California State University, Fresno Untenured Faculty Organization

<u>Meeting Minutes</u> Thursday, August 28, 2014

2:00 - 3:00 PM HML 1222

Roll Call

	Office	Officer (9)	Department	Email
Х	President	Brad Hyatt	Construction Management	bhyatt
	Vice President	VACANT		
Х	Secretary	Fred Nelson	Curriculum & Instruction	fnelson
	Treasurer	VACANT		
X	Historian / Documentarian	David Drexler	Library	ddrexler
	Webmaster	The Nguyen	Mechanical Engineering	then
	Elections Chair	Florence Cassel Sharma	Plant Science	fcasselss
X	Research Support Chair	Fayzul Pasha	Civil Engineering	mpasha
	Student Related Issues Chair	TwoTrees	Philosophy	mhaarfarris
	Community Outreach Chair (Resigned)	Monique Bell	Marketing	mbell
X	At-Large	Carolyn Cusick	Philosohy	ccusick
	At-Large	Sonet van Zyl	Enology & Viticulture	svanzyl
	Ex-officio	Dennis Nef	Associate Provost	lynnette

MINUTES

- I. Call to Order
- II. Update/recap new/old events:
 - A. None
- III. New Business
 - A. Welcome New Officers
 - B. General Discussion on Focus of UFO
 - 1. Discussion from Carolyn and Brad re outreach to lecturers
 - 2. Focus on social aspects & events to support each other vs. general non-specified events

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- 3. Other possibilities:
 - a) discussion on cross-disciplinary topics
 - b) collaborations
 - c) external mentors--finding a mentor or multiple mentors
- C. Welcome Back Event
 - 1. Potential Dates: Friday September 12 or 19 @ 4:00-6:00 pm
 - 2. Location: Pot Luck in Vit Conference Room (TBD)
 - 3. Recruiting: *University service*
- D. Vice Provost is our ex officio member from administration
- E. Fall Events:
 - 1. Binder parties--possible 3 in different locations (IT, library, music)
 - a) Possible days: Full binders and off-year October 6
 - b) Week of September 22, 29, October 13 (for faculty submitting for tenure & promotion)
 - 2. Other Events
- F. Electronic submission of WPAF initiative was not enthusiastically received by

Academic Senate

- G. Standing Meeting Day/Time (monthly)
 - 1. Regular meetings--possibility of Thursday at 2pm
- IV. Next Meeting: Next meeting September 11 2-3pm (Tentative)
- V. Adjourn