MONTGOMERY COLLEGE GOVERNANCE

Rockville Campus Council May 4, 2021 via Zoom 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Attendees:

- Members present: Christine Crefton (Chair), Carrie Fitzgerald (Vice Chair), Nghi Nguyen (Secretary), James Mitchell, Katherine M. Goldstein, Jennifer Page, Chantal Vilmar, Andre Ferguson, Joanne Carl, and Justin 'Matt' Hicks.
- Proxies present: -
- Members Absent: Veronica Carbajal and John Coliton
- Invited Guests: Dr. Kimberly Kelley, James Gillis, Carla Ammerman, Sullivan (Jillian) Voss, Elizabeth Ridings, Elizabeth Melanson, Lisa Hackley, and Matthew Sandee.

Call to Order

• The regular meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m., by Chair Christine Crefton.

Constituent Concerns

No constituent concerns.

Approval of Minutes

April minutes were approved. Andre motioned. Carrie seconded.

Dr. Kimberly Kelley, Rockville Campus Provost

- Old Student Services Building
 - Demolition of building is scheduled for Monday, May 10
 - o Plan to do slow-motion photography to experience the demolition
 - Will take about two or three weeks
- Fall Semester
 - Lab classes will be in-person
 - No classes are being held in these buildings: Theatre Arts, Computer Science, Counseling, Art, PE (some rooms will still be used)
 - College will not require employees and students to be vaccinated
 - Discussions on whether more in-person classes should be added
 - Lab and Online Class
 - Looking at strategic locations on campus for students who take in-person labs and who signed up for online class so they can attend these online classes without having to travel home
 - Looking to staff locations
 - Students and employees will need to be masked
 - Students will need to make appointment to use space
 - Wi-fi
 - College wants to have greater free wi-fi access for students who want to use internet access on campus
 - Vending Machine

Increase vending machines on campus for purchase of snacks and drinks

James Gillis, Facilities

- More facilities staff will return after July 4 to prepare for Fall semester
- Finance Lab is almost complete, full completion might be in June/July timeframe
- Mannake Building
 - o Second floor upgrade has been completed, but still a lot more work
 - Third floor work is coming
 - Completion date is sometimes in late July

Carla Ammerman, HR Updates

- Self-reporting website is coming for employees who wants to let the College know they've been vaccinated (voluntary)
- Be on the lookout for email communications on when the College will reopen

Jane-Ellen Miller, IT Updates

- Workday
 - Feature for Workday notices to go to email
 - o Required training information is posted for employees
 - o Employees can view and update benefits in system
 - o Change and update your personal information and emergency contact information
 - o MC Learns for employees to register for professional trainings and workshops
- Computer Labs
 - o IT continues to check and maintain computers on all campuses
 - o Updates are made to computer including software programs, browsers, etc.
- Desktop Replacement
 - If funding is available, there is a plan to remove desktop computers and replace them with laptops
 - Laptop would be provided to all employees with docking station
 - This would allow employees to move around between campuses and still be able to carry around and work on laptop
 - Most full-time employees are now provided with a laptop
 - o Larger monitors will be provided along with laptop and docking station
 - Desktop/PC would be removed from offices
 - o Employees who need PC/desktop/Mac would still be able to keep them

Chair Report

- Microcredentials at MC Information Session May 7 2-3:30 pm. Register through MC Learns
- Register MC Learns for Employee Survey Findings Sessions: 5/5; 5/6; 5/11; 5/19
- Dr. Pollard's Town Hall on May 18 10am
- MCRPA annual retreat May 27 1-4. Register here: https://montgomerycollege.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0lcOuvqDovE9ycwyAAno7FxnPVnZ mCW3iG
- Seeking new digital storytelling interns for fall 2021: https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/humanities/digital-story-telling

- Southern Management Leadership Program: <u>https://mcblogs.montgomerycollege.edu/southern-management-leadership-program</u>
- 2021 Virtual Asian-Pacific Heritage Month Festival: https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/events/asian-pacific-heritage/asian-pacific-month-festival.html
- #MCArtRemote share your work on social media
- Mobile market and pop up pantry updates
- Nominate your colleague for a quarterly staff special recognition award due June 11.
- Professional Development updates reminder to complete required training
- Mark your calendars:
 - Spring Closing Meeting: 10 a.m., Wednesday, May 19: https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/events/opening-or-closing-meeting/index.html
 - Dr. Harry Harden Jr. Student Academic Excellence Honors and Scholars Awards: 4
 p.m., Monday, May 17: https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/events/harry-harden-jr-academic-excellence-awards/
 - Commencement: 10 a.m., Friday, May 21:
 https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/events/commencement/index.html
- Save the date August 14 for 2021 Single Parent Conference: www.montgomerycollege.edu/singleparentconference
- Announcements:
 - We welcomed many speakers this year:
 - September Mental Health with Stephanie Will
 - October Wellness with India Hunter
 - November Enrollment Numbers with John Hamman and met the new Ombuds Allison Whalev
 - December Strategic Planning with Kevin Long
 - March Auxiliary Services with Bradley Bridges
 - April Bystander Training with Katherine Goldstein and Antonette Jones
 - May IT updates with Jane-Ellen Miller
 - We met both of our goals:
 - Support the arts at MC by attending virtual performances
 - Create a newsletter format and send out in the fall to constituents
 - Thank you to the following people who have made this year successful:
 - Carrie Fitzgerald for your two years of service and leadership as Vice Chair this year.
 - Nghi Nguyen for your two years of service and leadership as Secretary for both years.
 - James Mitchell for your two years of service.
 - Chantal Vilmar for your year of service.
 - Andre Ferguson for your active engagement this year and sharing the student perspective with us – Congratulations on your election to serve next year!
 - Congratulations to the incoming council members and elected leaders!

Elections and Nominations

• Chair

- Nominees: Katie Goldstein
- Joanne motioned to install Katie as Chair. Andre seconded.
- o Elected: Katie Goldstein

Vice Chair

- o Nominees: Sullivan (Jillian) Voss
- o Jennifer motioned to install Sullivan as Vice Chair. Joanne seconded.
- Elected: Sullivan Voss
- Joanne Carl volunteered to act as a mentor as needed

Secretary

- Nominees: Jennifer Page
- o Andrew motioned to install Jennifer as Secretary. Justin seconded.
- o *Elected*: Jennifer Page

Meeting Adjourned at 3:12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Nghi Nguyen, Rockville Campus Council Secretary