Student Rules & Regulations Committee

Rules and Regulations Committee Meeting
August 6, 2021
Meeting Minutes

Attendance:


Voting Members Absent: Jacquelyn Askew, Jerry Brown, Ellie Conrad, Meghan Hein, Cedrick Mattli, Susan Phillips, Shaila Ramirez

Non-Voting Members Present: Jacob Becker (for Jerry Brown), Tim Powers, Huanshu Yuan

Guests: Justin Jeffery

The meeting was called to order at 3:01 pm by Anne Reber. Quorum was confirmed.

1. Minutes from the meeting on July (June 30, 2021) were approved.
   a. Motion to accept the minutes – Angie Hill Price; Second – Rita Moyes.

2. Old Business —
   a. None.

3. New Business —
   a. Dr. Reber requested feedback regarding rule change proposals that are submitted anonymously. Committee members expressed opinions supporting the idea that submitters should identify themselves to verify that they are members of the campus community before a rule change proposal is considered. Several committee members had suggestions for submitters who wished to remain anonymous: ask a friend, a member of student organization, a member of student government to submit the rule change proposal.

   b. Dr. Reber reported that the committee continues to receive proposals for rule revisions from students for Student Rules 15 and 20. Dr. Reber confirmed with the committee that these proposals for revisions to the rules could be forwarded to the respective offices and ask them to work with the students first and ensure an understanding of such things as: the reason for the rule, provide additional context for the current wording of the rule, prepare for questions from the committee, help shape the proposal, etc.

   c. Dr. Reber reminded the committee of the Faculty Senate By-Laws which defines the committee membership guidelines.

   d. Dr. Reber reviewed the academic year calendar and potential conflicts with the monthly meeting of the Rules & Regulations Committee. There was some discussion of whether we should have summer meetings and if we should change the day/week of the monthly meeting. Both items will be revisited in future meeting discussions.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:44 pm.
Motion to adjourn – Angie Hill Price; Second Joe Dannenbaum.