## Minutes of the Governance Council

## January 28, 2015

Members present: Chauhan, Duffy, Jackson, Nagaraj, Murphy, Vovchuk, Zhang

- 1. The minutes from the December 11 meeting were approved.
- 2. Susan Dinan met with the Council to review and discuss the charges and priorities.
  - a. The Governance Council is on the schedule for March 24 for the Emeritus resolution.
  - b. The UCC should be reaching out to the Governance Council regarding a 1-year extension on maintaining the size of the council.
  - c. The Governance Council should review the two Graduate councils and see if they can/should be consolidated. The co-chairs will reach out to the two Graduate councils regarding this issue.
- 3. The Council reviewed and revised Duffy's recommendation to the Board of Trustees and the Resolution for the Senate regarding Emeritus Status. Both documents were approved after minor revisions.
- 4. The Council explored other possible topics of discussion for the semester and decided to make shared governance a priority for discussion.
- 5. The next meeting of the Governance Council is set for Wednesday, February 25, at 12:40 PM in the Paterson Room of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Vovchuk