Dakota College at Bottineau Faculty Senate Wednesday, April 10, 2019 @ 12:13 PM



**Members Present**: Keri Keith, Tracy Chisholm, Mike Porter, Rodney Armstrong, Amy Koehler, Kayla O'Toole, Larry Brooks, Heidi Hauf, Zahra Moss, Penny Belgrade, Clint Saunders, Scott Johnson

**Approval of minutes**— A motion to approve the minutes from the March 2019 meeting was made by Keri, seconded by Heidi. Motion passed unanimously.

### **Dean's Minute**

- Legislator
  - o Budget
    - No major changes- board agree to needs based budget
  - Compensation- still trying to get verification
    - Language has conflicting messages
    - 3 weeks we will know
  - Tuition-wild card
    - Have been pervious caps by legislator
  - Capital project
    - Dinning center back in
    - 1 million for other 2 proposed projects
- Group returned from HLC conference
- Graduation Speaker
  - o Marina Kario
    - DCB alumni-Minot campus
- Earth Day Award winner
  - o Todd Grant-USFWS

#### **Curriculum Committee - Brooks**

- Multiple curriculum change proposals
  - o Eliminate HPER 210 from 9 online curriculum requirements
    - Course not able to be facilitated online with new first aid/CPR requirements
    - Amy moves to approve all curriculum changes of deleting HPER 210 as a requirement; Keri seconds Motion; passes unanimously
- Other proposals moved to special meeting

#### Academic Affairs - Brooks

- Congrats to Indrani on grant award
- AAC pass of 2 new programs
- DCB to propose program in Industrial Hemp Production
- AAC approve Wednesday before Thanksgiving no class for students
  - o Campus decides for employees

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### **GERTA Updates-Brooks**

- Summit in Wahpeton
  - General education in career tech areas
- GERTA Policy 403.7
- Update to GERTA+
  - Offer alternative general education programs
  - o Conference discussed procedure and policy
  - o Competency versus 36 credits of gen. ed.

# **Assessment Day- Brooks**

- Faculty Senate to decide on Assessment Day dates for 2019-2020 school year
  - a) September 23, 2019
    - a. Minot State observes
  - b) October 14, 2019
    - a. Observe in past years
    - b. Indigenous People Day and Canadian Thanksgiving
  - c) February 18. 2020
    - a. To decide if we want both spring and Fall assessment day
- Mike moves for DCB to have assessment days Oct. 14 and Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>; Keri seconds Motion; passes unanimously

# Co-curricular Experience Outcomes-Chisholm/KG

- Lexi not here
- Need to approve by faculty senate
- Moved to special meeting

#### **Assessment Handbook-Kvasnicka-Gates**

- Not ready
- Move to Special meeting

### **Student Graduation Speaker**

- Beth list of top pick of the senates
  - o Alex. A
  - o Morgan K.
  - Abby F.
  - o Francisco F.
- Ballot to be sent out to faculty to pick top choice

# **CCF-Porter**

- Report card of board of higher education
  - May not be doing
  - Motion was to continue with report card

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# **Policy Committee Update**

- Erin and Rodney are representatives
- Will go through Drug Free Campus Policy
- Looking for ideas for policy changes

# **Ad Hoc Enrollment Courses Compensation committee Update**

- Met several times
- General recommendations
  - o Overloads don't apply to adjunct faculty
  - o Need more research in class scheduling
  - o Recommends class caps at 25 for classroom capacity
  - Conduct research on enrollments in fall and spring semester next year for high and low enrollment classes
  - o Recommends creating a position to facilitate
    - Director of Academics
- No action was taken on recommendations by faculty senate at this time.

### Other-

- Special meeting to be scheduled for assessments
- Mike Porter announced his retiring at the end of the Spring 2019 semester

Amy made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Rodney. Meeting adjourned at 12:57pm.

Respectfully submitted, Amy Koehler