
**African American Studies
Advisory Board Minutes**
March 11, 2010

Dr. Ochwa-Echel presided over the meeting.

Members present: Dr. Abo, Dr. Beck, Dr. Hendrickson, Mr. Kuma, Dr. Loudon, Dr. Lovekamp, Dr. Ochwa-Echel, Mr. Schultz, and Mrs. Williams

Staff present: Mrs. Kathy Chancellor

I. Welcome

II. Approval of the November 12, 2009 and January 21, 2010 minutes.

The minutes were approved as written.

III. Update on the AFR curriculum

Dr. Ochwa-Echel is currently working on the New Course Proposal forms for the new courses that were previously discussed. He will be meeting with Dr. Patty Poulter, Associate Dean for CAH for her review of the forms before they will be submitted to the CAH Curriculum Committee.

IV. Role of the AFR Advisory Board

Dr. Ochwa-Echel asked the members what their thoughts were as their role on this committee. His personal thoughts were that this board's role is more than advising, but rather assisting him while working toward the goals of the African American Studies Program. Discussion ensued.

V. By-Laws

Will send out a draft version in a few weeks and then conduct an electronic vote to accept.

VI. Other Items

- ✚ Rovion Reed is reviving the AFR Student Association
- ✚ Rovion Reed is organizing HIP HOP Week.
 - He hopes during the various events he will have information available for students regarding the program and hopes this will help recruitment students to the AFR Program.
 - AFR is sponsoring one of the events on Tuesday night

VII. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

Kathy Chancellor, Recorder

ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING
Thursday, April 15, 2010

3108 Blair Hall