

*The meeting was called to order at 3:05 pm with a reading of the Land Acknowledgement Statement*

**I. Approval of Agenda**

The agenda was approved.

**II. Approval of February 27, 2023 Minutes**

The minutes were approved as distributed.

**III. FA Chair's Report – Jeff Schneider for Liz Schmitt**

**So. Many. Handouts:** Handouts are done exclusively electronically. Check Meeting Items under 3/20 as some handouts were added over Spring Break.

**Presidential Search:** See the website for the candidate visits and open forums. Be sure to fill out the feedback form for each candidate by the end of the second day of their visit.

**A Call for Nominations:** Eve Benevides' term for UFS Senator expires at the end of this academic year. Nominations should be emailed to Elizabeth.Schmitt@oswego.edu. The vote is at the General Faculty Meeting on 5/1

**A Voting Reminder:** Voting faculty are NOT the same as voting members of the Faculty Assembly. To vote in FA, you are a representative from your academic department, a representative elected from the professional staff, a representative elected by management confidential, or a representative chosen by the Student Association.

**Letter to the Search Committee: A Follow-up** On March 2, I sent a letter of inquiry to the search committee following questions raised from the floor on 2/13 and 2/27. On March 13, Lisa Glidden (UFS Senate alternate) and I met with the College Council search committee members, the SUNY liaison, the campus liaison, and the UFS president. The group listened to my concerns about the process and encouraged faculty participation in the upcoming campus visits. The SUNY liaison noted that with a new Chancellor, she hopes there will be a review of search guidelines and clarification about the role of OICs.

FAEB had breakfast with Presidential Candidate 1 and had a discussion regarding the importance of university service.

**Reports of Councils, Committees, and Task Forces**

• **Graduate Council Report – Isabelle Bichindaritz**

Graduate council met on March 6, 2023 and March 20, 2023

We reviewed at these meetings the Graduate Academic Standing Policy draft that we plan to approve at a future meeting.

HSC 573 Sexual Wellness course was approved as written. TEL 542 Mechatronics Systems was approved with minor changes. Technology Education Grades K-12 Master of Science in Education (MSED) was approved as written. It is a new online program that brings online the current on campus MSED program.

Our next meeting will be on April 3rd, 2023.

- **Academic Policies Council – Eve Clark**

APC met on Friday, March . We approved a major/minor exclusion policy for the catalog and the Graduation Policy and Approval for Off-Campus Study policy ammendment. We approved Art BA and BFA Interaction Design proposals. We also approved changes to the History and Honors program. Finally, we approved the following note to the Marketing and Management Minors.

“A grade of C- or better must be earned in all courses credited to the minor. Each of these courses which is a prerequisite for another course in the program must have a C- or better grade attained before taking the course for which it is a prerequisite.”

We will meet this Friday at 3:00pm by zoom.

- **General Education Council – Chris LaLonde**

The Council approved HIS 101 for inclusion in the World Awareness category, effective beginning fall 2023. The group also discussed the two motions before Faculty Assembly and the timetable for each. The council next meets on 22 March.

- **Undergraduate Curriculum Council- Jeremy Shifton**

Approved courses: CRJ 301, CRJ 302, CRJ 303, CRJ 304, CRJ 314

- **Priorities and Planning Committee – Rick Back**

The Priorities & Planning Council conducted a Zoom meeting on Friday, March 10, 2023: We voted to approve revisions to the Technology Education Grades K-12 (Professional Certification), M.S.Ed.

We voted to approve revisions to the B.F.A. Interaction Design Degree.

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We voted via email to approve the previously discussed Graduation Policy and Approval for Off-Campus Study.

- **Personnel Policies Council – Jeff Schneider** – No report this meeting

- **Research Council – Dave Sargent** – No report this meeting

- **Information Technology Council – Zheng Hao** – No report this meeting

- **Campus Concept Committee – Liz Schmitt** – No report this meeting.

• **UUP – Steve Abraham**

1) **Elections.** Ballots for the 2023 UUP Oswego election cycle were sent from Albany last week. You may have gotten your ballot already; I received mine and I've heard from many people who have received theirs. We will be sending out a newsletter this week with candidates' statements, so you may wish to wait on casting your vote until receiving the newsletter.

2) **Negotiations.** Negotiations have entered a critical stage. UUP is hoping to reach a new agreement by June 1. If we are not able to do so, things may be greatly delayed. In order for a new contract to be paid, the state has to pass a pay bill. If we do not reach a contract by June 1, the legislature will disband for the summer, and we will have to wait for a great deal of time before the next pay bill can be passed. Even if the new agreement is not ratified by June 1, the legislature can pass a pay bill as long as the state and UUP reach an agreement by June 1. UUP will be calling on everyone to engage in contract actions beginning in April, especially the week beginning April 24. We will not be advocating a strike, since strikes are illegal by public sector employees in New York State, but we will be calling on members to engage in things like contract rallies, wearing UUP T-shirts, signing palm cards, etc. Please be on the lookout for further information

**IV. Action: Hyflex Policy**

For: 40%      Against: 49%      Abstain: 11%

**V. Resolution 202303-2: Removal of the Western Civilization Category from the General Education Requirements**

For: 89%      Against: 6%      Abstain: 6%

**VI. Resolution 202303-3: General Education requirement for FYS (XXX 198) and GST 104**

Following lengthy and engaged discussion, the Assembly voted, by show of hands, to split FYS and GST. Then moved to table the matter for further discussion at the next meeting (April 3, 2023).

**VII. New Business**

No new business this meeting.

