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FACULTY SENATE MINUTES
October 3, 1988

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Ron Sandstrom, President of the Faculty Senate, at 3:30 PM in the Pioneer Lounge of the Memorial Union.

ROLL CALL

The following members were present: Mr. Rick Mullen, Ms. Martha Holmes, Dr. Fred Britten, Dr. Thomas Wenke, Dr. Manton Gibbs, Ms. Joan Rumpel, Dr. Jim Rucker, Dr. James Hohman, Dr. Lloyd Frerer, Mr. Jack Logan, Dr. Paul Phillips, Dr. Bill Rickman, Dr. Paul Gatschet, Ms. Leona Pfeifer, Dr. Tom Kerns, Dr. Mark Giese, Dr. John Klier, Dr. Merlene Lyman, Mr. Glenn Ginther, Mr. Marc Campbell, Dr. Ron Sandstrom, Dr. Jeff Barnett, Mr. Kevin Schilling, Dr. Lewis Miller, Dr. Martin Shapiro, Ms. Dianna Koerner, Ms. Marcia Masters, Dr. Paul Faber, Dr. Maurice Witten, Dr. Larry Gould, Dr. Robert Markley, Dr. Richard Schellenberg, Dr. Nevell Razak, Dr. Art Hoernicke (for Dr. Mike Kallam).

Members absent: Dr. Bill Daley, Mr. Dale Ficken, Dr. Bill Watt, Dr. Bill Powers, Mr. David Ison.

Also present: Dr. Leland Bartholomew, Dr. James Murphy.

The minutes of the September 13, 1988 meeting were approved with the following addition and correction:

1. add David Burke to the list of also present;
2. on page 2, New Business, the acronym UUPC should be used throughout the section.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Sandstrom announced that the Regents staff is continuing to work on an articulation agreement between the Community Colleges and the Regents Universities.

Liaison Appointments were announced as follows:

Library:	Dr. Jeff Barnett
Classified Senate:	Ms. Joan Rumpel
Student Senate:	Ms. Martha Holmes
Chamber of Commerce:	Dr. Larry Gould

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS: The report was presented by Mr. Jack Logan.

Motion 1: to approve COMM. 517/717: Listening.

Dr. Markley asked who would take the course. Mr. Logan stated that it would primarily be communication majors.

The motion passed.

Motion 2: to approve ESCI 455/755: Engineering Geology.

Dr. Miller asked if the course description presented was what would go into the catalog. It was stated that this description would need to be cut down for the catalog and Dr. Bartholomew stated that he would see that this was done.

Dr. Hoernicke inquired about the prerequisites. It was stated that these courses were Math and Computer Science.

The motion passed.

Motion 3: to approve ESCI 461/761: Computer Applications in Geology.

Dr. Rickman questioned the prerequisites. It was stated that these courses were Math and Computer Science.

Dr. Gould stated that he applauded the efforts of the Earth Science Department to incorporate the computer into their curriculum; however, he asked in what way this deviates from the guidelines set forth by the Academic Affairs Committee about computer courses in other departments. Mr. Logan stated that the basic computer information may be obtained from other courses. Mr. Logan then read a portion of the course description.

The motion passed.

Motion 4: to approve MACS 562: Using UNIX and C.

Dr. Markley asked if C language is tied to UNIX. Dr. Barnett said that C lends itself to UNIX very nicely.

The motion passed.

UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS: Dr. Faber reported that the committee had inquired about having the summer salary spread out over more months. He reported that the current budgetary process did not make this possible.

STUDENT AFFAIRS: No report.

STANDING RULES AND BY-LAWS: No report.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS: No report.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

Dr. Barnett announced that there is some limited money available for purchasing monographs. He also said that the library staff was working on getting departmental allocations monies distributed.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:49 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Britten, Secretary