

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE OF QUEENS COLLEGE - MARCH 11, 1971
Academic II - Room 170

1. The Chairman, Eugene Fontinell, called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m.

2. MOTION: Duly made (Capaldi), seconded and passed:

"To amend the published agenda to make the first item of business the statement prepared by Nicholas Capaldi and Harry Nussdorf."

3. Approval of agenda as amended.

4. MOTION: Duly made (Capaldi), and seconded:

"The University is best served by the mutual cooperation of faculty and students. Any divisiveness between these two constituencies can only serve to the detriment of both. Therefore, we wish to express our concern at any attempt by any party to divide the faculty and students. Faculty-student cooperation is the only viable basis for the survival of higher education in America.

We the members of the Queens College Academic Senate demand that the Board of Higher Education meet all of its contractual commitments to the faculty and its social commitments to the students to provide a free higher education. We urge the Board to put its economic house in order or to turn over that responsibility to the individual colleges."

5. MOTION: Duly made (Schwartz), seconded and passed:

"To table the Capaldi, Nussdorf motion."

6. Announcements and Administrative Reports:

- a) Chair asks members to remain at the meetings until 6:00 p.m. in order to have a quorum.
- b) Executive Committee has had several meetings with President Murphy, and the President will meet regularly with the committee.
- c) Gary Stein announced that the By-Laws have been completed, and if there is anything to add, to please get these in.

7. Report of the Committee on Committees, (Lieberman).

The Senate has elected additional student members to existing committees:

Admissions Committee: Elaine Clarke - 2 yr. term
Bookstore Committee: James Watkins - 1 yr. term
Campus Life Committee: Larry Dupass - 1 yr. term
Committee on Committees: Connie Bolden - 2 yr. term

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8. MOTION: Duly made (Propper), seconded and passed:

"To proceed to vote on student vacancy on Executive Committee."

George Williams elected student representative and replacement for Vernon Turner, on the Executive Committee.

9. Chair's ruling: Alternate takes place of Delegate when there is no Delegate.

10. Committee on Committees:

Faculty

Frank Warren - 2 yrs.
Samuel Lieberman - 2 yrs.
George Axelrad - 1 yr.
Barbara Greener - 1 yr.

Students

Glenn Singer - 1 yr.
Norma Kershaw - 1 yr.
Corinne Brodie - 2 yr.
Connie Bolden - 2 yr.

11. Undergraduate Curriculum Committee:

MOTION: Duly made (Gries), seconded and passed:

"To accept changes in courses - sheets distributed at March 4, 1971 Senate meeting."

12. Mr. Sidney Axelrad, Chairman, Graduate Curriculum Committee - Add a third paragraph to change in requirements for admission:

"An individual department may set higher requirements, but they may not admit students with requirements lower than those stated above, unless other criteria including the applicant's potential of graduate studies, GRE scores, and letters of recommendation are considered."

Mr. Axelrad Moved change in the name of the MA program from "urban affairs" to "urban studies." Unanimous consent.

MOTION: Duly made (Axelrad), seconded and passed:

"The approval of the entire report of the Graduate Curriculum Committee."

Mr. Axelrad proposed that policy changes should be separated from minor changes, and minor changes are to be processed routinely. Unanimous consent.

13. MOTION: Duly made (Capaldi), seconded and passed:

"For the formation of a Campus Security Committee. Duties: Advise the President on matters of campus security. Membership: six."

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14. Unfinished Business:

Consideration of Individualized BA Program for Queens College,
as distributed at March 4, 1971 meeting of the Senate.

15. MOTION: Duly made (Propper).

"Limit debate on the Individualized BA Program for Queens College to
five speakers pro and five speakers con."

Motion failed.

16. MOTION: Duly made (Mandelbaum, Gabin).

"Recommit to the Curriculum Committee the Individualized BA Program
for Queens College."

Motion failed.

17. MOTION: Duly made (Towers, Profriedt).

"To close debate on the Individualized BA Program for Queens College."

Motion failed.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:54 for lack of a quorum.

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Faculty:

Joseph S. Murphy
Eugene Fontinell
Nicholas Capaldi
Thom Verhave
Lucille Kyvallos
David Syrett
Norman Paul
Peter Eilbott
James Hogg
Joel Stemple
Marvin Wasserman
Nancy Dill
Louis Coburn
Irwin Mandel
Joseph Bronars
Stephen Schwerner
Peter Chabora
Stanley Pierce
Robert Towers
Barbara Greener
Paul Neurath
Raymond Franklin
Irving Markovitz
Venus Melonas
Albert Levenson
Robert Muller
Ernest Schwarcz
Nathaniel Siegel
Robert Kirby
Lester Schwartz
Anthony Carrieri

David Thurber
Sidney Axelrad
Frank Warren
Joel Mandelbaum
Morton Fleshler
Lawrence Ferrari
Albert Todd
Darrell Taylor
Robert Glasse
Joseph Drew
Mark Miksic
Parke Burgess
Larry Mansfield
Albert Mell
Gerald Koepl
Robert Cathcart
Howard Norris
Ruth Van de Kieft
Phyllis Tortora
Madeline Hurster
Michael Studdert-Kennedy
Mary Gallagher
William Proefriedt
Mary Holford
George Davenel
Louis Geller
Edward Fichtner
Myron Gordon
Rolf Kieser
George Axelrad
Edward Schreiber

Students:

Lynne Hochberg
Kenneth Achiron
Ramona Garnes
Edward Tannenbaum
Joel Fenster
Jane Donenfeld
Allen Karlin
Edward Sigall
Ira Shuman
Barbara Frances
Louis Reichardt
Marilyn Mollo
Gary Stein
Norma Kershaw
Joel Ettienger

Jerry Zaidman
Rachelle Propper
Harry Nussdorf
Randolph Amengual
Larry Friedman
Carole Goffen
Judy Sklar
Abe Asro
Victor Langhorne
Harvey Green
Jane Gabin
Stephen Merenstein
Eleanor Cohen
Ronald Weiss