

School of Law
January 14, 1982
Faculty Meeting
Conference Room
12:00 noon

MINUTES

Present: Bowler, Desiderio, DuMars, J. Ellis, W. Ellis, Fink, Goldberg, Gonzales, Hart, Hermann, Johnson, Kovnat, Martinez, Minzner, Muir, Norwood, Parnall, Romero, Simson, Stelzner, Utton, Weihofen, Winograd; Student Representatives Duarte, Kamm; Camp

The meeting was called to order by Dean Desiderio; minutes of the meetings of November 30th and December 17th, 1981, were approved.

Dean welcomed Richard Bowler, the new Reference Librarian, who announced that the LEXIS terminal in the faculty library is now in operation.

Faculty cooperation was requested in arranging interviews of persons under consideration for the three faculty slots. The individuals being considered include Terry Anderson, José Bracamonte, Bertha Hernandez, Karl Johnson, Ralph Mitzenmacher, Paul Nathanson, Nancy Shurtz, and Scott Taylor.

The faculty adopted the following conditions regarding a writing class taught by Dr. Michele Minnis in the spring semester: All first year students below 2.0 will be required to take the three-credit Expository Writing course next semester in place of an elective. The dean was given the discretion to excuse any student from the course. The full range of grading is available to the instructor, although the grade will not be counted in the student's grade point average. However, the letter grade may contribute to making retention decisions.

Winograd reported the Admissions Committee's recommendation that no disclosure of the vote regarding admission of any applicant to the law school will be made to that applicant or other applicants or students. The faculty agreed.

As to probation and suspension matters, the following action was taken:

Placed on probation all first year students (with the exception of Alexander King and Terry Seaton) who fell below 2.0. Subsequent voting suspended Mr. King and Mr. Seaton.

Academically suspended, with permission to petition to remain, were: Elmer Aragon, James Carroll, Rudy Martín, Ron Valencia, and Gary Willis.

Placed or continued on probation were: Lorene Ferguson, Ione Gutierrez, Frances Jue, Juan José Martinez, Michael Petoskey, and Orlando Sandoval.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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