

#### 2019-2020 ACADEMIC STAFF ASSEMBLY 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM ON March 4, 2020

**UC 264** 

#### 1. Priority Business

- a. Membership Updates
- b. By-laws Discussion
  - Elections
- c. Budget Updates
- d. Search Updates

#### 2. Chair's Report

## 3. Vice-Chair's Report

#### 4. Academic Staff Committee Reports

- a. Awards (Weber)
- b. Elections (Villavicencio)
- c. Instructional Promotions (Fragola)
- d. Outreach ((Villavicencio)
- e. Professional Development (Fragola)
- f. Titling (Fragola)

#### (TEMPORARILY ON HOLD-NO REPORTS EXPECTED)

- g. Title Appeals (Fragola)
- h. Economic Issues (Rivers)
- i. Government (Kriska)
- j. Review (Tumbarello)
- k. Rewards and Recognition (Tumbarello)

#### 5. Updates/Announcements/Other Business

- a. Transportation & Logistics
- b. Open Floor



# 2019-2020 ACADEMIC STAFF ASSEMBLY MINUTES 12:30PM - 1:45PM ON FEBRUARY 19, 2020

**PRESENT:** Patricia Fragola, Andrew Cole, Terry Tumbarello, Huckleberry Rahr, Abbie Windsor, Rick Pues, JP Villavicencio, Carmen Rivers, Katie Rutenbar, Nadine Kriska, Mike Gorman, Heather Rasmussen (recorder)

**EXCUSED:** Curt Weber, Joan Stamm

**GUESTS**: Heather Chermak, Tracy Hawkins

## 1) Urgent/Priority Business

- a) Heather Chermak, Registrar, addressed Assembly to present proposed calendars for 2021-22 and 2022-23.
  - Proposed 2021-22 calendar classes will start on a Thursday and before Labor Day and exam week will run Monday through Friday with no study day.
    - (1) Motion to approve the 2021-22 calendar as presented by Tumbarello and a second by Rahr. Motion approved with 10 in favor and one abstention.
  - Proposed 2022-23 calendar is still in process with two versions distributed. One version has a split finals week in the fall semester.
  - Calendar Committee will be meeting on March 10. Chermak invites anyone to share any feedback with either herself or their college rep.
- b) Membership Updates: Curt Weber will be out for the remainder of the semester and is thus resigning from Assembly.
  - Assembly members agreed that Weber's position needs filled on a temporary basis prior to elections.
  - Chair appoints but is open to suggestions.
  - Once Chair appoints, Assembly vote is required. Would like this seat filled prior to next meeting.
  - Appointee must be Instructional Staff from CoBE.
- c) By-laws Discussion intertwines with elections.
  - Primary question is if the revised by-laws can be completed prior to the elections or if Assembly should use the old by-laws for election parameters. Discussion ensued.
    - (1) Results of general elections need to be reported to ASA by April 8, 2020.
    - (2) Only those on contract for the fall semester are eligible to vote.
    - (3) Achieving balanced representation among all University areas was discussed.
- d) Meeting minutes were approved as follows:
  - Minutes of December 20, 2019, motion by Rutenbar and second by Pues. Approved with two abstentions.
  - Minutes of February 3, 2020, motion by Rahr and second by Cole. Approved with one abstention.
  - Minutes of February 12, 2020, motion by Kriska and second by Pues. Approved unanimously.

2) Chair's Report: None

3) Vice-Chair's Report: None

4) Academic Staff Committee Reports

a) Awards: None.

**b)** Elections: None.

c) Instructional Academic Staff Promotions: None

d) Outreach: None.

e) Professional development: None.

f) Titling: None.

# 5) Updates/Announcements/Other Business

- a) Transportation & Logistics (Fragola): None.
- b) Sustainability Council (Fragola): None.
- c) Open Floor: Tracy Hawkins related that Faculty Senate is presenting the Academic Staff resolution for endorsement.

The meeting adjourned at 1:32 on a motion from Rahr and a second by Pues. Passed unanimously.