



## Faculty Senate

Admissions, Standards and Honors Committee Meeting

17 September 2025

3pm, 319 Student Union Barataria Room

I. Call to Order, 3:05pm

II. Roll Call – sign in sheet

Voting members present: Michelle Osborn, Cathy Williams, Maribel Dietz, Olivia Lucas, Julie Rollins, Kanchan Maiti, Lauren Cardenas, Len Apcar

Not present: John Church

Non-voting members present: Cathy Williams, Jaqueline Bach, Walt Holliday, Michael Blandino, Emmett Brown,

Non-voting members not present: Meridia Sanders, Clay Benton,

Guests: Dan Tirone, Senate Faculty President

III. Public Comments\* none

IV. ASH Minutes Approval from 14 May 2025 – comments, motion to pass by Maiti, second by Lucas

V. FS President Introduction to Updated Committee Operating Procedures. Dan Tirone provided an update on proposals and made clear that when a proposal deals with more than one unit, then it will go to the entire Faculty Senate so that all the college reps can have a say. Faculty will have an opportunity to weigh in about the “T” grade proposal in the October meeting and the change of drop date proposal in the November meeting. If a proposal is voted down by the senate, it can always go back to the ASH committee with revisions. He also clarified the Chair/vice chair model for committees with the vice chair as the parliamentarian and the immediate past chair in an ex-officio position. Another change is that proxies can no longer be given but each member of the committee needs a formal substitute from their college as an alternate committee member. This person is nominated by the committee member and approved by the senate executive committee.

VI. New Business

1. Elections

a. Chair. Lucas moved that we ask for nominations for a chair for the ASH committee, Cardenas seconded. Maiti nominated Osborn as chair, Cardenas seconded. The committee voted unanimously for Osborn as chair.

b. Vice Chair

c. Secretary. Dietz self nominated for secretary and was voted in.

2. Meetings for the Semester were discussed. Osborn will send out the possibilities

### 3. First Readings

- a. Construction Management Proposal: Accelerated Pathway from Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Facilities Management to Master of Science in Construction Management. This proposal allows for the some credit hours from the Certificate program apply to a Masters degree (accelerated masters --- 12 hours can apply to your degree), now the post-bac certificate program (18 hours) will be able to apply to the Masters degree. Discussion ensued. Maiti moved to suspend the second reading, seconded by Apar. Motion to approve the proposal was made; proposal was unanimously approved.
- b. Vet Med Proposal: Updating academic standards guidelines to decrease the number of D+ or below grades for continuation in professional programs and eliminating option to request a second remediation. This proposal would reduce the number of D to one with no second remediation. Discussion centered on the data around students who had the second remediation and not being successful after.
- c. Vet Med Proposal: Requirement for students requesting readmission to meet with the committee. This would create an additional meeting between the student asking for readmission and the executive committee. Discussion concerned the number of students impacted (this year only two) and whether or not it would be an in-person meeting or via Zoom.

### VI. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Dietz, Maiti seconded. Meeting adjourned at 3:44pm.

\*It is intended that public comments may be made (1) when they relate to a business matter on the agenda upon which a vote will be taken, as required in LA RS 42:14(D) and (2) when individuals desiring to make public comments have registered at least two hours prior to the meeting by emailing [facultysenate@lsu.edu](mailto:facultysenate@lsu.edu). When registering, individuals should identify themselves; the group they are representing, if appropriate; and the agenda item on which they would like to comment. To ensure that the meeting is conducted in an efficient manner, each individual's comments will be limited to no more than 3 minutes and the Chair reserves the right to limit public comments, if necessary.

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