March 21, 2023

FHSU AAUP Chapter Meeting



Forsyth 217 3:30-4:30

Zoom Meeting ID: 505 539 0067

## AGENDA

- 1. Call to order, Janett Naylor-Tincknell 3:37 p.m.
  - a. 12 present. Quorum met.
- 2. Approval of Minutes: No minutes from February Meeting to approve
- 3. President's Report
  - a. Shared Governance Meetings will continue this semester with Dr. Mason and Dr. Byer
    - i. Still working on where AAUP fits in shared governance
      - 1. Currently administration does not view the union as part of the shared governance. Current shared governance consists of faculty senate, staff senate, and administration
      - 2. Working to determine which things fall under the purview of Faculty Senate, which are AAUP matters, and which are both.
    - ii. Working on a statement like the Tiger Pact that codifies a shared appreciation of a culture of shared governance. Hope to have it ready to debut in the fall.
- 4. MOA copies available
  - a. Ask and ye shall receive
- 5. KS-AAUP Conference meeting—April 29<sup>th</sup> in Lawrence
  - a. Let Janett know if you want to go
- 6. CAHSS Reorganization Update
  - a. Brief update on the college leadership from the Provost for 2023-24. Names of units and leadership have been decided. Official dates for these appointments will be 2023-24.
    - i. School of Visual and Performing Arts
      - 1. Co-Chairs: Karrie Simpson-Voth and Ben Cline
    - ii. School of Criminal Justice, Leadership and Sociology
      - 1. Program Chairs: Tamara Lynn, Brett Whitaker, Brett Zollinger
      - 2. Rotating School Coordinator: Brett Whitaker
    - iii. Department of English and Modern Languages
      - 1. Chair: Eric Leuschner
      - 2. Modern Language Program Coordinator: Elizabeth Langley
    - iv. Department of History and Philosophy
      - 1. Chair: Paul Nienkamp

- 2. Philosophy Program Coordinator: Carl Miller
- v. Department of Communication Studies, Law and Political Science
  - 1. Chair: Lawrence Gould
  - 2. Communication Studies Program Coordinator: Scott Robson
- b. There will be a CAHSS Open Forum on Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> from 3-4 p.m. in the Black and Gold Room.
- c. Questions and discussion
  - i. Are program coordinators in the bargaining unit?
    - 1. Unknown. It has been said that program coordinators have no supervisory duties.
  - ii. What does this mean for tenure track faculty who no longer have a chair within their discipline?
    - 1. This is something that has been the norm in EFA for a long time. What it means for CAHSS is currently an unknown.
- 7. Committee Updates:
  - a. By-Laws and Constitution Update
    - i. Will resend email Janett with changes that need wordsmithing.
- 8. Membership Drive Update
  - a. Will start sending out packets with a short list of names of who to talk to. Potential members have been identified. If there is enough interest we may hold a coffee event later in the spring.
- 9. 5. Negotiations Team-Update
  - a. First official Meet and Confer happened. This year is salary article only with the merit pool and supplemental contract language. Goal is an increase in the percentage.
  - b. Questions and discussion?
    - i. Any information on Move to Market?
      - 1. The study continues and there is a timeline document. We asked for CUPA data and we will likely get it.
- 10. Other Business?
  - a. Update on graduate advising?
    - i. No on supplemental contracts at the departmental level. Janett is currently gathering data on what all has done on the topic (workday, grad council, admin changes, etc.)
  - b. Can we get graduate faculty included in training for advising?
    - i. Will bring it up to the graduate dean
  - c. Membership update
    - i. One new associate member and four new entrants
- 11. Next Meeting Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 3:30
  - a. Adjourned 4:37 p.m.