

Period Report for Senate Committees

Academic Year: 2011-2012

Distinguished Teacher Award

Chairperson: Adnan Dakkuri

MEETING DATE: October 11, 2011

ATTENDANCE:

APPOINTED MEMBERS:

Present				Left in		Present				Left in	
Present	Name	Rep	Term			Present	Name	Rep	Term		
<input type="checkbox"/>	vacant	AHS				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Robert Friar	OPT			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cami Sanderson	AS				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Adnan Dakkuri	PHR			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Roy McLean	BUS				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Matt McNulty	TEC			
<input type="checkbox"/>	vacant	EHS				<input type="checkbox"/>	vacant	AL			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yuri Konovalov	L/C				<input type="checkbox"/>	vacant	UC			
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EX-OFFICIO MEMBER(S):

Present	Name	Rep
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GUESTS:

Present	Name	Rep
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OLD BUSINESS:

Consensus was reached that awards will not be granted in the event of a limited pool of candidates.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Adnan Dakkuri was elected the Chair of the committee.
2. Yuri Konovalov was elected the Secretary of the committee.
3. Plan of work, timeline and deadlines were discussed:
 - October 14, 2011 announcement posted
 - October 26, 2011 nomination deadline
 - October 28, 2011 candidates' schedule info
 - November 8, 2011 meeting (IRC 104 or PHR 202) - decide on class visits dates
 - November 22, 2011 class visits done, students' evaluation forms due
 - November 29, 2011 meeting (IRC 104 or PHR 202) – choose finalists
 - January 9, 2012 candidates' statements due
 - January 19, 2012 meeting (IRC 104 or PHR 202) - decide on second round class visits
 - January 30, 2012 class visits discussed, interviews done
 - February 14, 2012 final decision made
4. It was decided to change the text in the nomination form to read:

The Distinguished Teacher Award is symbolic of the appreciation of the Ferris State University faculty for their dedication to and excellence in teaching and carries with it an award of \$2500. The Distinguished Teacher Award Committee requests your help to identify a faculty member to be considered for this honor. Nominations must be made by tenured or tenure-track faculty. Please complete the nomination form below and return it to the Academic Senate Office (CSS 208A) by October 26, 2011 at 4:00 p.m. The nominee must be a tenured faculty member eligible for election to the Academic Senate. In addition, the nominee must be teaching at least 75% of a full-time load of which not more than 50% is online. Past recipients of the Distinguished Teacher Award are not eligible.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR SUMMARY:

Matt McNulty, Adnan Dakkuri, and Robert Friar will try to recruit new Committee members for vacant positions.
