

Chairs' and Directors' Assembly (CDA)

Wednesday, March 4, 2020

Student Center Leadership Room, Kennesaw Campus

Welcome, Barbara Gainey, CDA chair

Cross-listed, cross-leveled courses, Anissa Vega

Same information as presented to FSEC
February 17, 2020 and Faculty Senate February 24, 2020
With the addition of the comment that chairs were
concerned that there was no department chair on this committee

Academic Freedom Grievance Task Force Report, Andy Piper

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Faculty Senate February 24, 2020

Draft revisions to the KSU Undergraduate Catalog, Kevin Gwaltney

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Faculty Senate February 24, 2020

General education redesign, Kris DuRocher

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**“...the timeline of the implementation of the Redesigned General Education.
After much feedback, the decision has been made change the implementation
date from Fall 2021 to Fall 2022.”**

KSU faculty awards, Michele DiPietro

Michele reported that the retreat for new chairs and new deans
(in year one of two (including assistant/associate chairs) is
July 21, 2020 followed on July 22 for ALL chairs and deans.

He also gave an update on the changes to faculty awards as adopted/approved by Faculty Senate

Academic Affairs update; New “Careers” staff and faculty hiring system,
Ron Matson

Ron reported “Careers” is a ONE-USG system that is replacing both Hire Touch for staff hiring and PeopleAdmin for faculty hiring. This is still a work in progress and the system is now in the testing phase

Ron also reported that going forward all faculty contracts will be issued through the Contract Module in ONE-USG NOT by KSU. There will be no listing of anyone’s discipline and all signatures will be electronic. No more paper contracts

Approval of Feb. 5 CDA minutes

Other Business

There was discussion with regard to Coronavirus and KSU’s response. All information that comes from KSU is really coming from the USG System office. There is a website with updated information

With regard to students and missing class at this time the attendance policies as stated in course syllabi are still in effect

Adjournment

Next CDA meeting: April 8, 2020, Marietta Wilson Student Center Ballroom (A&B)