

# **MINUTES**

Langara Council Meeting Held on Tuesday, March 18, 2003 Room B201, 0930 Hours

# Members:

Linda Arnold

Barrie Brill

Sharon Chen (absent)

Christina Chow

Deanna Douglas

Rob Dykstra

Martin Gerson

Marg Heldman

Linda Holmes, Chair

Ken Jillings

Terry Kornutiak

Anne MacMillan (absent)

Ken MacMillan

Verna Magee Shepherd

Pam Novak-Cawley

Therese Paradis

David Pepper (absent)

Doug Soo

Dennis Steeves

Gloria Swadden

Lawrence Warren (absent)

Nancy Wickham (absent)

Jason Young

### Visitors:

Lynn Carter

Carolyn Klaasen, LSU

### 1. REVIEW OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved with the following addition:

4. Business Student Competition

## 2. REVIEW OF MINUTES AND BUSINESS ARISING

a. Draft Minutes of the Meeting held Tuesday, March 4, 2003

It was moved by R. Dykstra; seconded by M. Gerson

THAT the minutes of the Langara Council meeting held on March 4, 2003, be approved.

Carried.

# b. 2003/04 Budget

D. Douglas distributed a budget document and reviewed the new operating budget figures, noting that approximately \$158,117 will be set aside for contingency with respect to fringe benefits.

A question was raised regarding additional sections for International Education. It was noted that the plan is for the same number of International Education students in 2003/04 as 2002/03. In addition, D. Douglas noted that plans include 89 incremental sections in 2003/04 over 2002/03.

It was moved by M. Gerson; seconded by J. Young

THAT the document as circulated be the recommendation to the President for the Operating Plan for 2003/04.

Carried.

### 3. Curriculum Items

# a. Report from the Education Council Chair

P. Novak-Cawley provided an Education Council summary report for October 2002 to January 2003. A correction was made to the memo submitted with the agenda, specifically, page 2 should read (correction noted in bold print):

C. New Course Proposals

January 21, 2003 – Education Council Meeting
Biology 2319 – Biological Invasions
Anthropology – ANTH 1123 – Methods in Archaeology: Geospatial Analysis
International Business – INTB 2450, 2430 merged into BUSM 2450. INTB 2450 and 2430 discontinued.

P. Novak-Cawley reported no cost implication.

The report was received for information.

#### 4. Information Items

#### a. Business Student Competition

L. Holmes announced that four Business students, under the leadership of T. Brown, instructor in the Business Department, received a silver medal at the B.C. Business Simulation Competition held in Kelowna, March 13-16, 2003. She noted that this is the first time since 1996 that the college has been able to send a team to this annual competition.

There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 1015 hours.