UBC Minutes

December 15, 2022

12:43 p.m. – 3:11 p.m.

Present: Shawnice Avilez, Azungwe Kwembe, Jimell Byrd-Reno, Rona Lagdamen, Kevin Newell, Arrileen Patawaran, William Raynovich, Valerie Riley, Thomas Rowan, Bobbie Stewart, Dennis Stark, Roxanne Stevenson, Pamela Sims, Melany Puglisi-Weening, Chyrese Wolf

Absent: Judith Birgen, Ernst Coupet, Sarah Haskins

No proxies

The Vice Chair is chairing the meeting. Dr. Raynovich withdrew his objection. Ms Riley called quorum. Dr. Raynovich objected to the calling of quorum. Ms Riley confirmed the quorum.

In response to the committee's questions regarding the bylaws, the President held a meeting with the committee on December 13, 2022. After an examination of the bylaws, the President recommended that we reduce the committee size to 15, that the CFO is the permanent Chair, part-time students are allowed to serve on the committee.

Members voted on each of these issues by Zoom poll. Those who did not receive the poll voted by chat.

1. Add the person working in the role of Chief Financial Officer (CFO) as an advisor/nonvoting member to the UBC. The committee voted unanimously.

Melany Puglisi-Weening says that union President says that if the Chair is a faculty bargaining member, they receive three CUEs. CFO serves as the permanent Co-Chair. Vice President and President of Faculty Union and President and Vice President of Faculty Senate not serve as Co-Chair, due to conflict of interest.

Bernard Rowan clarified that the Chair doesn't have to be a faculty, but if the Chair is a faculty member, (s)he receives three CUES.

2. Reduce the committee size from 25 to 15. 7-yes, 4-no, 1-abstain

Chyrese Wolf wanted to eliminate proxies and use alternates. The committee agreed that the alternates did not know enough about the process.

- 3. Remove proxies and proxy votes from bylaws. 9-yes 1-no 2-abstain
- 4. The person working in the role of the CFO will serve as the permanent Co-Chair of the UBC. 6-yes 3-no 3-abstain

Valerie Riley requested a motion that the other Co-Chair must be tenured faculty member. William Raynovich suggested that the Chair should be staff or faculty.

- 5. The other Co-Chair position can be filled by a staff or faculty member of the UBC. 8 yes, 0-no, 0-abstain
- 6. The President/Chair and Vice-President/Chair of the faculty union and the President/Chair and Vice-President/Chair faculty senate are ineligible to serve as the Co-Chair. 3-yes, 2-no, 4-abstain
- 7. The UBC will allow part-time students to serve on the committee, but at least one of the two students must be a full-time student. 9-yes, 0-no, 3-abstain

The members voted on the new configuration of the 15 member committee. These are the four that were submitted.

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2 students – Student	At least one faculty	7 – faculty,	3 faculty elected by
Affairs,	member from each	1 – civil service,	the Faculty Senate
6 faculty appointed	college/academic unit	1 – staff @ large,	3 faculty appointed
by Deans,	(6),	2 – students, and	by the UPI 4100
3 members of the	-Representative from	4 – administrators,	Union President
Civil Service,	the Faculty Senate		2 Civil Service
4 members from	(1)	plus the CFO	employees elected
Administration, with	-Representative from	(advisory/nonvoting)	by the Civil Service
one appointed by VP	UPI=4100 (1))	and Budget	Employees
of Enrollment	-2 Staff including a	department	1 Academic Support
Management, one	representative from	(advisory/nonvoting).	Professional
appointed by VP of	the Civil Service		2 students (Elected
Administrative	Council		by Student
Services, one	-1 Student		Government
appointed by Director	There are other		Association - at least
of Student Affairs,	constituencies		one must be a full-
and one person from	among the Staff and		time student)
the Chairpersons	Administrators who		1 Chair appointed by
Association.	should be included,		the Chair Association
	as needed, to		Chair
Plus, the CFO	populate a committee		1 member appointed
(advisory/nonvoting)	of 15-17 members		by VP of Enrollment
and Budget			Management
department	Plus, the CFO		1 member appointed
(advisory/nonvoting).	(advisory/nonvoting)		by VP of
	and Budget		Administrative
	department		Services
	(advisory/nonvoting).		1 member appointed
			by Dean of Students
			plus the CFO
			(advisory/nonvoting)
			and Budget
			department
			(advisory/nonvoting).

#1 - 4 votes, #2 - 3 votes, #3 - 1 vote, #4 - 3 votes

The membership configuration is as follows:

- 6 faculty (including 1 union and 1 faculty senate member) will be appointed by the
- Deans of the individual colleges (College of Arts & Sciences (CAS), College of Business (COB), College of Education (COE), College of Health Sciences (COHS), College of Pharmacy (COP), & Library)
- 3 members of the Civil Service
- 2 students (at least one full-time)
- 4 Administrators, one appointed by each of the following, VP Enrollment Services, VP Administrative Services, Student Affairs, and the Chairpersons Association)
- CFO (advisory/nonvoting)
- Director of Budget (advisory/nonvoting)

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