

Indiana University Kokomo Faculty Senate Meeting Minutes

September 27, 2010 Meeting

Attended by: Aamidor, Aniskiewicz, Armstrong, Bever, Boschmann, Bradley, Calhoon, Cameron, Chauret, Chulkov, Clark, Cox, Darr, Dible, Downey, Ficht, Finkler, Gillette, Gottemoller, M. Harris, Heath, Heckman, Hendricks, Henry-Hollingsworth, Hughey, Ison, Jeong, Jones, Keener, Krause, Mello, Mosley, Narwold, Nur, Paese, Parkison, Pico-Argel, Poe-Greskamp, Pratt, Rifai, Rink, Roden, Rosales, Ross, Saam, Sebastian, B. Sehr, Shabana, Steel, Sullivan, Symonds, Tataw, Tormoehlen, Tulley, VanAlstine, Vidyarthi, Wadsworth, Wallace, White, Whitmore, Widland, Wysong, Yan, Mumaw. *Guests:* K. Ross, S. Thomas, K. Biehunik-Justiss, J. Tharp, N. Zia, G. Stroman

Topic	Discussion	Action
1. Approval of Minutes of April 12, 2010		Approved
2. Approval of Nominating Committee: Todd Bradley		Approved
3. Nominating Committee: Dave Rink Election of Faculty Liaison, Board of Review, and Vice President of the Faculty Senate		Elected: Faculty Liaison—Kristen Snoddy Board of Review—Ria Lukes, Donna McLean, John Ross, Raul Mosley, Gregory Steel Vice President—Josh Gottemoller
4. President's Remarks: Todd Bradley	Bradley announced that the MSN proposal passed the Faculty Senate by special electronic ballot conducted the previous week. He welcomed faculty to the first Senate meeting and invited input on projects and conduct of Senate business.	
5. Chancellor's Remarks: Michael Harris	Harris expressed his pleasure in being at IU Kokomo and reported on his numerous recent meetings with community and campus groups. He focused on the three themes of Academic Excellence and Student Success, Making Friends among community and alumni groups, and Transforming the Region. He currently is taking a fresh look at all of the operations on campus and reiterated his goal of making IU Kokomo the best regional campus in the world. He emphasized the important role and responsibility of faculty regarding changes that take place on the campus. He invited everyone to attend the Oct. 22 installation ceremony that will emphasize information	

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	about organizations in the region.	
6. Honors Activities, IU-SEEK, and upcoming changes to campus honoraries: Joe Keener and Christina Downey	Downey explained the role of IU-SEEK and asked for referrals to the program. She also announced that Alpha Chi was being phased out to be replaced by the National Society of Collegiate Scholars by next fall. She was asked by faculty to consider that discontinuation of Alpha Chi might disenfranchise graduate students. Keener explained the Honors Program and asked for referrals of students early in their academic careers to help them complete the program in a timely way.	
7. Bookstore Policies: Marcia Sandy and Peggy Lane		Moved to October agenda.

Respectfully submitted by Ann Cameron, Secretary