

**QUEENSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK**

**Report to the Academic Senate**

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From: Dr. Helmut Loeffler, Chairperson of the Committee on Committees

To: Dr. John Talbird, Secretary of the Academic Senate Steering Committee

**Monthly Report of the Committee on Committees for January-February 2018**

**I. Academic Senate Roster**

Due to the retirement of George Muchita a replacement needed to be found in the HEO line to fulfil the term through April 2018. The CoC conducted the election during the February senate meeting on February 13 and Carol Alleyne was elected.

**II. New Academic Senate Committee Members**

Whenever vacancies on committees become available, the members of the Committee on Committees (CoC) vote via e-mail to appoint new members. Here are the changes that the CoC was made aware of, voted on, and approved.

**A. Committee on Food Insecurity**

Due to the resignation of John Gilleaudeau (Social Sciences) from the Committee on Food Insecurity I am proposing that we nominate Nataliya Khomyak (Mathematics and Computer Sciences) as the replacement

**III. Webpages**

Working with Dave Moretti, Committee rosters were updated to reflect current membership.

**IV. Senate Elections**

Nomination petitions were sent to Faculty and CLTs for seats on the Academic Senate. 15 Faculty responded for 13 positions and 2 CLTs responded for one position. The candidates have been asked to provide personal statements. Jeffrey Schwartz has prepared the online ballots which will be sent out in March. The list of candidates follows:

**Nominees for Faculty Member-at-Large**

1. Arthur Adair, Speech & Theatre
2. Edmund Clingan, History
3. Franca Ferrari-Bridger, Speech & Theatre
4. Leslie Francis, Business
5. Todd Holden, Physics

6. Frank Jacob, History
7. Isabella Lizzul, Health, Physical Education & Dance
8. Philip Pecorino, Social Sciences
9. Barbara Rome, Nursing
10. Cheryl Spencer, Nursing
11. Mangala Tawde, Biological Sciences & Geology
12. Edward Volchok, Business
13. Patrick Wallach, Mathematics & Computer Science
14. Richard Yuster, Engineering Technology
15. Reuvain Zahavy, Mathematics & Computer Science

**Nominees for CLT Representative**

1. John B. Luby, Business
2. Laura Rachiele, Biology

**V. Standing Committee Preferences**

Faculty and Staff received personalized emails inviting them to select which committees they would like to serve on. 81 applications were received. The CoC held one meeting on February 28 to start making selections. On March 7 another meeting will be held by the CoC to work further on staffing the committee.

**VI. Preparations**

Several meetings were held between the former chair of the CoC, Chris Mooney, Jeff Schwartz and the CoC chair to prepare for the Senate Elections and the staffing of the Standing Committees of the Academic Senate.

Respectfully submitted,

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