

Minutes of the Professional Standards Committee
October 30, 2006

PRESENT: Kris Bartanen, Sigrun Bodine, Doug Cannon, Julian Edgoose, Karl Fields, Grace Kirchner, Don Share, George Tomlin. Three members of the Foreign Languages and Literature (FLL) department also attended the latter portion of the meeting.

Share convened the meeting at 3:02 p.m. Minutes of the October 9th meeting were approved and minutes of the October 23rd meeting were approved as amended. It was also noted that the October 2nd minutes mistakenly noted the date as October 1st and that this would be corrected.

It was announced that the Faculty Senate's Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Standards would be making its report in the Monday, November 6th Senate meeting. Interested PSC members were encouraged to attend.

It was proposed that since members of the FLL department would be joining the PSC meeting, items scheduled for this meeting, including review of the Education School and Communication Studies' guidelines and discussion of the early tenure issue, be postponed until next week.

At 3:15, the PSC welcomed three members of the FLL department and discussion of the department's proposed guideline revisions occupied the remainder of the hour.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Karl Fields