Minutes of the Radford University Administrative and Professional Faculty Senate

Tuesday, June 13, 2017

Senators in attendance: Sandra Bond, John Leonard, Nakia Shelton, Phil Crigger, Elizabeth McCormick (for Jackie DeLong), Victor Gibson, Michele Hosey

Guests: Dr. Angela Joyner, Vanessa Quesenberry, Karen Hedge, Eric Lovik, Sandra Baker, Alyssa Archer, Lisa Dinkle, John Brooks, Meghan Williams, Jessica Fowler, Gwen Houston, Stephanie Rudeen, Frank West

Senators unable to attend: Scott Bennett, Jackie DeLong, Geoff White, Richard Alvarez, Ashlee Claud, Niels Christensen, Alix Guynn, Laura Quesenberry, Sarah Strout, Michael Chamberlain

1. Meeting called to order at 10:31 a.m.
2. Minutes from May 9, 2017 meeting reviewed and approved.
3. Updates/Additional Topics:
   - Other Items (Department Updates/FYI)
     i. Positive feedback from the AP/Staff Picnic on May 12, 2017
     ii. Strategic Planning Taskforce Update
         o The Strategic Planning Taskforce is currently accepting goals and strategies from subgroups. A writing team has been assembled.
     iii. Radford Night at Party in Elmwood Park – June 22, 2017 (Flyer attached)
         o Wear Radford apparel and get free admission into the event. All are welcome to attend.
     iv. Move-In Volunteers Needed – August 24 – 25, 2017
4. Guest Speakers:
   i. Vanessa Quesenberry – Social Media: Help Share/Promote Alumni and Friends News and Activities
      o How can you help engage alumni?
         ▪ Like Radford University Alumni Facebook page
         ▪ After you Like the Alumni page, click “See First” to be sure you are receiving all alerts
         ▪ Invite your friends to like the Radford University Alumni page and invite them to events.
      o Connect with all Radford University Social Media networks listed at the following link:
        http://www.radford.edu/content/radfordcore/home/about/connect.html
   ii. Dr. Angela Joyner – Center for Career and Talent Development
      o Discussed job trends and needs from employer and community leaders.
      o The Center is implementing a concept called the Career Development Journey: Discover, Experience, Thrive. Discussed how a collaborative journey begins at the Admissions process and lasts a lifetime.
      o Services offered through the Center for Career and Talent Development:
         ▪ One on one coaching and group coaching
- Career Development Workshops
- Customized Career Plans
- Personal Branding
- Career Events
- Job Connections

○ Career Development Signature Workshops and Career Events:
○ Implementing Career Connections platform, handshake: 
○ New in 2017:
  - The Career Closet
    a. Professional business attire is available for students to borrow or take for their interviews at 275 Walker Hall. The Career Closet is open from 8am-5pm. They are accepting donations for gently worn suits.
○ The Center for Career and Talent Development office will be moving to Russell Hall 331 the beginning of the Fall semester

5. Next Meetings:
   i. July 11, 2017 – Officer Elections
   ii. August 8, 2017 – Guest Speaker: Andrea Zuschin, Interim Dean of Students

6. Meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m.