



Academic Notes

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SPECIAL NOTICES

University Faculty Senate 2002-03

Term Ends 2004

Term Ends 2003

Arts and Sciences

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| A. M. Anderson | Art | John Allen** | Chemistry |
| Gregory Bierly | Geography | Valentina French^ | Physics |
| Jerome Cerny | Psychology | Robert Goidel | Political Science |
| Jimmy Finnie | Music | Mark Hamm | Criminology |
| Nora Hopkins | Mathematics/Computer Science | Paul Hightower* | Communication |
| Janet Lyman | Music | Harriet Hudson | English |
| Francois Muyumba | African, African/Am Studies | Jake Jakaitis | English |
| Richard Schneirov | History | Robert Johnson | Mathematics/Computer Science |
| Virgil Sheets | Psychology | Linda Maule | Political Science |
| Wilson Warren | History | Joe Tenerelli | Communication |
| | | Edward Warner | Humanities |
| | | James Westgard^^ | Physics |

*replacement for Joe Meert

**replacement for Shan de Silva

^replacement for David Vesper

^^replacement for Carol Yoder

School of Business

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| Jeff Harper | Organizational | Michael Harmon | Analytical |
| Tarek Zaher | Analytical | | |

School of Education

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| Scott Davis | Curr, Instr & Media Tech | Noble Corey | Curr, Instr & Media Tech |
| Karen Liu | Early Childhood Education | Linda Sperry | Educ & School Psychology |
| Christine MacDonald | Educ. School Psychology | | |
| Susan Macke | Educ. Leadership, Admin., Foun. | | |

School of Health and Human Performance

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| Frank Bell | Health and Safety | Nancy Rogers | Recreation/Sport Management |
| Nancy Lawrence | Health and Safety | | |

Library

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| Rolland McGiverin | Teaching Materials |
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FACULTY GOVERNMENT – Executive Committee Report: continued

2) Deans' Council meets May 1 and will consider a 5-year internal reallocation plan and priorities for compensation. Funds to be reallocated will come from a variety of sources, not just from monies recouped from faculty retirements.

3) The administration is interested in additional information about the recently-completed Professional Satisfaction Survey. The Provost will direct his request to the Administrative Affairs Committee for consideration.

CHAIR CERNY REPORTED:

Meetings attended:

Chairs of governance councils

Board of Trustees (4/25-26) -- His statement will be distributed.

Senate officers with Trustees House, Dooley, and Pres. Benjamin -- He will try to arrange additional meetings to pursue issues.

15-MINUTE DISCUSSION PERIOD -- items addressed:

1) Study Week -- should changes be made in the policy?

2) Encumbrances, payment plans, and student registrations-- are changes necessary?

The Committee ACCEPTED:

1) SAC report on delays in student financial aid: "...no recommendations at this time, but let the Student Financial Aid Office continue with its plans."

2) FAC memo of concern regarding phrasing and implications of revised faculty appointment letter reference to distance education. The memo will be forwarded to the provost for later discussion.

3) FAC resolution of concern about the provost's "Proposed Guidelines for Special (Clinical Track) Faculty." The resolution was accepted with the understanding that further discussion will occur.

4) AAC recommendation "...that the Executive Committee poll the Faculty Senate as to whether a vote of confidence in the President should be taken." The recommendation will be an agenda item at a later Executive Committee meeting.

The Committee APPROVED:

1) SAC recommendation for changes in HANDBOOK language concerning reporting of student attendance (as amended).

FACULTY GOVERNMENT – Executive Committee Report: continued

2) Seating S. Shure, Senate replacement from Technology.

The Committee discussed requirements for graduation with honors by transfer students, and agreed to inquire further.

The Committee went into Executive Session.

The Committee came out of Executive Session and approved the following:

1) "The Executive Committee instructs Chair Cerny to meet alone with President Benjamin on 5/2 and, as the president has requested, not follow our usual custom of taking a second member of the Executive Committee to all meetings."

2) The Committee acknowledges that Chair Cerny has advised them of his receipt of a grievance.

The next Executive Committee meeting date has not been set, but at least one meeting will take place before each of the scheduled meetings (June and July) of AAC, CAAC, and FAC.

THESES, DISSERTATIONS, & RESEARCH PROJECTS

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP, ADMINISTRATION, AND FOUNDATIONS

Ms. Karen Bundy Andrews will defend her dissertation, entitled *A Case Study of the Effects of Residential and School Mobility on Academic Achievement Among At-Risk High School Students*, at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, May 17, 2002 in the School of Education, room 1214. The members of her committee are Dr. Gregory Ulm, Chairperson, Dr. Dale Findley, and Dr. James Thompson.

SCHOOL OF HEALTH & HUMAN PERFORMANCE

ATHLETIC TRAINING

Mr. Brady Scott will defend his thesis, entitled *The Effects of Prophylactic Ankle Stabilization Upon Functional Performance: A Meta-Analysis*, at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 8, 2002 in the Arena, room C-08. The members of his committee are Dr. Mitch Cordova, Chairperson, Dr. Chris Ingersoll, and Dr. Michael LeBlanc.