Academic Staff Council Meeting

March 14, 2022

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Zoom Meeting

Zoom Link

Minutes

- 1. Meeting Called to Order at 10:31 a.m.
- 2. Chandra moving to ASC Chair as Heather is no longer with the University.
 - a. Council will elect new Vice Chair in the coming weeks.
- 3. Approval of Meeting Minutes from February 14, 2022
 - a. ASC Meeting Minutes 02/14/2022
 - b. Motion by Van Rossenbeek, second by Foss, passed unanimously.
- 4. Race Policy Working Group Presentation
 - Vitaliano shared who the Race Policy Working Group is made up of and some of their current goals.
 - The group will continue to update campus on focus areas and goals and will be completing a Campus wide diversity audit.
- 5. Work from Home Policy
 - a. UWL Caregiving Report 3/8/2021
 - b. <u>UW System Telecommuting Policy</u>
 - c. UW-Eau Claire Workplace Wellbeing and Remote Working
 - d. UW-Oshkosh Telecommuting
 - e. Concern brought up at JPB and by Work-Life Task Force is that the current policy is not people focused or aimed at retention/recruiting.
 - Luke Fannin from the Work-Life Task Force joined the meeting to gather feedback from Academic Staff.

- Academic staff can reach out to Luke or any other members of the Work-Life Task Force to share your thoughts and opinions on the policy.
- 6. TTC Appeals Update
 - a. Appeals committee finished review and recommendations.
 - b. Recommendations are now with HR for final decision by the end of the month.
- 7. Campus Connection: Kudos, Thanks, and News
 - a. Not many Academic staff recognized in the monthly Campus Connection.
- 8. CFA Naming Proposal Update
 - a. Has been approved and is in process.
- 9. Academic Staff and Academic Program Excellence Awards
 - a. Deadline for nominations is 04/22/22.
- 10. ASC Professional Development Grants
 - a. Six proposals funded for a total \$10K.
 - b. For FY23, there will be three review dates. Next deadline is June 1, 2022.
- 11. Announcements, Updates, Open Discussion
 - a. Thanks to Heather for her contributions to ASC over the past year.
- 12. Adjournment at 10:51 a.m.
 - a. Motion by Brannan, seconded Foss.