

Faculty Senate Meeting Minutes

Monday, January 30, 2023

3:30-5:00 pm Dual mode meeting – Woolsey Hall 110A and Zoom

Attendance 2022-2023

Ahmed, Alberton, Allen, Billingham, Boldsai Khan, Bowen, Castro, Celestin, Decker, Dehner, Delacruz, Ding, Dowling, Figy, Gilstrap, Hammond, Jamkartanian, Jarman, Kuhlman, Lee, Lockard, Mears, Meyer, Moody, Muether, Musaji, Myose, Newman, Nicks, Parham, Pisano, Pulaski, Ross, Sherif, Sherwood, Small, Solomey, Stone, Tamtam, Wallace, Williams.

Excused: Dudley

Absent: Baker, Barut, Boynton, Bubp, Buerge, Cluff, Heilman, Hepburn, Mullins, Rai, Richburg, Salinas Monroy.

Agenda Item	Notes/Discussion/Process	Outcome/Action/Completed
Call to order	3:30 pm	
Informal statements and proposals	None	
Approval of minutes	January 23, 2023	msc
President's Report	Reminder that this week the Senate is hosting workshops for discussing feedback to the rpk Group report from 11am-1pm in RSC 319. Any faculty member is welcome to attend.	
Committee Reports	None	
Old Business	OneStop informational update - Aaron Hamilton, Director of OneStop Hamilton gave a presentation over the development of OneStop, the services that have been offered, and details about first year advising and the pre-enrollment process. If faculty ever have anything they would like to share with first year students, Hamilton asks that you contact him.	
New Business	General Education transfer policy, first read - Mathew Muether, Chair of the General Education Committee President Castro noted that KBOR has the authority to regulate transfer credit and through a process of shared governance, a “seven bucket” framework was developed. Muether presented the General Education Committee’s proposal to implement KBOR’s transfer framework . Also provided a detailed comparison between the current policy and the new policy . There was much discussion about courses designated in a ‘discipline’ distinct from department in CIM, and a request was made to have an expedited review/workflow in CIM for gen ed courses that need to revise their discipline designation. There was clarification that there may be gen ed courses required for a course of study that a student would need to complete as program requirements. Questions were raised about needing an exception to exceed the 120 credit hour limit. Some senators argued that KBOR is improperly dictating curriculum and that WSU should not enact this policy for overall general education. President Castro will ask Senate	

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	<p>Presidents at KU and K-State to see how those institutions are handling this transfer framework. The Registrar's office will also report how many students the transfer having completed gen ed each year as this will determine the number of students impacted by KBOR framework as transfer rather this policy for all general education students.</p> <p>During the discussion, there was a motion to suspend the rules and extend the meeting five minutes (Pulaski, second Hammond; unaminously passed)</p>	
As May Arise	None	

Adjourn 5:07 pm

Prepared by John Hammond

Next Senate Meeting: February 13, 2023

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