

April 25, 201

Faculty Senate Newsletter

FACULTY SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Judy Butler, Chair

Angela Insenga, Executive Secretary

Julia Farmer, Past Chair

David Jenks, Interim Provost

Micheal Crafton, Interim President

Jeff Zamostny, Undergraduate

Colleen Vasconcellos, Graduate Programs

Programs

Nancy Pencoe, Academic Policies

Basu Dutt, Faculty Development

Felix Tweraser, Institutional Planning

Dawn Neely, Student Affairs

John Hansen, Facilities and Technology

Lisa Robinson, Intercollegiate Athletics and University Advancement

Henry Zot, Budget

Susana Velez-Castrillon, Rules

Angela Pashia, Diversity and Internationalization

John Morris, Teaching, Learning, and Assessment The UWG Faculty Senate met on April 19, 2019.

Summary of Actions

Curriculum items were approved including the topics for XIDS 2002 in Fall of 2019.

The change to the *Faculty Handbook* concerning language relating to tenure and promotion, (103.04020) was tabled in the Executive Committee. The proposal to modify (103.0201) the UWG Faculty Handbook was tabled in the Senate. The change in the language of 103.06 was approved.

Two changes in the *Policies and Procedure* pertaining to the issues of what to do if the Chair or Ex-Secretary were, temporarily, unable to complete their duties passed unanimously, as did the motion to add the Registrar to the Graduate Programs Committee. These two items go on to a vote in the General Faculty Meeting on April 26, 2018. Refer to the Agenda for more comprehensive descriptions of changes in the *Policies and Procedures*.

The Senate

The Senate voted unanimously to continue to meet in a space in the Tanner Health System School of Nursing. The Senate also decided to move times for the monthly meetings to 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm on one Friday a month, beginning in Fall, 2019.

New Senators were introduced. New Committee Chairs were announced. Refer to the Minutes for details on both items.

Announcements

Gratitude for the service of the Senators whose terms are concluding at the end of this semester, was expressed, as well as the acknowledgement of the service of the Past Chair, Dr. Julia Farmer, and Executive Secretary, Dr. Angela Insenga, whose terms are ending.

Hope to see you at the General Faculty Meeting this afternoon.