

## A Meeting of the Task Force on Teaching Excellence

Nov. 17, 2020, 3:30 pm

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University of North Carolina, Pembroke

<b>ARTS</b>	<b>EDUC</b>	<b>HSCI</b>	<b>LETT</b>	<b>NS&amp;M</b>	<b>S&amp;BS</b>
Carla Rokes (to 2021)	Claudia Nickolson (to 2022)	Cherry Maynor Beasley (to 2023)	Eun Hee Jeon (to 2023)	Conner Sandefur (to 2023)	Kirill Bumin (to 2022)
Terence Dollard (to 2023)	Joe Sciulli (to 2021)	Shenika Jones (to 2022)	Charles Beem (to 2022)	Siva Mandjiny (to 2021)	Zhixin (Richard) Kang (to 2021)
Library Representative: Robert Arndt (to 2023)					

Members present: Robert Arndt, Charles Beem, Kirill Bumin, Scott Hicks, Beth Holder, Eun Hee Jeon, Shenika Jones, Zhixin (Richard) Kang, and Carla Rokes

Members absent:

- I. The meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm.
- II. The minutes of the Sept. 15, 2020, meeting were approved, 8-0-0.
- III. The agenda was adopted as presented, 8-0-0.
- IV. Reports
  - a. Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Success and Dean of the University College Beth Holder reported that the University College will hire six grant-funded positions; TRIO has been granted continued funding, about \$5 million; that phone interviews for an assistant director of new student programs are underway; that the UC will continue to enhance learning communities; that a NASNTI grant via enrollment management will fund additional coordinator and transfer advocacy positions; that a student transition survey of UNV 1000 students showed strong satisfaction with peer mentors and students' choice of UNCP; that student and faculty wellbeing surveys have been completed, with results showing that neither population liked the hybrid teaching model; and that first-year interest groups (FIGS) will launch in 2021.
  - b. Teaching & Learning Center Director Scott Hicks summarized his report as prepared and reviewed the TLC's fund balances.
    - i. Fund No. 101490 (Faculty Development Center Operating Budget)
      1. Beginning Balance: \$6,642.00
      2. Debits: (\$258.20)
      3. Available Balance: \$6,383.80
    - ii. Fund No. 152100 (Faculty Development)
      1. Beginning Balance: \$15,000.00

2. Debits: (\$5,010.02)

3. Available Balance: \$9,989.98

iii. Fund No. 252120 Available Balance:

V. New Business

a. The Task Force recommended funding of \$350 each, pending availability, of the following, 8-0-0:

- i. The proposal of Camille Locklear Goins (Educational Leadership & Specialties) for the transformation of EDNL 5800, in collaboration with the Office of Student Inclusion & Diversity;
- ii. The proposal of Leslie Locklear (Counseling) for the transformation of CNS 5800, in collaboration with the Office of Student Inclusion & Diversity;
- iii. The proposal of Tiffany Locklear (Teacher Education) for the transformation of ELE 4110, in collaboration with the Office of Student Inclusion & Diversity; and
- iv. The proposal of Claudia Nickolson (Educational Leadership & Specialties) for the transformation of ELE 3010, in collaboration with the Office of Student Inclusion & Diversity.

VI. For the Good of the Order

a. The Task Force discussed mentoring of and outreach to new and early career faculty as a way of encouraging and increasing faculty participation in TLC programming.

VII. The meeting was adjourned at 4 pm.