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MINUTES

Council of Academic Deans

October 6, 1982

Dr. Davis called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m. Members present included Drs. Robinson, Hellstrom, Gray, Hardin, Lloyd, Sandefur and Petersen. Also present were Mr. Oppitz representing Dr. Nelson, Dr. Robert Hoyt, administrative intern, and Dr. Julia Roberts.

The minutes of the September 22, 1982 meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

Dr. Sandefur introduced Dr. Julia Roberts from the College of Education who will be working this year on a program for gifted and talented children in the Professional Development Network (PDN) school districts. She described her work and requested information from the deans regarding faculty interest in participating in the Advanced Placement Program and possible summer camps for high ability elementary and secondary students. The Advanced Placement Program could provide opportunities for faculty to participate in the testing program and instructing high school teachers of advanced placement students. The summer camps would be two-week programs involving gifted and talented students, teachers interested in working with them on a practicum basis, and university faculty as overall coordinators and instructors.

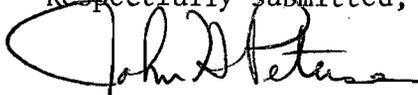
Dr. Robinson briefly discussed the Academic Opportunity Program proposal. Since the deans had not had an opportunity to fully review it, further consideration was deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

The deans discussed application procedures for undistributed development fund grants. It was decided that these applications would be sent directly from the deans' offices to the Vice President for Academic Affairs for review and evaluation before being sent to the President. The Council of Deans would not form a separate review body for the applications. Deadlines for the next round of competition for these grants was set as follows: November 12 - due in deans' offices; November 19 - due in Office of Academic Affairs; December 1 - due in Office of the President.

Dr. Petersen called the attention of the deans to the competition for the Harry S. Truman Scholarship. This is available to outstanding students who will be juniors next year and who are interested in a career in public service.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



John H. Petersen

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