

# Faculty Senate Meeting

## MINUTES

NOVEMBER 21, 2014 12:30 PM

CALVIN HALL 100

MEETING CALLED BY	John Zimmerman, Faculty Senate President
NOTE TAKER	Jocelyn DeHaas
FACULTY ATTENDEES	John Zimmerman, Jim Sayers, Joe Kee, Bruce Gjeltama, Chris Platero, Florentine Smarandache, Kristian Simcox, Anneka Lundberg, Gayle Woodcock, Jocelyn DeHaas, Elvira Martin, Robert Gallin, Frank Loera, Gloria Dyc, Bridgette Noonan, Rachel Stewart, Yi-Wen Huang, Ann E. Jarvis, Lilia Cuciuc, Lewis Gambill, Carmela Lanza, Lora Stone, Pamela Stout, Kamala Sharma, Stephen Buggie, Ralph Casebolt
GUESTS	Dean Naiz Ahmed, Jeannie Baca

## Agenda topics

**ACTION**

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**JOHN ZIMMERMAN**

DISCUSSION	
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**Motion to approve agenda**

Motion: Gloria Dyc

Seconded:



approaching the issues.

1. The first concern of the committee: Advisors be assigned to specific programs, and required to meet with program directors or coordinators to open communication.
  - i. Student Services response: Advisors have been assigned to the divisions already and have met with division chairs and coordinators at the beginning of the term to build relationships and enhance open communication. Advisors will also provide information tables outside their offices weekly and will be available 30 minutes prior to Faculty Senate meetings to exchange information with faculty. The information tables will have advisors who can answer questions about anything at UNM-G and help students in any way – not only advising questions. We hope the visibility will make students feel more at ease about coming to see us.
2. Student Services Committee recommendation that updated paper checklists be made available to students. These updated checklists will be tailored to the student's program of study.
  - i. Student Services response: Currently the most accurate resource for students to follow a

Act that need to be reported. You might get sick of hearing about it, but these will become very familiar terms.

Child Care Center. Dr. Dyer and Judith Lavender are going to be working on this. It will not be an Educause Center. That fell through. They will be able to give you more information.

Outreach by non-UNM employees. Our executive director has a great interest in intermural activities and veterans affairs. He has recruited a lot of people to help, but whatever services they are providing, if they are not an actual employee, they can't advocate for us directly out in the community. We have had some businesses call and say they have been approached by people who are from here.

DISCUSSION	
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