Department of Dance All Faculty Meeting Minutes

Thursday, Dec. 1, 2022 ~ 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Meany Hall Room M-102

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Present: Ed Connery, Jen Salk, Alana Isiguen, Rachael Lincoln, Christine Şahin, Katie Daugherty, Hannah Wiley, Beth Terwilleger, Emily Uematsu, Juliet McMains, Gabriel Solis, Christina Sunardi

- Welcome and Announcements from the Chair

- Approval of Meeting Minutes
  o From November 10, 2022 Faculty Meeting
  o From November 17, 2022 Faculty Meeting
    - Minutes from both meetings passed by voice vote

- Chair’s Report

- Faculty Topics
  o Divisional Dean of the Arts Gabriel Solis visit
    - Expressed his enjoyment of seeing work in Dance, including the Chamber Dance Company concert and the Graduate Research Symposium
    - Expressed his desire to support the Department, including the changes the Department would like to make
  
    Priorities Gabriel sees in the Arts Division, including priorities he heard during the search process, which was key part of why he accepted the job
    - (If these are not Dance’s priorities, let Gabriel know; if have other priorities, let him know--wants to use as jumping point for discussion)
      1. DEIA strategy and work
      2. Sustainability of faculty and staff workloads
3. Campus integration of the arts – sense of wanting feel seen, recognized, known, valued, and supported

- Gabriel’s goals for this year: mainly to learn and listen; learn what Dance (and other Arts units) want
- Faculty confirm that the 3 priorities he outlined are priorities that the Department of Dance shares
  - Also a request from a faculty member to help us with space
  - Another request from a faculty member to advocate for salary equity
    - Gabriel says that in the College are addressing salary compression and unit adjustment; will be a 3-year process due to resource availability
- UWDP 2024 Artistic Director
  - Saved this discussion for a future meeting since ran out of time

- Departmental Updates and Announcements
- Agenda Items for Future Meetings