

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
Faculty Council Meeting
October 01, 2009

Members Present: Elizabeth Lublin, Markus Friedrich, Caroline Morgan, Robert Reynolds, renee hoogland, David Coleman, Mark Baskaran, Geoff Nathan, John Klein, Anne Duggan, Allen Goodman, Mark Ferguson, Charles Parrish, Fred Pearson

Attending: Robert Thomas, Donald Haase, David Njus, Joseph Rankin, Caroline Brzuchowski, Paul Clemens

Absent With Notice: Mark Vanberkum, Avis Vidal, Seymour Wolfson, Allen Batteau

The meeting was called to order at 9:30.

The minutes of the September 3, 2009 meeting were approved.

Donald Haase presented to council for ratification a list of fourteen faculty to serve on the CLAS Academic Misbehavior Panel. The list was approved.

Robert Reynolds said that the Election Committee needs seven people to serve on it.

David Njus noted that the college's ad hoc Curriculum Committee has four members—Avis Vidal, Monica Brockmeyer, Ahmad Heydari, and Larry Lombard—each of whom is willing to continue serving. A motion to allow those members to continue to serve passed unanimously.

David Njus proposed that the CLAS physical science and life science General Education course requirements be modified to match those of the university—that is, that CLAS expand its list of accepted courses in those two categories. He noted that Chemistry and Physics did not object, and that the Curriculum Committee agreed with the change. A motion to approve this change passed unanimously.

Dean Thomas reminded council that a special Faculty Assembly would be held at 3:30 in Bernath Auditorium.

Caroline Brzuchowski reminded council that nominees were being sought for the Article XXX committees.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00.