

Committee on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Intersex, Queer, + Campus Climate
May 12, 2017 – 12:00-1:00pm
AS-125

Minutes

Present: Sherry Span, Benny LeMaster, Andy Vaca, Kirsten Sumpter, Pei-Fang Hung, Meghan Griffith, Diedrick Brackens, Paul Fernandez, Enri'que Flores, Becky Nash, Keith Freesemann (ex-officio)

Absent: Chris Brown, Anna Nazarian-Peters, Gabriel Rosales, Genice Sarcedo (ex-officio), Shae Miller, Jon Higgins

Guests: Dina Perrone

- I. Approval of Minutes
 - The Minutes from April, 14 2017 were approved
- II. Approval of Agenda
 - The agenda was approved
- III. Recap from April 20 Academic Senate Meeting
 - The charge was approved to include the “consultation clause”
 - The major changing point seemed to be when two individuals who previously opposed the inclusion of the consultation clause voiced their change of opinion
 - Many thanks to Paul and all the students who continually attended these Senate meetings and did so with much professionalism and courteousness
 - Thanks to Benny and Shae for organizing the students and sending such well written messages regarding the situation
 - Thanks to everyone for your role on this committee and in the adoption of the updated charge
- IV. Membership for next year
 - Lecturer positions will not be appointed until the fall per communication from the Academic Senate Nominating Committee
 - Pitiporn Asvathanagul, faculty from CECEM was nominated and approved by AS to join this committee in the fall.
 - Kirsten will contact Jennifer Moran and Laurie Glumm from Staff Council Nominating Committee to determine process for fulfilling staff member for this committee.
- V. Document for Nominating Committees
 - Developed list of needs/desires in potential committee members based on what expertise/experience we are losing with our outgoing members
 - Include statement that indicates we are seeking qualified candidates without regard to their sexual orientation or gender identity
- VI. Update from Multicultural Affairs from Benny LeMaster
 - Benny, Jon, and others are working with student stakeholders in their vision of a space as they begin to shift the LGBT Resource Center out of FO4.
 - Working with other institutions who have functioning LGBT Centers to gain ideas.

- Fostering relationships with LBCC, OCC, and Cerritos College LGBT student groups with one goal of increasing transfers to CSULB.
- Planning a retreat with dedicated time to plan programs for the academic year.

VII. Campus Climate Committee Update

- Most of this year was spent working on the development of campus climate survey, the prep work, and determining a timeline
- CCC wants a representative from this committee in the fall to help formulate the questions.
- Next year will be design and marketing
- Implementation in fall 2018

VIII. Announcements

- Lavender Grad is May 22 from 6-8pm. Please come! Volunteers still needed.
- Long Beach Pride is next weekend.
- Sherry will work on year-end report for submission to Academic Senate

IX. Next Meeting

- September 8, 2017

Adjourned 1:00 pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Kirsten Sumpter