

Faculty Hiring Meeting
(Natural Resources candidate)

Friday, November 21, 2014

The meeting was called to order by Dean David Herring at 3:15 p.m.

Faculty: George Bach, Marsha Baum, Reed Benson, Camille Carey, Scott England, Eileen Gauna, David Herring, Steven Homer, Scott Hughes, April Land, Nathalie Martin, Serge Martinez, Max Minzner, Adrian Oglesby, Aliza Organick, Daniel Ortega, Mary Pareja, Sergio Pareja, Michelle Rigual, Alex Ritchie, David Stout, Carol Suzuki, Gloria Valencia-Weber, Lu-in Wang, and Jeanette Wolfley.

Staff: Mary Dewey

Dean Herring turned the meeting over to Prof. Aliza Organick as Chairperson of the Faculty Appointments Committee. Prof. Organick turned the meeting over to Prof. Reed Benson and Prof. Eileen Gauna to explain the criteria used in the search and to give a short overview of each candidate. The committee was specifically looking for an individual who would be able to assist in the launch of the new Natural Resources clinic program and who would also be able to rotate in and out of the clinic. Three finalists were invited to campus interviews:

- Sam Kalen
- Margot Pollans
- Clifford Villa

Prof. Benson and Prof. Gauna went over the qualifications of each of the candidates focusing on their references, student evaluations and scholarship. The meeting was then opened for discussion.

Following discussion, a preliminary qualification vote, and a preferential vote, a motion was made and seconded to extend an offer to Cliff Villa.

A second motion was made and seconded to extend an offer to Margot Pollans if Cliff Villa declined our offer.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:56 p.m.