading & Writing for Civic Change
 - 19. ENGL168 - Intro to Writing Studies
 - 20. ENGL169 - Web Writing and Content Management
 - 21. ENGL170 - Digital Portfolio
 - 22. ENGL171 - Writing in the Disciplines
 - 23. ENGL173 - Editing for Publication
 - 24. ENGL174 - Creative Writing
 - 25. ENGL151 - African-American Literature II: The Depression Through the Black Arts Movement
 - 26. COMM056 - Small Group Communication
 - 27. WSSD048 – Wellness

- 28. COMM076 – Persuasion
- 29. COMM065 – Communication and Conflict Management
- 30. COMM082 - Introduction to Audio and Video
- 31. ENGL150 - Comparative Literature I: 1850-1925
- 32. ENGL152 - Poetry Seminar
- 33. COMM063 - Communication/Culture/Community
- iii. Undergraduate New Programs
 - 1. None
- iv. Undergraduate Program Changes
 - 1. COMM057 – Communication Studies
 - 2. COMM097 – Media Art Production*
 - 3. BIOL031 - BS Biology - Botany Option
 - 4. COMM094 - B.S. Speech Communication
 - 5. COMM093 - BS in Speech Communication with option in Theatre
 - 6. COMM088 - B.A. Entertainment Technology
 - 7. CSCI058 - Computer Science Major
 - 8. MUSI089 - Bachelor of Science in Music Industry, Music Audio Technology Concentration
 - 9. ENGL125 - English, ESL option and Linguistics option
- v. Graduate New Courses
 - 1. EDFN064 - Disciplinary Thinking
 - 2. EDFN063 - Teaching and Learning in Secondary Classrooms
 - 3. EDFN065 - Inquiry into Inclusive Classroom Instruction
 - 4. EDFN066 - Universal Design for Learning: Curricular Access for All Students
 - 5. NURS071 - Nursing Leadership and Administration
 - 6. NURS072 - Leading Quality and Safety
 - 7. NURS073 - Healthcare Financing and Value-Based Care
 - 8. NURS074 - Leading Others and Organizations
 - 9. NURS075 - Nursing Leadership Practicum
- vi. Graduate Course Changes
 - 1. NURS079 - Research Methodology
 - 2. SOWK052 – SOWK 525 - Research Methods
 - 3. SOWK062 - Advanced Field Practicum I
 - 4. SOWK055 - Field Practicum II
 - 5. SOWK058 - Advanced Social Welfare Policy
 - 6. SOWK054 - Field Practicum I
 - 7. PSYC052 - Child Psychopathology
 - 8. PSYC054 - Internship in Psychology
 - 9. PSYC057 - Psychological Assessment I
 - 10. PSYC062 – Consultation
 - 11. PSYC060 - Internship Seminar in School Psychology
 - 12. PSYC059 - Practicum in School Psychology
 - 13. PSYC063 - Assessment of English Language Learners
 - 14. PSYC071 - Clinical Interviewing and Appraisal Skills
 - 15. EMEE091 - Methods for Teaching English Language Learners
 - 16. MATH040 - Transformational Geometry for Teachers
- vii. Graduate New Programs

1. SOWK041 - School Social Work Certification
 2. EDFN067 - Assessment, Curriculum and Teaching
 3. EDFN051 - MSN Nursing Leadership Track
- viii. Graduate Program Changes
1. None

*COMM097 – Dr. Delle noted that the decanal analysis was not complete for this proposed change, but initial review appears to generate some significant resource issues that may result in this proposal not being approved at Dean’s Council. Discussion between Dr. Delle and Dr. Woodall (COMT) resulted in agreement to leave proposal on consent agenda in order to move proposal forward. The expectation is that COMT and Dean will work to address concerns rather than decline proposal and restart the process.

III. Report of the Faculty Senate Chairperson – Jeri Robinson

- a. Announcements
 - i. Faculty Senate Meeting Dates - Spring 2021 (1st and 3rd Tuesday)
 1. June 1, at 3:00 pm

IV. Proposed Curricular Frameworks for endorsement

- a. None

V. Report of the Administrative Officers

- a. Dr. James Delle, Associate Provost
 - i. Updated senate on COVID policies and transitioning to return to full time on campus work.
 - ii. Updated senate on personnel changes. Dean Michael Jackson (SCTE) leaving MU. Delray Schultz interim dean with new search ongoing. New provost is onboarding now.
 - iii. Fall Reopening Team continues to work on fall planning.
 - iv. Enrollment – Incoming students, record # of students applying +10%, Admission +11%, deposits increase from last spring, potentially smaller than normal incoming class.

VI. APSCUF Updates

- a. Dr. Kelly Banna, APSCUF President
 - i. Fall Reopening Team
 1. Recommendations to cabinet
 - a. Broad COVID related recommendations
 - b. Network outage recommendations
 2. More specific division plans to be determined.

VII. Reports of the Faculty Senate Standing Committees

- a. Educator of the Year Committee (EDOY): Ex-Officio chair, Shaun Cook
 - i. Proposed Policy – Criteria consolidation into categories and rewording was approved without dissent.

VIII. Report of the Student Government Association

- a. None

IX. Report of the Graduate Student Association

- a. None

X. Announcement of new courses, programs or changes to existing courses/program

- a. See weekly CAP announcements.

XI. Reports of the Faculty Senate, Convened Committees, Area or Special Committees

- a. None

XII. Faculty Emeriti Resolutions

- a. Dr. John McLarnon, III, History Department (Maxwell/Robinson) approved without dissent.
- b. Dr. Joel Piperberg, Biology Department (Klosinska/Cardwell) approved without dissent.

XIII. Faculty Senate Elections

- a. None

XIV. New Business

- a. None

A Frost/Woodall motion to adjourn was approved without dissent at 3:53pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ethan E. Frost
Faculty Senate Secretary

ACTION SUMMARY - 06/01/2021

Minutes Approved

- 04/20/2021

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Policy Changes Approved

- Educator of the Year Committee (EDOY) – Criteria consolidation change

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