York University
Faculty of Health Council

Notice of Meeting

Wednesday, November 6, 2019
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Dr. Robert Everett Senate Chamber, N940 Ross Building

Agenda

1. Chair’s Remarks
2. Minutes of the Meeting of October 2, 2019
3. Business arising from the minutes
4. Budget Consultation, Rhonda Lenton, President & Vice Chancellor, Lisa Philipps, Provost & Vice-President Academic and Carol McAulay, Vice-President Finance & Administration
5. Report of the Executive and Planning Committee – Global Health Proposal
6. Report of the Curriculum Committee
7. Dean’s Remarks / Faculty Awards
8. Senator’s Report
9. Other Business

Faculty of Health meetings support our mission to provide an innovative and supportive environment for learning, discovery and engagement. To ensure our common value of diversity is fully reflected, our events, publications and meetings make every effort to be accessible to all.

2019-2020 Faculty of Health Council Meetings, 3:00pm–4:30pm, Dr. Robert Everett Senate Chamber, N940 Ross Building:

- Wednesday, December 4, 2019
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All are welcome and encouraged to attend!


Guests: R. Bishop, F. Clarke, J. Hard, K. Hetherington, R. Kolezar-Green, M. Verrilli

1. Chair’s remarks
Chair C. Da Silva welcomed Council members and reminded Council members and guests to sign the attendance book and to note upcoming Council meetings.

2. Minutes of the Meeting September 2, 2019
Professor S. Hillier, seconded by Professor B. Meisner that the minutes of the September 4, 2019 meeting of Council be approved. The motion carried.

3. Business Arising from the Minutes
There was no business arising from the minutes.

4. Dean’s Remarks
Dean P. McDonald welcomed Council members. He began his remarks by acknowledging the large number of student representatives in attendance and commended them for their engagement.

He reminded Council members that the 2019 Eric Jackman Lecture and York University Psychology Clinic 10th Anniversary was scheduled immediately following Faculty Council at 4:30pm. The two guest speakers included: Olympian, Silken Laumann and former Chair of the Mental Health Commission, Michael Kirby.

Dean McDonald presented his Annual Progress Report for 2018-2019 to Council members. The report included:
- the 2018-2019 undergraduate, Nursing, Masters and Doctoral admission targets vs. actual enrolments
- the details of the financial year-end and revenues under the SHARP budget model
- future budget risks
- plans for investment
- Faculty complement growth, staff hires
- Space investments
• the faculty’s academic success and innovation
• advancement success and opportunities
• a summary of the 2018-2019 successes
• plans on how to maintain and accelerate the faculty’s current momentum

The full report can be viewed online on the Faculty Council website.

5. The Indigenous Framework for York University
Professor Ruth Kolezar-Green, Co-Chair of the Indigenous Council and Special Advisor to the President on Indigenous Initiatives presented the Indigenous Framework for York University. She began by providing Council members with an explanation of the land acknowledgement and its significance.

Professor Kolezar-Green explained that the Indigenous Framework was written and developed by the Indigenous Community on campus and also how it came to exist. She went on to outline and explain the ten Principles of the Indigenous Framework, the Teaching and Learning Support offered by the Office of the Vice Provost Academic and the Research and Support Services offered from the Division of the Vice President Research and Innovation.

Dr. Kolezar-Green stressed the importance of education and that everyone has the responsibility to educate themselves. She urged colleagues to show students how to navigate academia and to understand how they can support and build professorial roles within the University.

6. Report of the Executive and Planning Committee
Professor M. Singh provided the Executive and Planning Committee report. There was a call for nominations for three vacant positions.

There was a call for nominations for the vacant position as the “at-large” member of the Executive and Planning Committee. Professor L. van Dreumel was nominated and acclaimed to the position.

There was a call for nominations for the vacant position of Faculty of Health Senator. Professor A. Viens was nominated and acclaimed to the position.

There was a call for nominations for the vacant position as the “at-large” member of the Petitions Committee. There were no nominations. The position will remain vacant until filled.

7. Senator’s Report
Professor B. Pilkington provided the September Senator’s report. She highlighted the President’s remarks including: consultations for the 2020-2025 UAP will begin on October 10, 2019 with a Town Hall meeting; new plans for the Markham Centre Campus will be brought to the Board of Governors on October 8 and honorary degree recipients for Fall Convocation will be announced shortly. The Provost and Vice-President Academic provided a presentation and gathered feedback on SMA3.
Senate approved revisions to the Senate Rules and Procedures per recommendations by the Senate Executive Committee.

Senate approved the recommendations of the ASCP revisions to the Pass/Fail Grades Policy effective as of September 1, 2019.

The APPRC addressed the University Academic Plan and confirmed the 2019-2020 priorities; reported on how to track the progress of the UAP 2015-2020 plan and how to further develop the UAP 2020-2025. Budget Consultations will be held with the broader University community over the coming months and scheduled with Faculty Councils.

8. Other Business
Chair C. Da Silva reminded Council members that the November Council meeting will be held at its usual time of 3:00pm to 4:30pm on Wednesday, November 6, 2019.

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R. Bishop, Secretary
ITEMS FOR ACTION (2)
The Faculty of Health Executive and Planning committee recommends that:

1. A School of Global Health be established as a new academic unit within the Faculty of Health, effective July 1, 2020.

2. Academic responsibility for the BA and BSc Honours and Specialized Honours degrees in global health as well as the Honours Minor option in Global Health be transferred to the School of Global Health, effective July 1, 2020.

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION (1)

Call for Nominations
The Faculty of Health Executive and Planning Committee is seeking nominations for the following vacancies: ‘At-large’ seat on the Petitions Committee and a Faculty of Health member for the Sub-Committee on Honorary Degrees and Ceremonials.

Please submit nominations or expressions of interest to Katie Hetherington (khether@yorku.ca) by Friday, November 15, 2019. Elections will take place at the December 4, 2019 meeting of the Faculty of Health Council.

a) ‘At large’ seat on Petitions Committee (1 vacancy)
   One ‘at large’ seat on the Petitions Committee (two-year term of office, July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2021). The two members who are elected ‘at-large’ by Council shall not be from the same School/Department.

   Continuing ‘at large’ member*
   Heather Jenkin, Department of Psychology

b) Sub-Committee on Honorary Degrees and Ceremonials (1 vacancy)
   One vacancy as the Faculty of Health Member of the Sub-Committee on Honorary Degrees and Ceremonials. This position is a one-year term (July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020) while our current member is on sabbatical.
   See http://secretariat.info.yorku.ca/senate/sub-committee-on-honorary-degrees-and-ceremonials/ for more information.
ITEM FOR INFORMATION:

1. Minor Modification to the Bachelor of Science Specialized Honours program in Neuroscience

The Curriculum Committee reviewed a minor editorial correction to the calendar copy of the Specialized Honours BSc program in Neuroscience. A component pertaining to a qualifying year was addressed in the original proposal but missed in the calendar copy as attached.
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