

Faculty Council Meeting
Wednesday, April 13th, 2022, 12:00 – 1:00PM
FLC 122 & Zoom

Attendees: Jacob Glower, Ghodrat Karami, Kelly Rusch, Lokesh, Yao Yu, Jessica Vold, Jerry Gao, Inbae Jeong, Ivan Lima, Xiangfa Wu, Michael Kessler, Trung Bao Le, Scott Pryor, Alan Kallmeyer, Simone Ludwig, Chad Ulven, Dean Steele, Ali Amiri

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of Minutes from Last Meetings

As the number of attendees is not sufficient, votes to approve past minutes are not carried out.

3. Presentation

- Ms. Betsy Carter, Counseling Center, presented to the faculties the resources for students' mental health issues.

4. Announcements

- Dean Kessler informs the faculties about a core proposal (\$15M) that involves eight institutions in the great plains to train STEM students in commercializing promising technologies
- The CoE is also working with one university in Saudi Arabia in developing a transfer (2+2) program for undergraduate degrees, currently focusing on mechanical & industrial engineering. As the job market is good for employees, the CoE is facing difficulty to fill up the opening positions. In addition, the CoE is also short of staffs. Two Assistant Professor of Practice positions for IME and CME have been advertised and being filled.
- Associate Dean Pryor updates on the current state of enrolment for the College. Despite of the increase in incoming freshmen in comparison to last year, the number of enrolling students decreases as we have a record graduating class. We will make all efforts in recruiting and retaining CoE students.
- Dr. Glower informs the faculties on the teaching achievements of leading contributors:
 - Dr. Ali Amiri (ME) who was on a 4+4 teaching load in 2021, produced 1595 SCH, and generated \$543,895 in tuition and fees through these courses.
 - Dr. Michael Maassel (ECE) who was on a 4+5 teaching load in 2021, produced 1199 SCH, and generated \$408,859 in tuition and fees through these courses,
 - Dr. Oksana Myronovych (CIS) who was on a 4+3 teaching load in 2021, produced 930 SCH, and generated \$317,930 in tuition and fees through these courses, and
 - Dr. David Grewell (IME) who was on a 3+3 teaching load in 2021, produced 909 SCH, and generated \$309,969 in tuition and fees through these courses,

5. Elections:

Send out email to vote for each position

Positions expiring in May 2022 (& Nominees)

- CoE Parliamentarian (Jake Glower)
- Faculty Senate x2 (Jessica Vold & Inbae Jeong)
- Library Committee (Danling Wang)
- Program Review (Mijia Yang)
- Program Review (alt) (Jake Glower)
- Technical and Instructional Services (Kelly Rusch)
- University Assessment (Mijia Yang)
- University Athletics (Ying Huang)
- University General Education (open)

Faculty Senate is still looking for the Secretary position. An email will be sent out for voting these positions.

6. Committee Announcements/Reports

- CoE Executive: N/A
- Academic Affairs: N/A
- Research and Graduate:
- PT&E:
- University Senate

7. Old Business:

N/A

8. New Business

N/A

9. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 12:40PM