

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY
SENATE RESEARCH COUNCIL
APPROVED MEETING MINUTES
10/09/07

Present: Thomas Uhlein, Fuan Li, Heejung An, Kevin Martus, and Martin Williams
Excused: Brian O’Broin and Jane Bambrick

Election of a Chair:

An and Martus agreed to co-chair the council. Both individuals were nominated and the committee unanimously approved the joint chair appointment.

Discussion of Charges:

The charges, as distributed, were discussed with the first item being the Research and Scholarship Day. Williams suggested that the council look into expanding the event to include graduate and undergraduate student participants. Williams also indicated that the council may wish to discuss with other programs on campus, such as the Center of Research, an effort to consolidate research and scholarship related events with the R&S Day activities. An initial discussion regarding the planning of the event ensued. The other charges as distributed were discussed and clarified among the members of the council. A possible additional charge was discussed that involved the analysis of the Research Survey that was conducted in the Spring of 2006. The meeting was concluded and Martus will determine the best date and time for the next meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kevin Martus