

**LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**Weinberg Memorial Library**  
**Monday, September 25, 2017**

The meeting came to order at 11:37 a.m. By Marian Farrell

Present: Prof. George Aulisio, Dr. Jessica Bachman, Prof. Kelly Banyas, Dr. Lori Bruch, Dr. Marzia Caporale, Dr. Tracey Collins, Prof. Frank Conserette, Dr. Carol Cote, Dr. Kathy Dwyer, Dr. Marian Farrell, Dr. Michael Fennie, Dr. Terri Freeman-Smith, Dr. David Friedrichs, Dr. Teresa Grettano, Mr. Eugeniu Grigorescu, Prof. Michael Knies, Dean Charles Kratz, Dr. Andrew LaZella, Interim Associate Dean Jean Lenville, Dr. Yibai Li, Dr. Wendy Manetti, Dr. Bob McClosky, Prof. Sheli McHugh, Dr. Kim Pavlick, Dr. Adam Pratt, Dr. Yamile Silva, Prof. Narda Tafuri, Dr. Ben Willis, Prof. Donna Witek, Prof. Kristen Yarmey, and Dr. John Zych.

Unable to attend: Dr. Dona Bauman, Dr. Yaodong Bi, Dr. Darryl DeMarzio, Dr. Josephine Dunn, Mr. Richard Endico, Mrs. Sharon Finnerty, Dr. Rita Fleming-Castaldy, Dr. Michael Hardisky, Dr. Jakub Jasinski, Dr. Barry Kuhle, Mr. Christopher Kustera, Dr. Michael Landram, Dr. Nathan Lefler, Dr. William Miller, Dr. Masood Otarod, Dr. William Parente, Dr. Christos Pargianas, Dr. Sufian Qrunfleh, Dr. David Salerno, Dr. Robert Shaffern, Dr. Robert Smith, and Dr. Argyrios Varonides.

Dr. Willis motioned to approve the minutes, seconded by Prof. Yarmey. The minutes were accepted as written.

**REFLECTION: BONNIE OLDHAM**

Dr. Farrell spoke on Prof. Bonnie Oldham's passion of research and her goal to share that passion with students. Dr. Farrell announced that the Library Research Pr/P n of

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working Monday through Friday, 1 to 9 pm. On Sundays, the Part-time librarian is on until 8. Any student coming to the desk after 8 pm will use Ask A librarian virtual and text messaging service. Monday through Thursday the building has the same coverage as always. On Fridays, there is coverage until 9, and on Saturdays the coverage is the same. The Library Faculty are reorganizing the Liaison areas for equity.

In the future, Prof. Aulisio would like to put in a room for one-on-one consultation with students and librarians.

Dean Kratz added students are asking for more seating pods again.

#### INFORMATION LITERACY STIPENDS – PROF. WITEK

Prof. Witek reported that everyone should have received the Information Literacy Stipends Call for Proposals. They are \$1000 stipends and we can award up to two each semester. The proposal deadline is 11/3. Prof. Witek asked for an Information Literacy Subcommittee and sent around a sign-up sheet. At least one faculty member per college is needed. Winners are notified in early December.

Prof. Witek then spoke about the Bonnie Oldham Research Prize. She demonstrated on our website where information is located and announced a third prize, called the 100 level prize, was added this year. There is also a 200-400 level prize and a grad student prize. Everything else will operate exactly the same. Submissions can be individual or group projects. She will ask for volunteers to serve on this committee in the spring. The deadline for summer and fall projects is Monday, December 4th.

The deadline for the fall is the last day of class. There is another deadline in the spring for second semester projects.

#### ACRL FRAMEWORK FOR LITERACY – PROF. WITEK

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