

SEPC Agenda March 4, 2005

Reps for Social Sciences, Science/Math, Literature, Democracy Project

Pass around phone list for additions

People coming to meetings:

- Faculty Advising Committee People: Susan and ?
Tuesday March 15...be on time!
FAC will be providing open hours on Wednesdays in March/April for students with any plan-related questions
- Faculty (esp. members of FPRC) who want to talk about bylaws stating "in good academic standing"
Maybe March 22?

Selected Scholarship & Fellowship Information for Major National Awards is available in the Dean's Office (Fulbright, Mitchell, Mellon, Marshall, Rhodes, etc.)

Cool thing: Registration next year will be Freshmen alone with continuing students meeting with faculty in their offices for any changes.

Discipline updates

Bylaws changes

- Class representatives must be "in good academic standing"
 - No way to check this...we could assume most people on concern wouldn't volunteer...
 - Teachers aren't supposed to know who's on concern...
- Selecting an "alternate" CR at the same time as the regular CR
 - Could we get people to do this?
 - Should we add in a proviso that in the case of an absence someone else in the class can volunteer to be an alternate and do the work for that day?
- Other changes in wording

Send bylaws to new people

Music — responsibility of DR's too much — Music Collective? 5 students
→ encourage students to learn production
→ 2 weeks ahead Signup for workshop

SEPC Minutes

March 8, 2005

Welcome to our four new members: Becca Robinson, Democracy Project; Sarah McAbee and Abi Slenski, Social Sciences; and Brian Pietras, Literature. There is still an opening in both Science & Math and Media.

The Faculty Advising Committee will be meeting with SEPC next week. Please give SEPC Reps. any feedback about advising, your personal experience, or changes you would like to see implemented.

SEPC is discussing its bylaws in regards to class representatives. Should class representatives be required to be in good academic standing? Should alternate representatives be elected in the event that the primary representative can't fulfill the responsibilities? Direct feedback towards any SEPC discipline representative.

The Dean's office now has recourses for Selected Scholarship awards, fellowships, and other post-graduation opportunities.

New students in the fall will register separately from returning students. Returning students will have opportunities to register at the end of this term and in faculty offices next term. New student registration will still be in Greenwall.

Discipline Updates

Music: A new music collective has been born to assist with the production of Music Festival. The two SEPC discipline representatives are joined by Matthew Souther, Jessa Brown, and Jess Funston. The collective will help advertise Music Workshops. Sign-ups for Workshop will now be two weeks in advance.

Visual Arts: Silo submissions are due March 18. Check the signs posted or ask Jim Bolenbaugh for appropriate drop off locations.

Science and Math: Science Workshop is now Wednesdays at 1:00. The following people will be interviewing for the Cell Biology position that is open for the fall. They will be meeting with students at the following times:

Veronica Godoy Friday, March 11

Lunch with any interested students: meet in the Reading Room at 11:45

Seminar at 1:00 in Dickinson 148

Joshua Rappoport Wednesday, March 16

Lunch with any interested students: meet in the Reading Room at 11:45

Seminar at 1:00 in Dickinson 148

Douglas Dorer Friday, March 18

Lunch with any interested students: meet in the Reading Room at 11:45

Seminar at 1:00 in Dickinson 148

Drama: Drama collective will be meeting at 11:00 in the Upstairs Café on Tuesdays. The Collective is looking independent projects to fund. The first Improv. Show of the term will be on Friday, March 11.

Social Science: We've already had philosophy candidate presentations from both Cyrus Panjvani and David Vessey--next week, Monday, March 14, Scott Jenkins will be presenting. Following him, Karen Glover will present on Wednesday, March 16. All presentations are at 4 p.m. in Dickinson 148. Philosophy is exciting. Come learn about exciting philosophy.