# Minutes of the College Assembly Meeting December 7, 2018

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

DEANS: M. Brinson, R. Bucciarelli, L. Scherr

ASST. DEANS/DEPARTMENT CHAIRS/DIRECTORS/ADMINISTRATORS: M. Ansonoff, J. Ferrell, C.

Green, T. O'Reilly, T. Orosz, C. Quigley, T. Sabol

FACULTY: T. Corrigan, K. Costanzo, M. Curry, C. Drew, D. Grek, G. Leoniy, P. Muley, U. Narayanan, J.

Nesi, C. Quillen, G. Rotolo, A. Rubin, L. Tobin

STUDENTS: A. Butt, B. Castro, J. Lempfert, A. Liquido

SUPPORT STAFF: M. Kirbos, M. Rothstein

**TASK FORCE CHAIRS:** 

Academic Standards: T. Halasinski Accessibility: E. Daidone, K. Nagy

Bylaws: n/a

Campus Diversity: n/a

Campus Life and Community Concerns: A. Hogan

**Curriculum:** P. Muley **Educational Resources:** n/a

Guests: R. Cole, J. Herron, M. Lynch, C. O'Gorman, J. Nesi

Parliamentarian: J. Kruszewski

Chair-Elect: Peter Farrett

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT**

**DEANS**: n/a

**ASST. DEANS/DEPARTMENT CHAIRS/DIRECTORS/ADMINISTRATORS**: N. Berger, A. Illa, M. Maciolek, F.

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FACULTY: A. Castiglia, L. Chappotin, H. Holbeck, M. Jain, L. Nagarajan-lyer, M. Nigam, R. Thompson

STUDENTS: L. Barajas, D. Dixon, C. Florentino, S. Janvier, B. Myers, A. Nussbaum, G. Parent, D. Shah, R.

Singh, S. Syed

SUPPORT STAFF: M. Ambroziak, L. Friedman, K. Hogue

## College Assembly Meeting December 6, 2018

With a quorum present, the December 6, 2018 meeting of the College Assembly was called to order by Chairperson Gary Abbott, at 2:01 pm in the Brunswick Room, Crabiel Hall.

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR November 1, 2018:**

#### Motion to accept minutes

MOT: C. Drew SEC: K. Costanzo

No Discussion

#### Vote to accept minutes

Fav: 29 Opp: 0 Abst: 0

The minutes of November 1, 2018 are accepted as presented.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Dr. Abbott reminded members of the search in process for nominees for Second Chair-Elect of the College Assembly, and urged interested parties to contact Dr. Farrett, Chair-Elect. It was stated that the slate will be announced at the February 7, 2019 College Assembly meeting.

#### **TASK FORCES**

Academic Standards: T. Halasinski, Chair

Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities: Elaine Weir-Daidone, Co-Chair

Bylaws: N/A

Campus Diversity: Jose Laureano, Chair

Campus Life and Community Concerns: Annie Hogan, Chair

Curriculum: Parag Muley, Chair

**Educational Resources:** N/A

## **NEW BUSINESS**

NONE

## REPORT OF THE CHAIRPERSON

The following Fast Track Curricula have been approved since the last meeting of the College Assembly:

## CIT 203 Strength of Materials

Add the prerequisite: CIT 203 with a grade of 'C' or better

ELT 110 Electrical/Electronic Devices and Circuits

Add the prerequisite: ELT 105 with a grade of 'C' or better

The next meeting of the College Assembly will be held on Thursday, February 7, 2019 at 2:00 PM.

## **RECOGNITION AND HEARING FROM THE PUBLIC**

Dr. Abbott addressed the body regarding the formation of an ad hoc committee to study the current MCC shared governance system and potentially recommend changes to that system. Dr. Abbott stressed that the formation of this committee does not signal the dissolution of the College Assembly, but rather is a self-reflective assessment process to identify what, if any, changes would be beneficial. College Assembly members interested in participating on the committee were encouraged to reach out to Dr. Abbott or Joan O'Brien, College Assembly Department Assistant.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

## **Motion to Adjourn**

Mot: C. Quigley
Sec: M. Rothstein

Vote to adjourn

Fav: 29 Opp: 0 Abst: 0

The meeting was adjourned at 2:06 PM.