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MINUTES

Meeting  
Council of Academic Deans  
April 30, 1991

Dr. Robert V. Haynes called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present included Drs. Elmer Gray, Ward Hellstrom, Charles E. Kupchella, Carl R. Martray, Ronnie N. Sutton, J. Michael Brown, Michael Binder, John H. Petersen, and Livingston Alexander.

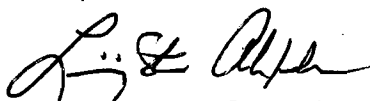
The minutes of the April 23, 1991, meeting were reviewed and approved.

Dr. Haynes Reviewed and discussed with Council members a document (included in agenda packet) summarizing responses which have been made thus far to Western XXI recommendations. Specifically underscored were three directives taken in the Spring Semester, 1991 to: (1) revise the graduate assistantship budget request; (2) review possible overlap/duplication in Marketing, Advertising, and Public Relations programs; and (3) review the Communication Disorders programs.

Dr. Sutton apprised Council members of comments made by Dr. Lawrence Finley in a recent Academic Council meeting regarding the University of Louisville proposal to discontinue certain baccalaureate programs. Dr. Finley wondered if Western viewed as "threat or opportunity" the possibility of eliminating programs in business and teacher education. Dr. Haynes responded that he was monitoring closely the discussions at the University of Louisville, but doubted that there would be direct implications for Western.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Livingston Alexander

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