

FACULTY SENATE—MEETING MINUTES

December 6, 2023

3:00 PM – Student Center Ballroom, 3rd Floor

PRESENT: Faculty Senate Officers A. Karim, D. Habbad, and A. Shafiq
Faculty Senators F. Abu Ghazal, J. Alami, M. Bagheri, D. Bani, J. Bani, S. Bani, B. Chahin, E. Elmehrik, K. Farid, C. Heydari, K. Mahdavi, B. McCann, P. McGee, B. Nagel, N. Oke, H. Peay, J. Peck, T. Poirer, A. Price, E. Rashid, J. Saik, A. Seem, D. Shih, J. Shih, A. Sogd, M. Vohra, R. Whed, N. Zaidi
Administrative and Corresponding Members L. Begg, N. Silhr, A. Kesher, M. Gory, R. Canl, S. Zachariah, R. Schepers, C. Ham, B. Kas, K. Mait, T. Nair; **Ex Officio Limited Members** G. Dey, M. Heah, M. Wih, , and T. Hes

OTHERS

PRESENT:

The President and the Board of Trustees of the University of Northern Iowa
are pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. [Name] as the new
[Title]. Dr. [Name] will be reporting to the President in January 2024.
Dr. [Name] has a Ph.D. in [Field] from [Institution] and has
worked for [Number] years at the University of Northern Iowa.
He has a strong background in [Field] and has published
several articles in the field. He is also a member of the
[Organization]. Dr. [Name] is a highly accomplished
scholar and will be a great asset to the University of Northern Iowa.
The President and the Board of Trustees are pleased to
welcome Dr. [Name] to the University of Northern Iowa.

IV. Report of the President (Report No. 13, 2023-2024)

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has the honor to report to the Board of Trustees
for the year 2023-2024. The President has the
pleasure to report that the University has achieved
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X. Ad Hoc Committee

Chair Jeffrey Bledsoe presented a report on the work of the Ad Hoc Committee on the 20th anniversary of the establishment of the University of Utah. Dr. Bledsoe presented the report to the Faculty Senate on December 6, 2023.

XI. Ad Hoc Committee on Student Exhibitions

Chair Thomas J. Heslop presented a report to the Faculty Senate on the work of the Ad Hoc Committee on Student Exhibitions. The committee was formed by the President's Office on November 28, 2022, to study the process of student exhibitions. The committee's report was presented to the Faculty Senate on December 6, 2023.

XII. Student Government Association Report

SGA President Kayla M. Reed presented a report to the Faculty Senate on the work of the Student Government Association. The report was presented to the Faculty Senate on December 6, 2023. (Report No. 19, 2023-2024)

XIII. GPSA Report

GPSA President Taina N. Johnson presented a report to the Faculty Senate on the work of the GPSA. The report was presented to the Faculty Senate on December 6, 2023.

XIV. Report of the Chair of the Academic Office

Dr. Richard A. Linn presented a report to the Faculty Senate on the work of the Academic Office. The report was presented to the Faculty Senate on December 6, 2023.

Presented to the Faculty Senate for review and approval. The Faculty Senate has approved the proposed changes to the Faculty Handbook, effective July 1, 2024.

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