

## **Student Life Committee Minutes February 27 Meeting**

Attending: Nick Kontogeorgopoulos, Donn Marshall, Jan Leuchtenberger, Chris McKim, Mita Mahato, Ryan Dumm,

The meeting was convened by Chair Kontogeorgopoulos at 9 a.m.

The Chair updated the committee members on the proposal to revise the language in the faculty bylaws. He had received feedback from two people in the Faculty Senate who felt the language we proposed looked good. This language will then be brought before the Faculty meeting for approval.

Though discussion of senior focus groups and ways of encouraging reflection among seniors was on the agenda for this meeting, it was to be led by Carrie Washburn who was unable to attend. Therefore this item of the agenda was postponed until the next meeting.

The remaining order of business was to discuss the Committee's self-evaluation.

The Chair went over the questions of the self-evaluation and most were easily answered. A few points elicited the following discussion:

- While all agreed that our Committee conforms to the Faculty Bylaws, members also pointed out that the scope of responsibilities which has been set so far might be refined more at the end of the year.
- The Chair said that in his written response on the self-evaluation he would outline how the Committee has responded to its charges so far and how we have dealt with our responsibilities. Some members felt those responsibilities could be more refined. One addition could be to point out that we also serve as an advisory committee to ASUPS.
- With regard to the question of whether any of our charges should be ongoing, the members felt that they were general enough that they could be ongoing and were capable of absorbing any specific requests that might come along. In addition, the Committee will be performing a self-evaluation every year in which it can specifically show what has been accomplished and how those accomplishments fit into our ongoing charges.

The Chair offered to write up the answers to the self assessment and send them to the Committee members for review.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jan Leuchtenberger

The next meeting of the Student Life Committee will be Tuesday, March 27, in Dean Segawa's office.