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MINUTES

Meeting  
of the  
Council of Academic Deans  
July 11, 1989

Dr. Robert V. Haynes called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present included Drs. J. T. Sandefur, Charles E. Kupchella, Ward Hellstrom, Ronnie N. Sutton, Elmer Gray and John H. Petersen. Dr. Sally Ann Strickler represented Dr. Michael Binder and Mr. R. J. Oppitz represented Dr. Michael Brown.

The minutes of the June 20, 1989, Meeting were reviewed and approved.

Dr. Haynes reported that President Thomas C. Meredith has requested information on program opportunities for students with learning disabilities. Dean Sandefur will contact faculty in special education to assist with this.

Dr. Petersen raised for discussion policies for part-time faculty, specifically whether it would be desirable to adopt different policies for regular, continuing part-time faculty and occasional part-timers. This issue will be considered further.

Dr. Sutton briefed the deans on the status of enrollment for the 1989 fall semester. Additional spaces will be needed to accommodate students who have not yet registered. The deans agreed to review this with department heads.

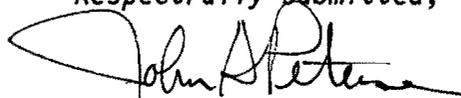
Dr. Kupchella presented a policy proposal for consulting work through the Center for Industry and Technology. The deans endorsed this policy.

Dr. Sutton pointed out that the university has begun using both B.A. and A.B. degree terminology to describe the Bachelor of Arts degree. There was consensus that the university use only one term, A.B., since that has been traditionally used at Western.

The proposal for a special fee for photojournalism students was discussed at length. There was sympathy for the need, but general agreement that special student fees should not be charged for equipment purchases. Dr. Haynes agreed to try to assist with finding funds for the purchase of photo enlargers from other university funds.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



John H. Petersen