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#### **AGENDA**

# 2009/2010 University of Wisconsin-Whitewater Faculty Senate Tuesday, September 8, 2:15 p.m. University Center 259 B http://www.uww.edu/facsenate/

#### 1. Call to Order

#### 2. Roll Call

- 1. Senators present:
- 2. Senators absent: (\*informed Secretary)
- 3. Welcome to new 2009-2010 members:
  - 1. Representing the College of Business and Economics: New members: Paul Ambrose, Stuart Glosser, Linda Holmes, Debra Malewicki; Returning members: James Molloy
  - 2. Representing the College of Letters and Sciences: New members: Tanya Kam and Margo Kleinfeld; Returning: Manuel Ossers and Hephzibah Kumpaty. There remains one vacancy.
  - 3. Representing the College of Arts and Communication/Library: New member: Maxine White; Returning members: Karen Weston, Barbara Bren, Chris Henige and Elena Bertozzi.
  - 4. Representing the College of Education: New member: Lana Colett-Klingenberg; Returning members: Rowand Robinson, Amy Griffith, Edric Johnson and Annie Stinson.

## 3. Approval of Minutes:

- 1. 2008/2009 Faculty Senate Meeting, May 5, 2009
- 2. 2008/2009 Faculty Senate Organizational Meeting, May 5, 2009

#### 4. Reports of Committees:

1. University Curriculum Committee: No actions this month.

## 5. Senate Executive Committee actions of May 12, 2009

- 1. Landscape Committee: Sustainability Garden motion was approved
- 2. Proposal from Calendar Committee: The proposal to change Spring 2010 calendar final examination dates was approved.
- 3. A memo was sent to the Governor, President Reilly, Chancellor and others on proposed furloughs and pay cuts.

6. Old Business: None

#### 7. New Business:

1. Retirement Resolutions: None

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2. Senators in caucus by constituency are to indicate their selection of faculty members to the General Education Review Committee

- 1. One faculty member from Arts and Communication.
- 2. One faculty member from Business and Economics.
- 3. Two faculty members from Letters and Sciences.
- 3. Elect two members to the Faculty Personnel Rules Committee (for the by-laws, please see <a href="http://www.uww.edu/uwwhdbk/committees/FC-Rules.htm">http://www.uww.edu/uwwhdbk/committees/FC-Rules.htm</a>), all terms to expire in 2011 unless otherwise noted:
  - One faculty member from Business and Economics to be chosen by Senators representing the College of Business and Economics from among faculty of Business and Economics.
  - 2. One faculty member to be chosen at large by the full Senate.
- 4. Appoint three members-at-large to the Faculty Appeals, Grievances, and Disciplinary Hearing Committee; (for the list of current members, please see http://www.uww.edu/facsenate/fac\_committee.html#fagdhc; for the by-laws, please see http://www.uww.edu/uwwhdbk/committees/FC-FacAppeals.htm; a member shall continue until he or she has served on at least three panels.
- 5. Merit Review Resolution;

WHEREAS the faculty and the teaching academic staff at UW-Whitewater engage in personal dossier preparation and merit evaluation among peers in their respective departments biennially; and,

WHEREAS the merit review to be conducted in Fall 2009 evaluating the performance during the 2007-08 and 2008-09 academic years would reflect in merit raises for the years 2009-10 and 2010-11; and,

WHEREAS the Governor of the State of Wisconsin issued an Executive Order in June 2009 to freeze the pay raises during the biennium 2009-11 due to the State's fiscal emergency; and,

WHEREAS the intended effect of the merit reviews cannot be realized due to the imposed Executive Order, especially for the ensuing biennium (2009-11);

BE IT RESOVED THAT the merit evaluations to be conducted in Fall 2009 be temporarily suspended, and a special merit review cycle be employed in Fall 2010 to conduct merit evaluations for the period July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2010.

- **8.** Announcements and Information (no action unless noted otherwise)
  - 1. Report of the Chancellor:

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- 1. H1N1 Flu
- 2. Report of the Provost
- 3. Report of the Senate Chair
  - 1. Board of Regents meeting
  - 2. UW System-Human Resource System (HRS) project
  - 3. Collective Bargaining- Handout sent along with the agenda
  - 4. Resolutions:
  - 1. from the May 5, 2009, Senate meeting
    - 1. **FS0809-22**: 4/14/09: approved academic Calendar 2011-2012 and Calendar 2012- 2013; transmitted to the Chancellor 04/23/09; approved by the Chancellor 5/11/09.
    - 2. **FS0809-23:** approval of all actionable items of the University Curriculum Committee meeting of April 17, 2009; approved by the Chancellor 05/11/09.
    - 3. **FS0809-24:** approval of Memorial Committee naming requests; approved by the Chancellor 05/11/09.
    - 4. **FS0809-25:** approval of Retirement resolution: Anthony Truog, Educational Foundations; transmitted to the Chancellor 05/11/09.
    - 5. **FS0809-26:** approval of Retirement resolution: Betty Diamond, Languages and Literatures; approved by the Chancellor 05/11/09.
    - 6. **FS0809-27:** approval of Retirement resolution: Lynn Shoemaker, Languages and Literatures; approved by the Chancellor 05/11/09.
    - 7. **FS0809-28:** approval of Retirement resolution: Vay Rodman, Occupational and Environmental Safety & Health; approved by the Chancellor 05/11/09.
  - 2. Faculty Senate Executive Committee actions, May 12, 2009
    - 1. FS0809-29 Exec: 5/12/09: approval of Calendar Committee's proposed recommendations to change Spring term 2010 calendar; approved by the Chancellor 05/14/09.
    - 2. FS0809-30 Exec: 5/12/09: approval of Landscape and planning Committee's proposal-Sustainability Garden; approved by the Chancellor 05/14/09.

# 8. Senate Meeting Dates and Times

- 1. <u>2008/2009 Faculty Senate</u>: <u>Faculty Senate</u>: September 8, 2009; October 6, 2009; November 10, 2009; December 8, 2009; February 9, 2010; March 9, 2010; April 13, 2010; May 4, 2010. *Meetings begin at 2:15 p.m. Faculty Senate meetings continue until business is finished, potentially 5 PM or later. The location(s) of the Senate meetings for 2009-2010 are available at the faculty senate website.*
- 2. Faculty Senate Executive Committee:\* August 25, 2009; September 22, 2009; October 27, 2009; November 24, 2009; January 26, 2010; February 23, 2010; March 30, 2010; April 20, 2010. Meetings of the Executive Committee are typically at 2:15 on Tuesdays two weeks before Senate meetings and as needed.

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The Senate Executive Committee meetings for 2009-2010 will be conducted in Upham 222.

# 9. Adjournment