



Western Washington University Associated Students

AS Structural Review Committee

Friday, April 28th, 2017

9:00 AM

VU 567

Members: *Present: Bryce Hammer (ASVP for Governmental Affairs), Aleyda Cervantes (ASVP for Student Diversity), Mary Moeller (ASVP for Business and Operations), Hannah Van Amen (Student at Large), Bill Martin (Student at Large), Griffin Crisp (Student at Large), and Emma J Opsal (AS Assessment Coordinator).*

Absent:

Advisor: Lisa Rosenberg (Assistant Director for Student Activities); Eric Alexander (Associate Dean of Students and director of the Viking Union); Casey Hayden (coordinator of Student Activities)

Secretary: Cora Cole (Board Assistant for Representation Committees)

Guests:

Bryce Hammer called the meeting to order at 9:15 am

I. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. **Who should be on the committee next year:** The VP for Business and Operations and VP for Diversity will definitely be on the committee because their positions are being absorbed, there was no firm conclusion as to who would chair. We need to rewrite the job descriptions as well as doing job descriptions for the senators, which will mean working closely with the AS Elections Coordinator. Hannah asked why seniors still vote, Bryce said that seniors have institutional knowledge and investment as well as balancing out the non-voting freshman, Alex added that the college tries to maintain a close relationship with alumni. Erick Yanzon asked if we should call the Programming Council chair a VP, Bryce said that they would be sitting on Board meetings as a nonvoting member. We then went on to discuss non-board members who should be on the committee next year, Bryce said that Elections Board Chair would be very busy but that the Elections Coordinator should definitely be here. Bryce said the REP director should be involved, Emma let everyone know that REP will be going through restructure next year. Alex said that the Board Assistant for Lobby days would be good, but they might need to have their pay method shifted. Bryce asked if the Structure implementation Committee should write the “not-bylaws” for the Senate and the Program Council or the Board should and the committee agreed that the committee might have the strongest know how.

Bryce Hammer adjourned the meeting at 9:35 am.