



Faculty Senate

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FACULTY SENATE MINUTES

Date: 10/24/2022 at 3:00 p.m.

Location: Penka 1103 and Zoom ID: 462 524 3064

<https://gcccks-edu.zoom.us/j/4625243064>

- A. **Call to order:** 3:00p
- B. **Present:** Veronica Goosey, Cody Cundiff, Winsom Lamb, Dru Saddler, Renee Carmichael, Cayla Thomlinson, LaLani Kasselmann, Sean Boller, Susan Ortega, Lachele Greathouse, Helen Weeks, Sheena Hernandez, Seth Kristalyn, Makenzi Johnson
- C. **Absent:** Michael Knutson
- D. **Program Highlight – Sheena Hernandez & Helen Weeks, GC3 Writing Center**
 - a. The Writing Center information and hours can be found on the GCCC website, and they also have a shell in Canvas. Right now, the hours change monthly, and the new hours are always updated in the Canvas shell. Students are encouraged to visit the Writing Center for all their writing concerns. Sheena is working on the “Writing Center” help for staff and faculty. She is offering a series a workshops that, for faculty, are eligible for professional development. If you are unable to attend the workshops, but would still like to learn about the topics, Sheena is available to meet with you one-on-one. She is also available to classes to give lessons on writing topics. The next workshop is Nov 4. Lelsie VonHolten, the Director of Grants and Outreach, will be presenting on grant writing.
- E. **Approval of minutes** – October 10, 2022 meeting...approved
- F. **Report from College Council** – October 12, 2022 meeting
 - a. Discussion of Council norms
 - b. Approval of naming rights for ACAD lecture hall
- G. **Report from FS with President**—none
- H. **Report from Board of Trustees** –meeting October 18, 2022
 - a. SGA will be running food drive in November to benefit students staying in residences over the Thanksgiving break.
 - b. Board approved a proposal to name the ACAD lecture hall for Dr. Ace Harder.
- I. **Report from Curriculum & Instruction**—meeting October 18, 2022
 - a. Policies tabled until the next C&I meeting
- J. **Old Business**
 - a. Status of Policy Sub-committees
 - i. FS committee members chose 2-3 polices to work on as smaller work groups. We will finalize who is working on which policies and create a timeline for having the feedback returned to large group FS.
- K. **New Business**

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- a. DE&I needs to replace its tech representative. Sherri Williams has volunteered to take the position.
 - i. FS approved the recommendation of Sherri Williams.
 - b. Professional Development request from Seth Kristalyn
 - i. Requested funds to attend Association of Writers and Writing Programs Confer. and Bookfair in Seattle, WA. His request for \$1733.00 was approved.
 - c. Professional Development request from Makenzi & CJ Johnson
 - i. Requested funds to attend The Midwest Clinic in Chicago, IL. Their request for \$2771.26 was approved.
- L. **Joys and Concerns**
- a. Sad news.... Leslie Jordan (actor, writer, and singer) died.
- M. **Executive Session:** not needed
- N. **Next meeting** – November 14, 2022, at 3:00p in PENKA 1103
- O. **Adjournment:** 3:34p

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