*The meeting was adjourned at 5:02 PM*

**The next meeting will be April 3, 2023 at 3:00 in 106 Lanigan.**

**The Spring Schedule is available on the FA website.**

**Vacancies:**

**FA**

**FA Rep OPEN**

**Undergrad Curriculum**

**CLAS Humanities OPEN**

## Faculty Assembly Attendance    March 20, 2023

### Accounting, Finance and Law

Graig Arcuri		22 - 24	<del>Handwritten mark</del>
	ALT	21 - 23	

### Administration

Rameen Mohammadi		21 - 23	✓
Vicki Furlong		21 - 23	✓
Kristi Eck	ALT	21 - 23	
Wayne Westervelt	ALT	21 - 23	

### Anthropology

Rebecca Peters		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
	ALT	21 - 23	

### Art & Design

Peter Cardone		22 - 24	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
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	0		

### Atmospheric & Geological Studies

Yonggang Wang		21 - 23	Zoom
Steve Skubis	ALT	21 - 23	

### Computer Science

James Early		22 - 24	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Doug Lea	ALT	22 - 24	

### Counseling and Psychological Services

Barbara Streets		18 - 20	Absent
	ALT	19 - 21	

### Criminal Justice

Maggie Schmuhl		21 - 23	
<i>Jeremy Strick</i>	ALT	22 - 24	<i>Handwritten mark</i>

### Curriculum & Instruction

Joanne O'Toole		22 - 24	✓
Eric Olson		21 - 23	
Carol Willard	ALT	22 - 24	
Bonita Hampton	ALT	22 - 24	

### Biological Sciences

Richard Back		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Karen Sime		22 - 24	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Jim MacKenzie	ALT	22 - 24	

### Chemistry

Julia Koepp		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Jeffery Schneider	ALT	22 - 24	

### Cinema and Screen Studies

Josh Adams		20-22	Absent
	ALT	20-22	

### Communication Studies

Eileen Gilligan		22 - 24	
Andrea Vickery		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Taejin Jung		22 - 24	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Serenity Sutherland	ALT	21 - 23	

### English and Creative Writing

Laura Donnelly		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
	0 ALT	21 - 23	
	0 ALT		

### Health Promotion & Wellness

Jessical Harris		21 - 23	<i>Handwritten mark</i>
Amy Bidwell	ALT	21 - 23	

### History

Frank Byrne		21 - 23	✓
Leo Hernandez	ALT	21 - 23	

### Human Development

Rebecca Burch		22 - 24	<del>Handwritten mark</del>
Mamta Sexena	ALT	22 - 24	

### Library

Nicole Westerdahl		22 - 24	NW
<del>Erin Kovalsky</del>	ALT	22 - 24	

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### Economics

Mihai Paraschiv		22 - 24	<del>MISSING</del> ✓
David Andrews	ALT	21 - 23	

### Educational Leadership

Tamara Lipke		21 - 23	Absent
	0 ALT	21 - 23	

### Electrical & Computer Engineering

Mario Bkassiny			ZOOM
Hui Zhang	ALT		

### Modern Languages and Literatures

Gonzalo Aguiar Malosetti		21 - 23	
<del>Laura Gruber</del>	0 ALT	21 - 23	AS

### Music

Benjamin May		20 - 22	BAM
	0 ALT	19 - 21	

### Philosophy

Craig Delancey		21 - 23	CD
	0 ALT	21 - 23	CP

### Physics

Priyanka Rupasinghe		19 - 21	Absent
Mohammad Islam	ALT	19 - 21	MI

### Political Science

Josh Plencner		22 - 24	Josh!
	0 ALT	21 - 23	

### Psychology

Ashlee Moore		22 - 24	AM
Gilian Tenbergen	ALT	21 - 23	

### Student Association

	0	22 - 23	
	0	22 - 23	
	0	22 - 23	
	0	22 - 23	

### Marketing and Management

Steve Abraham		22 - 24	✓
Sarfraz Mian	ALT	21 - 23	✓
	ALT		

### Mathematics

Preeti Tripathi		PT.	22 - 24
Zheng Hao			21 - 23
Zoe Misiewicz	ALT	PT.	21 - 23

### Professional Staff

Michelle Bandla		21 - 23	MB
Grace Maxon-Clarke		21 - 23	GC
Jackie Wallace		22 - 24	JW
Sandy Kyle	ALT	22 - 23	
Allison Peer	ALT	21 - 23	
Nichole Brown	ALT	22 - 24	

### Senator

Evelyn Clark Benavides		20 - 23	ECB
Frank Byrne		21 - 24	FB
Lisa Glidden	ALT	20 - 23	
Steve Abraham	ALT		

### Sociology

Evelyn Clark Benavides		21 - 23	ECB
Emily Estrada	ALT	21 - 23	

### Technology

Rich Bush		22 - 24	RB
Mark Springston	ALT	22 - 24	

### Theatre

Jonel Langenfeldrial		20 - 22	
Steven Mazzaccone	ALT	19 - 21	SM

### Vocational Teacher Preparation

Star Matteson		21 - 23	SM
Jane Woodworth	ALT	21 - 23	

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Mary Canale VP for Development & Alumni Relations	
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Jennifer Knapp Interim Dean of Comm, Media & the Arts	
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Kristin Croyle Dean of Liberal Arts and Sciences	
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Kristen Eichhorn Dean of Graduate Studies	
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Laura Spencely Dean of Education	
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Jill Pippin Dean, Extended Learning	
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Julie Pretzat Dean of Business	
Mary Toale Officer In Charge	

Christy Huynh Dean of Students	
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Scott Furlong Provost and VP for Academic Affairs	
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Paul Tomascak Interim Assoc. Dean, CLAS	
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Nicholas Lyons VP for Administration and Finance	
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Steve Abraham UUP	
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Kathleen Kerr VP for Students Affairs & Enrollment Mgt	
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