

Faculty Executive Committee

Present: Katie Hauser, Kendrah Murphy (chair), Juan Navea (scribe), Casey Schofield

1. Minutes approved after amendments
2. CEPP (Student evaluations), Steve Ives joined the meeting for this discussion.
 - a. CEPP has recently completed a mandated review of student evaluations and conducted polled the faculty about the topic.
 - b. Student evaluations – Several national institutions, more recently the American Sociological Association, recommend alternative options for assessing teaching other than student evaluations.
 - c. CEPP has considered models such as “peer teaching evaluation,” but there is no consensus on CEPP the topic.
 - d. FEC suggests to have a Committee of the Whole in October and recirculate CEPP report and the American Sociological Association articles before the COW. For open forum, FEC suggest to have ATC and PC co-sponsoring it.
 - e. FEC will facilitate a meeting between the chairs of CEPP, ATC, and PC.
3. Main Objectives of the year
 - a. Election management
 - b. Discussion for Governance Committee

FEC considered that part time faculty cannot serve in an elected committee as the three-year committee with full time availability cannot be met.