

LEHMAN COLLEGE SENATE ACADEMIC FREEDOM COMMITTEE
*Minutes of the Meeting Held on February 26, 2014, 3:30-4:30p.m.,
Carman Hall 201*

The Academic Freedom Committee consists of the following members:

Faculty- Robert T. Valentine (History), Chair; Michael Buckley (Philosophy),
Carmen Esteves (Languages & Literature), Mario Gonzalez-Corzo (Economics &
Business), Carl Mazza (Social Work); Gaoyin Qian (Education, administrative
advisor); Peter Alexanderson (Economics & Business, UFS Academic Freedom
Committee liaison)

Students- Christopher Rodriguez, David Tavarez, Jeffrey Townsend

Minutes of the Meeting

Peter Alexanderson, Mario Gonzalez-Corzo and Robert T. Valentine attended the meeting held on Wednesday, February 26, 2014.

Academic Freedom Faculty Survey Update

When I requested access to a faculty list at the last meeting of the Lehman College Senate (February 5), Ron Bergmann graciously offered the services of the IT Center and we have been working with John Dono to prepare the 17-question Faculty Survey (uploaded onto SNAP) for distribution. John established an e-mail account for the Academic Freedom Committee and sent out a test sample of the survey to both Mario and I. From this, we will make the final (technical) revisions and begin the process of distribution. Depending upon the rate of faculty response, we will continue to run the survey for the next few months and collate the data, to be presented to the Lehman College Senate sometime this fall. Many thanks to Mario Gonzalez-Corzo, John Dono, and Ron Bergmann for their indefatigable efforts.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Academic Freedom Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, March 26, 2014 at 3:30p.m., Carman Hall Room 201.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert T. Valentine, Chair