

**Faculty Senate Meeting
Minutes
August 25, 2011
3:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Reitz Union Grand Ballroom**

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m.

Scott Nygren welcomed senators and guests to the Faculty Senate meeting and introduced President Machen to present the State of the University Address.

State of the University Address

Bernie Machen, President

<http://www.president.ufl.edu/state-of-university/docs/2011/State-of-the-University-2011.pdf>

Action Item

The May 2011 minutes were approved.

Scott Nygren, Faculty Senate Chair

Information Items

Harn Museum

Eric Segal, Harn Museum Education Curator of
Academic Programs

Eric Segal gave a presentation about the opportunities that the Harn offers for faculty as an effective teaching tool for use with their classes.

New Website

Scott Nygren, Faculty Senate Chair

Dr. Nygren introduced the new website to the Senate. He noted that changing the website was not a choice. The software that the Senate used is no longer supported. A short overhead tour of the new site highlighting the new Advocacy Section and the Discussion area was presented.

Mission Statement

Scott Nygren, Faculty Senate Chair

Students who have been working with Senator Graham suggested that the mission statement should be modified to include global citizenship. If interested, the mission statement can be found in the undergraduate catalogue. Since there is discussion about modifying the university's mission statement, it was suggested that the Faculty Senate form a task force to revise the statement. Faculty will be asked to participate on this task force this fall.

The meeting adjourned at 4 p.m. A reception followed the meeting.

Senators Attending

Sophia Acord
Charles Adams
Mary Adkins
Monika Ardelt

Manuel Arreola
Scott Banks
Alexander Berkovich
Donald Bolser

Gijs Bosman
Cheri Brodeur
Mary Brownell
Babette Brumback

Eileen Buss
William Castleman
Nico Cellinese
Paul Chadik
Jean Cibula
Nereyda Clark
Donald Cohen
Jerry Culen
Barbara Curbow
Larry Duncan
Michael Dukes
Kevin Farmer
Liz Felter
Mary Ann Ferguson
Jane Gannon
Lauren Garber-Lake
William Giuliano
Renee Goodrich
Wayne Griffin
Charlie Guy
David Hahn
Frederick Hamann
Jacob Hammer
Candace Harper
Edward Hart
Galia Hatav
Marc Heft
David Holmes
David Janicke
Mike Katovich
Phil Kaufman
James Keesling
Mirka Koro-Ljungberg
John Leavey
Michelle Mack
Rob MacKay
Todd Manini
Tim Martin
John Mecholsky
Renwei Mei
David Miller
Marjorie Moore
Debra Murie
Vasudha Narayanan
Michael Nussbaum
Scott Nygren
Carol Ojano-Dirain
Deanna Pelfrey

William Properzio
Emily Pugh
David Quillen
Teresa Rambo
Jamie Reilly
Beverly Roberts
Andrew Rosalsky
Jason Rothman
Vicki Sarajedini
Kenneth Sassaman
James Seale
Rich Segal
Brent Sellers
Christiana Shaw
SA Sherif
Steve Shugan
Susan Sinnott
Keith Stanfill
Craig Stanley
John Stevely
Carol Stewart
Jake Streit
Ghatu Subhash
Colleen Swain
Mickie Swisher
Margaret Temple-Smith
J. J. Tepas
Kevin Thompson
Mark Tillman
Jenny Tucker
Sonal Tuli
Hans van Oostrom
Neill Wallis
Jay Watkins
Lori Waxenberg
Ann Wehmeyer
Cirecie West-Olatunji
Karen Whalen
Bernard Whiting
Suzanne Wilson
Mary Ellen Young
Janet Yamamoto
Henry Zmuda

Liaisons

Cammy Abernathy
Steve Dorman
Henry Frierson

Paula Fussell
Joe Glover
Michael Good
Lucinda Lavelli
Bernie Machen
Jack Payne
Michael Perri
David Sammons

Guests

Eric Segal
Rick Yost
Jackie Ayers
Dyan Gershman
Keith Shroeder