

# College of Health and Human Services

## Faculty Council

### *Minutes*

May 5, 2017

11:00am-12:30pm, ET 235

**In Attendance:** Robert Schug (CCJEM), Roudi Roy (FCS), Sandhya Shimoga (HCA), Fiona Gorman (HSC), Beth Keely (NRSG), George Beneck (PT), Adam Butz (PPA), Shengnan Zhao (RLS), Rashida Crutchfield (SW), Elizabeth Beatty (Student Representative)

**New Members:** Vennila Krishnan (PT)

**Absent:** Michelle Barrack (FCS), Tiffanye Vargas (KIN), Keith Fulthorp (RLS), Alaine Ocampo (SLP), Terry Robertson (CHHS)

- I. The meeting was called to order at 11:00 am
- II. Approval of the Agenda  
**The agenda was approved (Passes: Unanimous)**
- III. Approval of the Minutes  
**The minutes from the Faculty Council meeting on April 7, 2017 were approved (Passes: Unanimous)**
- IV. Academic Senate Report (Dr. Jody Cormack)  
Items discussed at the last Academic Senate meeting include the following
  - Recent hostile event on campus, a student wrote messages in the bathroom.
  - Campus police are drafting an ICE statement, stating campus police will not retain students based on suspected immigration status. ICE has the authority to be one campus but not dorm rooms, and our police will not assist ICE.
  - Student evaluation policy changes: Previously faculty could choose which two courses to have evaluated. The policy change now states all C-classification courses with six or more students enrolled will automatically be evaluated. Departments can request that other courses also be evaluated, but must be consistent across all faculty. Summer courses are still not evaluated because of the CBA (summer work is beyond the traditional hire year). The University is currently working on fully online evaluations.
- IV. Dean's Office Report  
None
- V. New Business
  - Introduction of New FC members

Yolanda Green (SW) will be back in the Fall from sabbatical and will continue to serve on the Faculty Council. Michelle Barrack will take over for Roudi Roy in FCS. Vennila Krishnan is taking over for George Beneck in PT.

- Election of Chair/Vice Chair

The discussion was opened up to self-nominations for Chair and Vice Chair. It was noted that the Chair of Faculty Council must be a tenured professor. Since no self-nominations were made, and council members who would be serving the next academic year were missing, it was decided that an electronic vote would occur. Natalie will send out a call.

- Possible tour of FCE and NURS Facilities

The tour was postponed since NRSG facilities were being used for classes at that time.

VII. Announcements

- Enjoy your summer!

IX. The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 am

*Submitted by Natalie McGlocklin*