

Agenda of the Faculty Senate Meeting
March 29, 2018
Albert Dorman Honors College Conference Room (211), 11:30 AM–1:30 PM

- I. Convening of the Meeting – Andrew Klobucar, President
- II. Approval of Minutes of the Faculty Senate meeting on March 22, 2018 (5 min.)
- III. Report of the Faculty Senate President (5 Minutes)
 - a. Update on Meeting with Eliza and Ed Bishof scheduled for Wednesday 28 March 2018
 - b. Announcement: Undergraduate Student Senate passed a Smoke Free Resolution effectively banning all smoking.
- IV. Committee report from CUE (D. Horntrop 20 min)
 - a. New Courses and Course Updates Approved by CUE in February 2018 (D. Horntrop 5 min.; See Attached List for Specific Dept./School Course Numbers)
 - b. Motion to Update Criteria for Awarding the NJIT Presidential Medal. (D. Horntrop 5 min.)

The NJIT Presidential Medal is awarded to all graduating undergraduates with a grade of A in all courses taken at NJIT or transferred in to NJIT that are counted toward degree requirements with a minimum of 60 credits completed at NJIT.
 - c. Motion to Approve the Addition of MGMT 116 as a GER Course in Quantitative Reasoning (D. Horntrop 5 min.)
 - d. Update on GER Subcommittee Decision to Suspend New Course Additions Until Learning Outcomes are Developed in Compliance with the FS GER Policy as Approved by Faculty Senate on March 23, 2017 (D. Horntrop 5 min.)
 - e. Motions to Introduce or Change the Following Undergraduate Programs (D. Horntrop 5 min.):
 - i. B.S. in Forensic Science (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - ii. B.S. in Biochemistry (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - iii. B.S. in Chemistry (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - iv. B.S. in Environmental Science (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - v. B.S. in Concrete Industry Management (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - vi. B.S. in ET, Technology Education (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - vii. B.S. in ET, Construction Engineering Technology(See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - viii. B.S. in ET, Computer Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - ix. B.S. in ET, Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
 - x. B.S. in ET, Mechanical Engineering Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)

- xi. B.S. in ET, Medical Informatics Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
- xii. B.S. in ET, Manufacturing Engineering Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)
- xiii. B.S. in ET, Surveying Engineering Technology (See Attached List of Proposed Course Credit Changes)

V. Other Business

Minutes of the Faculty Senate Meeting
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- I. Convening of the Meeting – Andrew Klobucar, President
The faculty meeting started at 11:39AM

II. Roll Call-

The following voting members were present: T. Arinzeh, D. Blackmore, D. Bunker, I. Gatley, A. Anandarajan, H. Grebel, Q. Jones, A. Sengupta (sub. for L. Potts), A. Klobucar, R. Voronov (sub for B. Khusid), E. Michalopoulou, D. Sollohub, N. Jackson, A. Rosato, J. Calvin, M. Saadeghvaziri, S. Pemberton, R. Sodhi, E. Thomas, G. Thomas, Y. Young.

The following non-voting members were present: L. Hamilton, R. Caudill, L. Simon, K. Riismandel, and B. Shah.

The following guests were present: H. Zhang (SOM), J. Luke, D. Horntrop, N. Steffen Fluhr, C. Sylla, and B. Baltzis.

III. Approval of Minutes of the Faculty Senate meeting on March 22, 2018

The minutes of the Faculty Senate meeting on March 22, 2018 were approved. (18 yes, 0 no, 0 abstentions)

IV. Report of the Faculty Senate President

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Discussion. Update will be applied for the next Academic year '18-'19. E. Michalopoulou motion to approve. T. Rosato seconded. Motion was approved. (21 yes, 0 no, 0 abstentions)

- c. Motion to Approve the Addition of MGMT 116 as a GER Course in Quantitative Reasoning (D. Horntrop)

Discussion. Discrepancies surrounding the process for how this course was approved in the CUE and GER committees. Document presented to Faculty Senate is not satisfactory as it is missing information regarding competencies and learning outcomes. Comments from members that approving this motion may set the precedent for others to put forth additional courses to be considered as a GER. Comments regarding SOM making appropriate edits for clarity and returning for approval from Faculty Senate with revisions. M. Saadeghvaziri motion to approve. D. Sollohub seconded. Motion was not approved. Blind vote (12 no, 6 yes, 2 abstentions)

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Meeting was adjourned before these items could be presented.

VI. The meeting ended at 1:23PM