Minutes of a Meeting of the Senate of Simon Fraser University held on Monday, June 14, 2010 at 5:35 pm at the West Mall Complex (Room 3210)

Open Session

Present: Stevenson, Michael President and Chair

Acierno, Kyle Bezglasnyy, Anton

Bird, Gwen (representing L. Copeland)

Black, Sam

Brandhorst, Bruce Chapman, Glenn Cormack, Lesley Dhillon, Arinder Dow, Greg Driver, Jon Easton, Stephen Francis, June

Garneau-Scott, Christi

Geisler, Cheryl

Haunerland, Norbert (representing M. Pinto)

Janes, Craig Kong, Shuyu Kopahi, Moe Krane, Bill

Kropinski, Mary Catherine

Lee, Benjamin Lewis, Cynthia MacGrotty, Alysia Magnusson, Kris

Mathewes, R. (representing M. Plischke)

Moghaddamjo, Sarah Morrison, John

Myers, Gordon Paterson, David Patidar, Risha

Percival, Colin Rajapakse, Nimal Saif, Mehrdad Shapiro, Daniel

Somers, Julian Stevenson, Michael

van der Wey, Dolores

Warner, D'Arcy

Woodbury, Rob

Wussow, Helen

Absent:

Beale, Alison Brennand, Tracy Cyr, Dianne Fizzell, Maureen Golnaraghi, Farid Gordon, Robert Joffres, Michel Laitsch, Dan

Law, Mona Leznoff, Daniel Li, Fiona Louie, Brandt

Mann, Geoff McArthur, James O'Neil, John Parkhouse, Wade

Patel, Ravi Patidar, Trisha Pavsek, Christopher

Percival, Paul Peters, Joseph Pierce, John Ruben, Peter Russell, Robert Sahinalp, Cenk

In attendance: Agnes, George Morrow, Marina

Ross, Kate, Registrar & Senior Director Student Enrolment Gair, Shelley, Recording Secretary

1. Approval of the Agenda

The Agenda was approved as distributed.

2. Minutes of the Open Session of May 25, 2010

The Minutes of the Open Session of May 25, 2010 will be approved at the Senate meeting on July 5, 2010.

3. Business Arising from the Minutes

There was no business arising from the Minutes.

4. Report of the Chair

The Chair welcomed the newly elected and re-elected Faculty and Student Senators to Senate. Faculty Senators welcomed: Steve Easton, Daniel Laitsch, Sam Black, Bruce Brandhorst, Dianne Cyr, Shuyu Kong, Mary-Catherine Kropinski, Mehrdad Saif. Student Senators welcomed: Anton Bezglasnyy, Fiona Li, Alysia MacGrotty, Ravi Patel, Kyle Acierno, Arry Dhillon, Christi Garneau-Scott, Mohammadreza Kopahi, Mona Law, Benjamin Lee, Sara Moghaddamjoo, John Morrison, Risha Patidar, Trisha Patidar.

The Chair acknowledged that this was Senator Cormack's last meeting as Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences and on behalf of Senate, thanked her for her excellent leadership in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

5. Question Period

There were no questions in Question Period.

6. Reports of Committees

A) Senate Committee on University Priorities

Creation of the CIHR Centre for the Study of Gender, Social Inequities S.10-90 and Mental Health as a Research Institute

Marina Morrow, from the Faculty of Health Sciences, was in attendance in order to respond to questions.

Moved by Jon Driver, seconded by Norbert Haunderland

"that Senate approve and recommend to the Board of Governors the creation of the CIHR Centre for the Study of Gender, Social Inequities and Mental Health as a Research Institute for a 5 year term."

Question was called, and a vote taken.

MOTION CARRIED

B) Senate Graduate Studies Committee

i) Curriculum Revisions – Faculty of Business Administration (For Information): Financial Risk Management Program

S.10-91

Senate received information that the Senate Graduate Studies Committee, acting under delegated authority, approved new courses and minor revisions to existing courses and program requirements in the Faculty of Business Administration.

ii) Curriculum Revisions - Faculty of Education (For Information): S.10-92 Educational Leadership Program

Senate received information that the Senate Graduate Studies Committee, acting under delegated authority, approved minor revisions to program requirements in the Faculty of Education.

iii) Curriculum Revisions - Faculty of Science (For Information): S.10-93 Biomedical Physiology & Kinesiology, Revised Biological Sciences

Senate received information that the Senate Graduate Studies Committee, acting under delegated authority, approved minor revisions to existing courses and program requirements in the Faculty of Science. A revised copy of Senate paper 10–93, showing a correction to BISC 838 which was incorrectly recorded as MBB 838 on the original paper, was distributed at the meeting.

C) Senate Nomination Committee

Elections S.10-94
Revised

A revised copy of Senate paper 10-94, showing additional nominations, positions that were elected by acclamation and positions which require balloting, was distributed at the meeting. Online voting for the positions that require balloting will begin at 12:00 pm on June 15, 2010. Candidate statements were requested to be submitted by midnight on June 14, 2010. Results of the election will be posted in the Senate Summary.

8. Information

The date of the next regular scheduled meeting of Senate is Monday, July 5, 2010 in the West Mall Complex (Room 3210).

Open Session adjourned at 5:40 pm and Senate moved directly into Closed Session.

Kate Ross Registrar and Secretary of Senate