

3-3-2015 Draft GAC Minutes

Minutes of the Council meeting of March 3, 2015

Approved by the Council on _____

In attendance: J. Bartow (staff), S. Chittur, A. Dariano (staff), R. Fogarty, G. Griffith, L. Halpern, B. Mielenz, E. Morgenson, K. Prockyal, A. Rorissa (Chair), K. Williams
Guests: K. Chico Hurst, (Registrar) & Melissa Powers (Registrar's Office), R. Karl Rethemeyer & D. Rousseau (Rockefeller College), and PhD Students: Tina DeMarco (Psychology), Yan Tian (Educational Theory and Practice), Natalie O'Neil (Chemistry) & Katherine Slye (Political Science)

Chair Rorissa welcomed everyone and self-introductions were made by all.

Draft Minutes from the December 15, 2014 meeting were approved with minor amendments.

1. Chair's Report – Abebe Rorissa
No Senate report until next month.
2. Dean's Report – Kevin Williams
Dean Williams reported:
 - New admission English language test going into use – Pearson TELL (Test of English Language Learning)
 - Student Satisfaction Survey results forthcoming
 - New programs approved by SED: MBA changes, Teaching Comp, and English Studies
 - GSS Stipends Committee Formed
 - Stipends Raised
3. D. Rousseau & R. Karl Rethemeyer - Rockefeller College

An updated version of the proposal to establish a Graduate Certificate program in Homeland Security, Cyber Security, and Emergency Management (HCE) was given with the modifications openly discussed. The name will stay the same, and J. Bartow suggested appending with documentation of support from the Schools to go forward to Senate.

The Council voted to approve the proposal with said support documentation included by a vote of 8-0-1.

4. Next meeting scheduled is on Tuesday, April 7, 2015 from 9:00 am – 10:30 am in MSC 102.
5. The meeting was adjourned.

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