NYC College of Technology

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Minutes for the NYCCT College Council (CC) General Meeting

Date: Tuesday, December 14, 2021

Time: 12:45-2:20

Conducted: Virtually on MS Teams

Cycle 3

Next meeting date: February 21, 2022

NOTE: Documents for agenda items found in shared folder:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1j23T9LbkdbRjlQJ3W5j-6jkBgdw9iAL1?usp=sharing

- 1. Attendance taken on "Attendance and Voting" Channel. Quorum reached at about 12:59 pm. Call to Order.
- 2. Minutes from Nov. 9, 2021 approved
- 4. Agenda Items from Standing Committee Chairs
- a) Technology Committee (Chair: Professor Brad Isaacson)
- Technology Survey for all faculty
- To assess technology concerns around remote learning
- 144 responses so far
- b) Curriculum Committee (Chair: Professor Sowder)
- 21-04 Changes to Biomedical Informatics Program
 - o A series of major and minor modifications to four courses
 - o Brief discussion follows
 - o Approve 65, Reject 0, Abstain 3 (proposal passed)
- c) Legislative Committee (Chair Caner Koca)
- Resolution of Executive Search Procedures (Proposal 2)
 - o Proposal history and details presented
 - o Proposal for academic dean search and committee formation procedure
 - o Discussion follows
 - o 59 votes in total. Quorum not reached
 - o Approve 22, Reject 16, Abstain 21 (proposal did not pass)

- Resolution on Promotion Procedures (at 1:57 pm)
 - o Resolution about promotion process
 - o Discussion follows
 - o Motion to revisit this resolution passes

d) President's Report

- President Hotzler notes CUNY initiative to add teaching positions
 - States that roughly two thirds of classes are presently taught by adjuncts across
 CUNY
 - o 1000 new teaching positions (mostly lecturers, some assistant professors)
 - o Chairs and Deans are stating priorities for hiring
 - o President notes possibility of NYS providing \$41 mil in benefits
 - o Notes hope for greater enrollment

e) Good and welfare.

- President Hotzler announces hire Kathy Raymond to replace Gillian Chan's position
- Announces retirement of Steve Soiffer, interim appointment and search for replacement
- NOTE: Other reports are not delivered in consideration of time constraints

f) Meeting adjourned at 2:20 pm

Respectfully submitted by, David Lee