Faculty Senate Diversity Committee

9.12.2013

Minutes

Attended: Amaya-Bower, Cistulli, French, Karpuk, Love, Majidy, Naoumov, King, Wei, Werblow

Introductions: Who we are?

* Pam – Hillel Campus Ministry, involved in interfaith dialogue, mentors w/ career begining
* Mark – School of Business – involved with *Community Conversations,* and interested in dialogue around diversity in the corporate context,
* Viatslauv – Mostly involved with rocket launch during Kady school visit
* Joss – Chairing w/ Laura – Kady Boy’s school visit continuing in the Spring, article coming out in October’s *Courier*.
* Kurt Love – background in teaching pedagogy of diversity, co-leading workshops for faculty
* Shang wei – How can we include diversity into the curriculum into the engineering field.
* Paul – Chairs curriculum committee, has led the process for d-designated courses for a number of years
* Luz – Interested in incorporating diversity into the curriculum for engineering.

New Business:

In the future, the Office of Diversity and Equity will collaborate with the FSDC for future D-Designation workshops and the FSDC will do the same with the Office of Diversity and Equity’s required trainings. -- Motion approved unanimously.

Replacement for Secretary:

Members will share role of secretary.

Diversity Minor & Diversity Scholar

* Carolyn is close to having a proposal for the Diversity Scholar Program for everyone to look at.  Hoping to send around something for feedback in the next few weeks. Anyone interested in supporting Carolyn or Beth with these projects, please contact them directly.

Brown Bag lectures –

* Jacob encouraged all members to attend and to help with outreach within their departments.

Diversity Training workshop, 9/20 (Kurt & Audra)

* We have 6 faculty signed up, 12 total. All members are expected to attend.

Outreach:

* FSDC Facebook – we are currently looking for a member to be in-charge of updating the site.
* Mark will forward the brown-bag flyer to the Communications Club.

Membership involvement

* Luz, Mark, John – all interested in programming subcommittee.

Next meeting: Jacob will send out a Doodle. Probably same time, but on a different day.