University Committee on Faculty Affairs

MINUTES

Tuesday, April 19, 2011


Ex Officio:  Terry Curry, David Byelich.

Others:  John Revitte, Donna Zischke.

Call to Order: Dr. Emmett called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Dr. Emmett introduced Provost Kim Wilcox, and Dr. Wilcox introduced Dr. Marsha Rappley, Dean of the College of Human Medicine.

Provost Wilcox gave a brief overview of some questions posed to him by UCFA regarding the a) realignment of the Basic Sciences, and b) the reorganization of the College of Human Medicine. He ended his overview saying that he is still seeking additional information before making any final decisions regarding either a) or b). He said it’s important to realize that there isn’t one dean to oversee and cover all the medical colleges and to coordinate the program structure or lack of program structure.

Dean Rappley handed out a packet of materials and carefully, thoroughly explained the plans of the College of Human Medicine. She also stated that they are still in the early stages of development and trying to determine the best fit to accomplish all the goals they feel they must reach, and she answered all questions regarding the “whys” and “wherefores” of her college development.

Provost Wilcox also spoke about the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources and the reorganization of some of the departments in CANR. He reminded UCFA members that there are presently 21,000 few students enrolled in CANR departments than there were in 1980. With that fact in mind, the acting dean has requested Forestry and Horticulture to reorganize and that action is now in progress.

Adjournment:  UCFA adjourned to subcommittees at 2:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Elva Boyles
Recording Secretary