

**UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS SCHOOL OF ALLIED HEALTH
 FACULTY MEETING MINUTES
 September 19, 2007 ♦ 11:30am – 1:00pm
 Clendening Auditorium**

WHAT	WHO	REPORT/DISCUSSION	ACTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS
Call to Order & Minutes	M. Fey	The meeting was called to order and the minutes from the April meeting were approved.	
Counseling Services available to Students	L. Long A. Carrott Counseling & Educational Support Services	Long provided information on psychological services offered to address individual student needs. The recent addition of Ray Elliott has enabled the department to increase services. PT added a 'Relations & Learning Styles' component to their curriculum which seems to be helpful. A 'Performance Enhancement' component is used for more reluctant students. The department accepts walk-ins as well as appointments. Jeff Radel inquired about group presentations; Dr. Long suggested including information in the Student Handbook.	Faculty are invited to provide feedback on ways to be more supportive.
Dean's Club	C. Adams Endowment	Ms. Adams expressed her thanks to all that had joined the Dean's Club and added that each gift is appreciated. She reported that several departments were currently working on scholarships and professorships. Adams closed by indicated that a portion of her time is dedicated to the School of Allied Health.	Faculty were invited to contact her with any fundraising ideas they may have.
Announcements		No announcements at this time.	
Committee reports	M. Fey	Fey noted that an agenda will be distributed prior to each Faculty Meeting and minutes will be available on the website. Terry Erisman has been working to update the SAH website (using the required KU template), to allow it to be more user-friendly. Fey walked through several of the recent changes. Fey also stated that Committee Chairs will give reports each meeting to raise the profile of the individual committees.	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Affairs 	B. Gregg	<p>Advised the purpose of this committee is to review UG course changes and to insure student grievance policies are up to date.</p>	<p>Lou Loescher-Junge to obtain policies from all SAH departments.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APT 	J. Radel	<p>Stated that members of this committee are appointed by the departments. The committee reviews faculty applications for promotion and/or tenure. Two individuals will go up this year for P/T and one will have a 3rd year review. Information should be received by the committee in late October.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elections 	P. Waggoner	<p>Not in attendance.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty Practice 	P. Cagle	<p>Cagle co-chairs the committee w/SoN faculty. The committee's purpose is to promote faculty practice in information and quality. The committee's current project is the Silver City Clinic.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional Development 	S. Jackson	<p>This committee provides professional development opportunities for faculty and students & to review scholarship & diversity awards. A student representative is elected each year to serve on the committee.</p> <p>Fey noted that this year, the Diversity award will be moved to the responsibility of the Diversity Committee</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research 	S. Carlson	<p>Not in attendance.</p> <p>Dr. Ferraro commented on the incredible public response that has been received on the Research publication. He expressed his thanks to Lou Loescher-Junge, Jennifer Keeton and Terry Erisman for their many hours of hard work. He also sent thanks to Elissa Monroe for the wonderful photography she provided for the book.</p>	<p>Fey suggested faculty look over the Research website. Along with the recent publication, the site is designed to raise the profile of researchers. Previous references to "Lab" have been changed to "Program". Faculty were also asked to critique Fey's web site and return ideas/suggestions directly to him.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steering 	M. Fey	<p>Steering Committee steers! This committee oversees the Faculty Meetings and assists committee chairs to be as productive as possible.</p>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diversity 	S. Omar Ahmad	<p>The committee updated their previous mission. Their purpose is to provide financial resources through community scholarships and grants. This year the committee pulled information from faculty to list programs for specific diverse populations to create friendly environment for current as well as potential students.</p>	<p>Faculty are invited to attend a Diversity Luncheon on September 25, 11:30 in 4024 Varnes.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dean's Report 	K. Miller	<p>Dr. Miller welcomed all new and returning faculty members. She explained that she served in the capacity of Senior Vice Chancellor and Dean of the Schools of Allied Health & Nursing.</p> <p>Acknowledgements to Jen Keeton, Terry Erisman & Lou Loescher-Junge on their work on the website revisions. Hospital affiliation agreement talks continue. The hospital is also working to obtain NCI designation which requires access to individuals in the surrounding area for research studies.</p> <p>The BoR, including several new members, met at the Medical Center this week. She noted that the BoR oversee all operation of the state institutions.</p> <p>Dr. Miller announced that next week is Alumni Weekend</p> <p>Alumni Weekend is next weekend - all faculty invited to attend. Report lists this years Kemper Award recipients. Receptions being held to celebrate faculty and staff service awards. Karl Koob named an ACE fellow by (Jen, this is listed on the KU homepage). Congratulations to recent grant recipients.</p> <p>The SAH currently has the most students of any past year!</p> <p>Silver City Clinic is up and running. In the past, this endeavor has been more education-centered. The program is working toward becoming more patient-centered. KU HealthPartners continues as a direct clinical program. The program has taken in \$1m, with most going back out for expenses. Funds brought in help support education research activities.</p> <p>Talks underway with Ed Galan, retired military, to run the Silver City Clinic.</p>	
<p>Next Meeting: Nov. 6, 2007</p>			

