Department of Dance All Faculty Meeting Minutes

Thursday, Nov. 17, 2022 ~ 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Meany Hall Room M-102

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Present: Jen Salk, Christine Şahin, Emily Uematsu, Ed Connery, Alana Isiguen, Beth Terwilleger, Hannah Wiley, Gary Champi, Rachael Lincoln, Katie Daugherty, Christina Sunardi

- Welcome and Announcements from the Chair

- Approval of Meeting Minutes
  - From November 10, 2022 Faculty Meeting
    - Postpone vote to next faculty meeting

- Chair’s Report
  - Swing and Street Styles instructors confirmed for Spring Quarter 2023
  - Divisional Dean would like to look at teaching loads across the Division of the Arts

- Faculty Topics
  - Placement
    - Faculty discuss, recognizing this is a sensitive topic
    - Consensus to continue doing an informal process during the first week of classes
    - Emily will assemble language from faculty about placement in a Google doc to create language about placement for the website and to have a reference for how to speak to students about placement
    - Can have students wear name tags (rather than numbers) during the first week so instructor knows who they are
  - Hiring Plan Planning
    - Christina will draft on a Google doc, give access to full-time voting faculty, discuss during an executive session
• Kawasaki Guest Artist Fund
  • Point of the Kawasaki is deep immersion with an artist
  • Are at a place when can make a request to Glenn
  • Have CDC be a part of the request

• Departmental Updates and Announcements
  o Ed updates that staff will be on reduced availability next week (11/21-11/23)
  o Ed updates that we are renting studios Thanksgiving weekend
  o Jen had a good conversation with Michelle Witt about reconfiguring the studio theater

• Agenda Items for Future Meetings
  o Divisional Dean of the Arts Gabriel Solis will come to our Dec. 1st faculty meeting
  o Autumn 2023 Course Planning, in context of 2023-2024 Course Planning