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Faculty Senate General Session Business Meeting "B" May 2, 2025 OMB 257 and Via Zoom

The meeting was called to order at 1:15 pm.

Roll Call

Abbott √	Acho √	Barnett	Beatty	Blosser √
Burke √	Dice	Dillon √	Du√	Dunlap √
Elkins √	Ernst √	Fredrickson	Gates √	Gullion √
Immanuel √	Landrum √	Lucero Jones √	Maier √	Miketinas
Night √	Petersen √	Rosa-Dávila √	Sen	Smith √
Trujillo-Jenks √	van Erve √	Williams √	Woods	

Senate Substitute:

Dr. Adesola Akinleye Substitute for Dr. Ilana Morgan, SA&D / Dance

Dr. Rita DelloStritto Substitute for Rebecca Fredrickson, Teacher Education

Faculty Guests:

Dr. Rigoberto Delgado Health Care Administration / Houston
Dr. Junalyn Navarra-Madsen School of the Sciences / Mathematics
Dr. Rachel Poland Nutrition & Food Sciences / Houston

Dr. Linda Rubin Faculty Ombudsperson / Professor, Division of Psychology

& Philosophy

Staff Guest:

Ms. Stephany Compton Academic Outreach – TWU Libraries

Mr. Scott Martin Manager of Curriculum, Catalogs, & Academic

Communications

Introduction of 2025-26 Officers

Speaker — Dr. Emarely Rosa-Dávila Speaker Pro Tem: Dr. Suzanna Dillon Secretary: Dr. Wouter van Erve

TCFS Representative: Dr. Shawnda Smith

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Welcome to New Senators

Speaker — Dr. Emarely Rosa-Dávila

Dr. John Beatty

Dr. Jacob Blosser

Dr. Rebecca Fredrickson

Dr. Jincy Immanuel

Dr. Camelia Maier

Dr. Jeffrey Williams

Senator Processes and Procedures

Speaker — Dr. Emarely Rosa-Dávila

In the Google Shared folder for the B meeting there is a quick reference guide for new senators. Meetings usually second Friday of the month, start at 10:00 am. Save time until 1:00 pm, because sometimes meetings run long. Speaker will try to finish earlier than that. If you have to leave early, there might not be a quorum.

This document also has all standing committee assignments, based on preferences Senators indicated. Our goal today is to select chairs for each committee. We will then come back and talk about that.

We will also select liaisons for other university committees so that senators can attend these meetings and then report back to Senate about proceedings.

Break-Out Sessions for Selection of 2025-26 Standing Committees Chairs

Speaker Pro Tem — Dr. Suzanna Dillon

- Academic Freedom and Responsibility Committee: Dr. Jessica Gullion
- Academic Standards Committee: Dr. Jacob Blosser
- Administrator Evaluation Committee: Dr. Christie Acho
- Budget and Planning Committee: Dr. Suzanna Dillon
- Committee Selection Committee: Prof. Gayle Night / Dr. Christie Acho (co-chairs)
- Constitution and Bylaws Committee: Dr. Aaron Elkins
- Elections Committee: Dr. Peggy Landrum / Dr. Shawnda Smith (co-chairs)
- Equity, Inclusion, and Anti-Racism Committee: Dr. Jeffrey Williams
- Faculty Handbook Committee: Dr. Jayne Dunlap

Liaisons to University Committees

- Academic Affairs Budget Advisory Committee: Dr. Suzanna Dillon
- Ad Hoc Committee for Student Success: Dr. Laura Trujillo-Jenks
- Athletic Council: Dr. Daniel Ernst
- Curriculum Committee: Dr. Christie Acho
- Distance Education Advisory Committee: Dr. Jayne Dunlap
- Faculty Evaluation and Development Committee: Dr. Sandra Gates

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- Graduate Council: Dr. Xiaofen Du
- Honorary Degree Committee: Dr. Amy Burke
- Undergraduate Council: Dr. Peggy Landrum

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn, J. Blosser. Second, C. Acho. Meeting was adjourned at 1:46 PM

Submitted by Wouter van Erve, Secretary