

**Approved Minutes for the Student Affairs and Campus Life
Committee (SA&CL) Monday, March 20, 2023**

3:30 pm

Via

WebEx

Join the meeting via WebEx:

<https://uncp.webex.com/meet/peter.grimes>

Members of the Committee:

1. Peter Grimes, Senator and Chair (LETT)
2. Abigail Reiter, Faculty Member and Secretary (SBS)
3. Brian Smith, Faculty Member (SBS)
4. Carla Rokes, Faculty Member (ARTS)
5. Matt Schneider, Senator (CHS)
6. Lauren Norman, Senator (SBS)
7. Melinda Rosenberg, Chair of Student Publications Board
8. Jessica Siegele, Faculty Athletics Representative
9. Jeff Howard, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs
10. Taliyah Daniels, SGA President (2022-23)
11. Oluyemi Stephens, Graduate Student Representative
12. Shenna Christian, Graduate School Representative
13. Tiffany Smaw, Student selected by Office of Campus Engagement and Leadership

Members present: Brian Smith, Abigail Reiter, Peter Grimes, Matt Schneider, Lauren Norman, Kyle Smith (for Jeff Howard), Carla Rokes, Lauren Norman, Taliyah Daniels, Oluyemi Stephens, Durrell Hurst

Members absent: Melinda R., Jeff Howard, Jessica S., Shenna C., Tiffany Smaw

Order of Business

A. Call to Order

By Peter Grimes at 3:33pm

B. Approval of February 2023 minutes

Minutes were approved by general consensus.

C. Adoption of the Agenda

Agenda was adopted by general consensus.

D. Reports

- **Chair**
- Peter has forwarded to faculty governance a question about adding a new representative from the Office of Global Engagement to SACL. Someone in the executive committee of faculty senate mentioned that there may be an issue with the balance of ex-officio and faculty members stated in our bylaws.
- Peter has reached out to Crystal Walline, chair of the special committee on student evaluation of instruction, about how our committee can help their efforts (particularly in understanding students' perspectives on SEIs) but hasn't heard back or been able to find a time to meet with her and discuss. He hopes she will attend our final meeting of the semester.

- **Chair, Student Publications Board-** *Melinda R. is absent*
- **Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs (Kyle Smith for Jeff Howard)**
 - Filled several new positions (details in addendum)
 - Faculty Resource Fair- drop in and visit with SA- April 25, 11am
 - Dr. Hurst- new Director of Student Housing and Residence Life
 - Village Apts- former student residents will be able to reclaim space
 - Housing prices increased slightly, and will increase 5% in a few apartments, and some costs were reduced in other halls; UNCP is still lower than other UNC-system schools of a similar size.
 - Costs will help with paint, new mattresses, etc.
 - North Hall computer lab- working on computer labs there for international student requests; sent forms to submit to use other halls, but no one submitted forms- will grant access to other halls if anyone needs it.
- **President Student Government Association- Taliyah Daniels**
 - SGA is holding elections, transitions beginning soon
 - MH Awareness Week in April with MH First Aid training
 - International students concerned about dining options during Spring Break, as only one dining hall was open during that break (11am-3pm)
 - Kyle Smith brought this up to Sodexo and they will go over dates for need for service for next year (all breaks)
- **Graduate School Representatives- Oluyemi Stephens**
 - April 4 graduate student research symposium (5:30-7:30pm) grad students- virtual, will be advertised soon
 - No SGO meetings since last SACL meeting, but will have another one before Spring semester ends.
 - Some grad students (international) having issues with meals at dining service (ie. pork in some food that it's not supposed to be in; other have health issues that need to be accommodated in dining options)- needs to be a conversations with dining service about this

E. Old Business

- Addition of rep to SACL from Office of Global Engagement
- Discussion of ways to gather student perspectives on student evaluation of instruction
- Review of updated attendance policy from athletics

F. New Business

- Carla said some student publications do not have links; Peter will look into this.

G. Announcements- none.

H. Adjournment

- Meeting was adjourned at 4:02pm
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Addendum

STUDENT AFFAIRS AND CAMPUS LIFE COMMITTEE – March 20, 2023

UPCOMING INITIATIVES & PROGRAMS

March is Women's History Month.

- The Pembroke Activities Council will host the [30th Annual Student Talent Show](#) Thursday, March 16, 7:00 p.m., Givens Performing Arts Center.
- F45 classes now offered 6:30 a.m. beginning March 27. Water yoga begins March 20. [IM Leagues](#) for more information.
- The Career Center will host a [Professional Dress Fashion show](#) at the UC Annex, March 20, 6:00-8:00 p.m. as prelude to The JC Penney Suit-Up Event March 26, 3:00-6:00 p.m. at the Cross Creek Mall in Fayetteville, NC.
- On March 23, Community and Civic Engagement will host the [Sports Empowerment Program](#). Volunteer by signing up on serve.uncp.edu.
- March 24: Safe Zone Education for Faculty and Staff. 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., Old Main 124
- March 30: Lead(H)er Conference, UC Annex, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- April 4: Volunteer at the Robeson County Special Olympics. Students, faculty, staff, and community are invited to volunteer on Tuesday, April 4 from 10:00 am-2:00 pm. Volunteers can sign-up on [UNCP Serve](#).
- April 10: Annual Brave Pride Fest 12-2 pm at the UC Annex.
- Service-learning designation [applications](#) will be accepted on a rolling basis for Fall 2023.
- Student Conduct is accepting Conduct Hearing Board Member Applications for 2023-2024, apply [here](#).
- Student Inclusion and Diversity is accepting nominations for DEIB-IE (pronounced “deebee”) Champions to recognize students, student organizations, and campus & community partners who champion diversity, equity, inclusion, belonging, social justice, intercultural competence and engagement, and inclusive excellence. Due by March 31.
- The Career Center received the SECU Foundation grant to support paid internships for Summer 2023. Students can apply on [Handshake. Applications will close March 31.](#)
- Call for Presenters: Student Inclusion & Diversity is hosting Social Justice Week April 3-5. Presenters are requested to host breakout sessions during the Social Justice Symposium and JusticeCon. Visit uncp.edu/sjw for additional information.

DIVISION ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Kamren Lewis joined Community & Civic Engagement as the CARE Coordinator on March 6.
- Reginald Bullock will begin as the Associate Director of Career Services on March 20.
- Shelby Newsome will join Community and Civic Engagement on March 20.
- Alisha Anyachonkeya has accepted the Administrative Support Specialist position in Campus Engagement and Leadership.