Academic Senate Faculty Affairs Committee, 2021-2022

October 15, 2021

Attendance: Poonam Arya; Georgia Michalopoulou; Stephen Chrisomalis; Satinder Kaur; Scott Tainsky; Elizabeth Stoycheff; Christine Jackson; Shelly Jo Kraft; Tainsky; Marisa Henderson; Linda Beale; Taylor Monday; Ellen Tisdale; Patricia McCormick; Karin Szadyr; Bo Shen

Absent: Nicole Audritsh; Daniel Golodner

- 1. Brief self-introduction of each committee member and liaison.
- 2. Introduction of the charge to FAC in the academic year 2021-2022 (Bo Shen)
 - Future of higher education issues and concerns
 - Emeritus status report
 - Academic misconduct provision of student code-faculty role
 - Ordinary grade appeal processes
- 3. Additional issues
 - Appropriate quality standards, guideline for nontraditional education (e.g., online education, hybrid instruction, etc).
 - Interprofessional relationships within departments
 - Undergraduate research opportunity program (UROP)
- 4. Suggested to create a shared folder on all relevant documents (Christine Jackson)
- 5. Suggested to organize working groups in FAC via Zoom chat (Linda Beale)
 - Credentials
 - Online education
 - Faculty and staff
 - Study abroad and international outreach
- 6. Expected working group timeline and plan
 - Working group set up by 11/01/21
 - Writing some process and goals by 11/15
 - Using SWOT analysis approach to report
 - No specific format required
- 7. Suggested to hold off visitors until the winter semester (Poornam Arya)
- 8. Suggested to have regular monthly meeting time (Bo Shen & Linda Beale)
 - The third Friday at 1:30 pm each month.