

FACULTY SENATE BACK UP MEETING

TUESDAY, October 29, 2024
Hampton/Newport News Rooms
3:00-4:15 p.m.

A G E N D A

1. Call to order 3:01pm
2. Circulate the roll. Senators N = 41, 32 in person, 9 via ZOOM

Abdullah Al-Taiar	X	Lee Land	X
Marta Agata Ambrozewicz	X	Selena Layden	X
Sebastian Bawab	zoom	Tatyana Lobova	X
Elizabeth Black	X	Drew Lopenzina	-
Nina Brown	zoom	Jiheia Maddamsetti	-
Larisa Bulysheva	X	Denise McKinney	X
David Burdige	-	Amy Milligan	Zoom
Elizabeth Burns	X	Anil Nair	Zoom
Michael Carhart	X	Steve Pascal	X
Paul Champagne	-	Desh Ranjan	-
Anjeza Cipi	zoom	Leryn Reynolds	X
John Crosby	X	Jesse Richman	X
Kenneth Fitzgerald	X	Tinnikka Robertson-Jones	-
Eva Forgacs-Lonart	X	Patrick Sachs	X
Corrin Gillis	Zoom	Gary Schafran	-
Cassie Glenn	X	Eric Schussler	X
Mahesh Gopinath	-	Mike Seek	X
Roderick Graham	-	David Selover	X
Dennis Gregory	X	John Sinacori	-

2,200 full-time employees and 22,700 students

UVA has 20 VPs, VT has 19 VPs

Changes in communication

President is changing the monthly meetings with the Senate Executive Committee to once per semester. Will also meet with the full Senate once per semester.

General Discussion;

Maintenance funds needed for buildings BAL elevator is not working for months, another one gets stuck the work is in place for replacing all 3 elevators

Uni needs more in base-operating funds from the state to address maintenance

All issues Senate EC needs to communicate with the Deans --> Provost --> VPs--> President

Tenure-track for Lecturer Provost would support the conversion to TT process rather than tenure-track for NTT.

Compensation study identifies percentiles: Phase 1 will address

Provost office is looking for consistency in compensation for non-credit courses

Overloads come from the college budget not central budget (like adjuncts) because of the traditional practices

VP of Marketing Osborne will meet with the college liaisons to update website issues and faculty photos

Research Foundation added more people from EVMS after integration, VP Fridley wants to come and talk to Senate. EC will discuss the possibility of January back-up meeting for this visit.

What are the boundaries of ODU campus that determine crime reports? ODU currently does not recognize any fraternity/sorority houses. It will be included in the Master Plan.

Students prefer on-line courses when they have both options. 1% of students switch from in-person to all online mode.

Shortage of faculty and adjuncts to cover students demands in World Languages & Cultures Department

Engineering student prefer hybrid classes.

Administration needs to show what faculty investments were done.

University gave \$2.375min to AA: 1/3 will go to AI faculty initiative; not clear where the rest of this will go but potentially to faculty investment.

7. Adjournment 4:20pm