PCOE College Council

2 December 2019, 2:0-3:30 PM

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Review summary from last council, Nov. 11, 2019: Members reviewed the previous summary. Gina Causin moved to approve the summary and Amanda Rudolph seconded. Motion passed.

PCOE Diversity Statement: Amanda Rudolph shared the PCOE Diversity Committee's request for adding the PCOE Diversity statement to the PCOE Syllabus template. Mentioned that the recommendation will also be shared with the PCOE Syllabus Committee. Motion to support was moved to support by Barbara Qualls and Gina Causin seconded. Another, suggestion was made to make two templates – teacher prep vs non-teacher prep.

Student Travel Guidelines Update: Dustin Joubert shared suggested potential revisions to the student travel application and guidelines. Dr. Abbott asked that the sub-committee finalize the draft and share back at the January meeting. Dustin will check with other colleges about how student travel funds are distributed and solicited.

Promotion Guidelines: PCOE and SFA promotion and tenure policies appear to be in line regarding collegiality and recent updates. No discrepancies were found.

PCOE reorganization: Proposed names for two new units are: Dept. of Education Studies and Dept. of Human Services and Educational Leadership. These units are discussing new promotion and tenure guidelines.

School of Human Sciences: Phase II reorganization. Dept. Kinesiology & Health Science and School of Human Sciences discussions have begun about reorganization. This is an opportunity to discuss and think outside the box. School of Human Sciences Interim Chair may be identified by end of this year or by the beginning of next year.

Ring Dip ceremony: Derek brought up concern about Ring Dip ceremony conflicting with classes on Friday mornings.

CC January meeting canceled: Amanda moved to cancel January CC meeting. Gina seconded.

Commencement is on Friday, December 13th 6pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:21pm.

The next CC meeting will be on January 13th, 2019 at 2:00 pm. -- CANCELLED

Submitted by Flora Farago