HUNTER COLLEGE

City University of New York
OFFICE OF THE HUNTER COLLEGE SENATE

MINUTES

Regular Meeting of the Hunter College Senate 9 November 1976

	3744 The eighty second meeting of the Hunter College Senate was convened at 4:45 p.m. at the Playhouse.	1 2
Presiding:	Rena C. Gropper, Chair	3
Attendance:	The elected members of the Senate with the exception of those listed in Appendix I.	4 5
Minutes:	The Minutes of October 5th were approved with the correction that Ms. Nina Cranton and Prof. Irving Eckman be noted as present at the meeting.	6 7 8
	The Minutes of October 19th were approved with the following correction: p.410, line 42 should read: Sally Ritter-Graduate-Social Sciences	: 9 10
Report by the Ombudsman:	The following is a summary statement of Ombudsman Sherover's report to the Senate:	11
	Mrs. Iris Stainback will serve as the Ombudsman's secretary, but is still filling in until the Senate Office gets a new secretary. Consequently, the organization of the Ombudsman's office has been slower than anticipated.	12 13 14 15
	In the two weeks in which we have been in operation, 7 faculty, 4 students, and one administrator have invoked the services of the office.	16 17 18
	The Ombudsman has met with an informal consultation committee, consisting of faculty and student leaders and has been urged by them to pursue several channels of activities including the codification of student rules and regulations, a proposal which, interestingly enough, came from several faculty members.	19 20 21 22 23
Report by the Administrative Committee:	Prof. Sylvia Fishman, Secretary of the Senate, informed the Senate of the following:	24 25
Commit elec.	 We have been advised that President Wexler, Provost Schneewind, Dean Blank and Dean Freund have been summoned to 80th Street, and will therefore, in all probability, not be able to attend this meeting. 	26 27 28 29
	2. Please be advised that the Senate Steering Committee has authorized the establishment of an ad-hoc committee—The Senate Coordinating Committee for College Restructuring." This Committee will function under the auspices of the Senate and is an expanded version of the Provost's Advisory Committee on the Budget Crisis. As such, membership will include:	30 31 32 33 34 35
	Prof. Elizabeth Beaujour Prof. Esther Flashner Prof. William Shanahan Prof. Thomas Burke Mr. Mark Spector Mr. Warren Nagel	36 37 38 39 40 41
	The Administrative Committee had asked the Nominating Committee to select and to present to the Senate the names of additional members to serve on this committee.	42 43 44
Report by the Nominating Committee:	Nominating Committee Prof. Ruth Gonchar, Chairman of the Committee, presented the report as follows:	45 46 47

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1. Moved for approval of the following state for additional membership on the "Coordinating Committee for College Restructuring:"	49
Faculty: Edwin Abbot - Chemistry Robert Tannenbaum - School of Health Sciences	50 51
Faculty Alternates: 1st Alternate: Beverly Sowande - Academic Skills 2nd Alternate: Judith Dederick - Educational Foundations	52 53
Student: Dorothy Ellis - SGS Student Alternate: Cynthia Smith - Day	54 55
Mr. Weissman moved that membership of this committee be expanded to to consist of 6 faculty and 6 student members.	56 57
After discussion, Prof. Tannenbaum moved that the motion be amended by substituting:	58 59
The Senate creates a Coordinating Committee for College Restructuring, to consist of 6 faculty members and 6 student members, chosen to represent all divisions and sessions of the college.	60 61 62 63
Mr. Weissman moved that this motion be amended by adding:	64
that there is to be some representation of at least one of the three student governments.	65 66
This amendment was accepted by the mover.	67
After discussion the question was called.	68
The motion to substitute carried.	69
The substitute motion as amended (lines 60 to 66) carried by hand vote.	70
After further discussion, a motion to reconsider carried with 59 in favor and 29 opposed.	71 72
Prof. Basquin then moved that the motion be amended by substitution as follows:	73 74
The Senate creates a Coordinating Committee for College Restructuring, consisting of 12 members6 faculty members and 6 student membersand including (among either faculty or students) representatives of all divisions and sessions and at least one representative of one of the student governments.	75 76 77 78 79
The motion to substitute carried with 48 in favor and 44 opposed and Prof. Basquin's motion became the main motion on the floor.	80 81
The motion carried with 58 in favor and 31 opposed.	82
The floor was then opened for additional nominations.	83
The following were nominated from the floor:	84
Florence Schwartz - School of Social Work Neil Callender - SGS student Sam Catechis - Day student Joan Buxbaum - Educational Foundations Barbara Johnson - Graduate Student - Nursing Leonard Shine - Day student Sam Korn - Psychology Brett Landow - Day student Sally Ritter - Graduate Student - Social Sciences	85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93
A motion to close nominations was seconded and carried.	94

