

Minutes of the Faculty Meeting

13 May 2010

Dean Susan Ashley called the Meeting to order at 1:33 p.m

- I. Report of the Committee on Instruction, Assoc. Dean Nelson-Cisneros.**
 - A. Honors.** The usual data were built into the agenda, in particular the longtime guidelines for honors: Summa 1 +/- 0.5%, Magna 6 +/- 1%, Cum Laude 13 +/- 2%, total 20 +/- 2%
 - B. Summa Cum Laude.** Highest honors were moved for the three students with 4.00 GPA over 22 units. The motion was seconded and passed by voice vote.
 - C. Magna Cum Laude.** High honors went to the next 30 graduates, the COI having found in favor of four who had fewer than 22 units for grade.
 - D. Cum Laude.** Honors went to another 65 graduates, two of them short of the 22 unit for grade line.
 - E. Summary of BA graduates.** August graduates numbered 25, December grads 17, and the 446 this May raise the class total to 488. Degrees pending numbered 37. The total walking across the dais will be 486.
 - F. May 2010 cohort approvals.**
 - I.** MAT candidates numbering 7 were approved by voice vote.
 - II.** The roster of BA graduates was approved by voice vote after a suitable delay to permit cross-checking by departmental representatives.

II. Committee Reports. Eight more committee reports had been added to the paperless archives in the College website since the May 10 meeting. Nate Bower requested that these be e-mailed rather than solely parked in Prowl, for the sake of the many who are bewildered or embittered by that tool.

III. New Business etc. Faculty Marshal Bill Davis called attention to the e-mail that described the hard-rain backup plan involving the World Arena on Commencement Day. He also begged for responses to the request for marchers in the medieval academic parade.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ted Lindeman
Secretary of the Faculty