

## DOCUMENTS OF THE GENERAL FACULTY

**SEVENTH REGULAR MEETING OF THE FACULTY COUNCIL FOR 2016-2017**

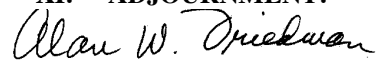
The University of Texas at Austin  
Main Building, Room 212

Monday, March 6, 2017  
2:15 PM

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

- I. REPORT OF THE SECRETARY** (D 14996-15000)—Alan W. Friedman (Professor, English).
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES.**
  - A. Minutes of the Regular Faculty Council Meeting of February 20, 2017 (D 15501-15518)—Alan W. Friedman.
- III. COMMUNICATION WITH THE PRESIDENT**—Gregory L. Fenves
  - A. Comments by the President.
  - B. Questions to the President.
- IV. REPORT OF THE CHAIR**— Jody L. Jensen (Professor, Kinesiology and Health Education).
- V. REPORT OF THE CHAIR ELECT**—Steven D. Hoelscher (Professor, American Studies and Geography and the Environment).
- VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**—None.
- VII. REPORTS OF THE GENERAL FACULTY, COLLEGES, SCHOOLS, AND COMMITTEES**—None.
- VIII. NEW BUSINESS.**
  - A. Update to the University Mission Statement (D 14994)—Jody L. Jensen.
  - B. Report of the Committee to Nominate Faculty Members for appointment to the Intercollegiate Athletics Councils for Men and for Women (D 14989-14990)—Jody L. Jensen.
  - C. Report of the Committee to Nominate Faculty Members to for appointment to the University of Texas at Austin Policy Oversight Committee (D 14991)—Jody L. Jensen.
  - D. Election of Voting Faculty Members to the Undergraduate Advisory Committee (D 14992-14993)—Steven D. Hoelscher.
  - E. A Brief Update on Cultivating Learning and Safe Environments (CLASE) Study—Noël Busch-Armendariz (Professor, Social Work) and LaToya Hill Smith (Title IX Coordinator).
  - F. Resolution from the Recruitment and Retention Committee in Support of Undocumented and DACA Students (D 14995)—Aileen T. Bumphus (Committee Chair and Associate Vice President, Longhorn Center for Academic Excellence).
- IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMENTS.**
  - A. The next Faculty Council meeting will be on April 10 in MAI 212 at 2:15 PM.
  - B. Final voting phase for election of members representing tenured faculty, assistant professors, and instructors on the Faculty Council opens March 20 through March 31.
  - C. Annual Reports of the General Faculty Standing Committees are due May 1<sup>st</sup>.
- X. QUESTIONS TO THE CHAIR.**

**XI. ADJOURNMENT.**



Alan W. Friedman, Secretary  
General Faculty and Faculty Council  
The University of Texas at Austin  
Arthur J. Thaman and Wilhelmina Doré Thaman Professor of English and Comparative Literature