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	Advisory Committee be considered members of this committee and that others be added.	96 97
	After discussion the motion was defeated.	98
	The Chair informed the Senate that the present members of the Beaujour Advisory Committee will meet as a sub-committee of the Administrative Committee until the Senate establishes membership as per the above mandates.	99 100 101 102
	It was agreed that paper ballots be made available for voting at the next meeting.	103
2.	Prof. Gonchar then presented the Committee's slate for membership on the "Ad-hoc Committee for the Review of Student Recruitment Practices," consisting of 4 faculty and 4 student members, and moved for approval of the entire slate. The motion carried and the following were elected:	105 106 107 108 109
	Faculty: Peter Caws - Philosophy Florence Hartstein - Student Services Carl Johnson - Educational Foundations Thomas Burgess - Psychology Faculty Alternate: Shirley Raps - Biology	110 111 112 113 114
	Students: Neil Dornbaum - Day Brett Landow - Day Sheppard McDaniel - SGS Susan Lynch - Day	115 116 117 118
Report by the Undergraduate Course of Study Committee:	Undergraduate Course of Study Committee Prof. Robert July, Chairman of the Committee, presented the Report dated 19 October 1976 and moved for approval of item U-260 (Romance Languages).	119 120 121 122
	The motion carried by voice vote.	123
	Prof. July separately moved for acceptance of item U-262 (Biology and Geology & Geography) and U-261 (Home Economics).	124 125
	After discussion and clarification, the motion to approve U-262 carried with the provision that the Department and Committee work out clarification of the sentence: "May not be taken for credit with 30 320 or 322," under course 30.220.	126 127 128 129
	After it was moved and carried that the meeting be continued, and after brief discussion, the motion to approve U-261 carried.	130 131
	A motion to adjourn carried and the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.	132 133

Prof. Matthews moved that the present members of the Beaujour

Respectfully submitted,

Sylvid Fishman, Secretary

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APPENDIX I

The following members are noted as absent from the meeting:

FACULTY:

Academic Skills: Adaeze Otue

Anthropology: Stephen Kowalewski

Biology: Edward Balboni

Black&P.R.Studies: Edgardo Lopez-Ferrer

Mavis Campbell "E"

Jose M. Torres-Santiago Frank Pohole

Chemistry: Richard Wiley

Horst Hoyer

Communications: James Aronson

Economics: Alvin Kabot

Health&Phys.Ed.: Dorothy Vislocky

Mathematics: Sandra Clarkson "E"

Social Work: Joel Walker

Sociology: Celia Heller

Dean Joachim Weyl "E"

STUDENTS:

Academic Skills Students:

Debra Slade Debra Pinkston

Nymia Figueroa

Day Session Students:

Aida Luz Mendez "E" Nina Cranton "E"

Naomi Sawelson "E"

Michele Mayer "E"

Neil Dornbaum

Richard Van Nort

Robert Horn

SGS Students:

Stanley Sachs

Marie Ann Flynn "E"

David Parry

Monica Safford Susan O'Shea

Peter Consoli

Vincent Evans

Phil Ward

William Ward