HONORS COMMITTEE Agenda

Monday, May 18th, 2020 ZOOM Meeting 2:30-3:30 PM

Type of Meeting: Regular

Note Taker: Tamira Palmetto Despain Please Review/Bring: Agenda Packet

Tamira Palmetto Despain Faculty Co-Chair Vejea Jennings Faculty Co-Chair

Dr. Irit Gat
Rae Agahari
Arts & Humanities
David L. Adams
Career Tech Ed
Susan Knapp
Counseling

Elinda Parkinson Health & Safety Sciences

Linda Parker Library

Dang Huynth Math Sciences Engineering
Dr. Mark McGovern Math Sciences Engineering
Pavinee Villapando Math Sciences Engineering

Dr. Rachel Jennings-Tafarella Rhetoric & Literacy

Dr. Matthew Jaffe Social & Behavioral Sciences

Dr. Darcy Wiewall At-Large
Cynthia Wishka At-Large
John Vento Ex-Officio

VACANT TAP Representative
Jahlen Pinelo ASO Representative

	Items	Action
I.	Call to Order and Roll Call	
II.	Opening Comments from	
	the Chair	
III.	Open Comments from the	
	Public	
IV.	Approval of Minutes	4/27/20
V.	Honors Mission Statement	Committee needs to develop an Honors Mission statement that can
		be posted on our website and included in our annual Academic
		Senate Honors Report.
		 Action – Develop and vote on Honors TAP mission statement.
VI.	COVID-19 & Honors	At last meeting – vote was taken to move the Honors convocation to
	Convocation	8/13/20. The Fine Arts Quad is available and the move was
		approved by President Knudson.
		Action — Duty assignments and work flow need to be determined.

VII. Honors (TAP) criteria	 Program changes approved last meeting (3.0 GPA/15 honors units with 3 actual Honors classes). These changes have been emailed to Kathryn Mitchell to be added to AP&P agenda.
VIII. Honors Program Faculty Handbook	 Recently brought to my (Tamira) attention that the availability of a handbook for new Honors Faculty may be needed. Prof. Saxon reported he didn't realize that when he put his proposal through for a class, he would also be put on the list for Options. He reports being alright with it, but would have liked to have known ahead of time. He had 2 suggestions: 1- Create a Guide/Handbook for new Honors Instructors where is can be easily accessed (on committee webpage?) 2- Know before they submit proposals that all proposals are for both classes and options. Action: Darcy emailed Committee Members Honors Handbook examples from other CCCs. Review these samples and create work list and duty assignments for developing AVC handbook.
IX. VIII. Other Business	•
IX. Adjournment	Next meeting 8/24/20 at 2:30.