

**College and Graduate School of Arts & Sciences
Minutes of the Faculty Meeting
May 14, 2014**

Dean Sapiro called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

Memorial Resolutions: Professor Larry Ziegler (Chemistry) remembered his recently deceased colleague, Professor Emeritus of Chemistry Standish Hartman.
Professor David Roochnik (Philosophy) remembered his teacher and colleague Professor Emeritus of Philosophy Stanley Rosen.

Dean's Report: Dean Sapiro recalled major accomplishments of the academic year just ended, including the establishment of the new Frederick S. Pardee School of Global Studies.

She introduced the Pardee School's founding dean, Adil Najam (International Studies and Earth & Environment), who outlined his vision for the School.

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to the recognition of faculty achievements and service:

College Teaching Prizes

Gitner Award for Distinguished Teaching in the College of Arts & Sciences: Assistant Professor of Astronomy Andrew West

Neu Family Award for Excellence in Teaching in the College of Arts & Sciences: Borden Parker Bowne Professor of Philosophy Charles Griswold

Frank and Lynne Wisneski Award for Excellence in Teaching in the College of Arts & Sciences: Associate Professor of History Brooke Blower

College of Arts & Sciences Award for Distinction in First Year Undergraduate Education:
Kyna Hamill, Lecturer in the Core Curriculum
Maria Gapotchenko and David Shawn, Senior Lecturers in the Arts & Sciences Writing Program

Dean's Award for Excellence in Graduate Education
Professor of Psychological & Brain Sciences Michael Lyons

Templeton Awards for Excellence in Student Advising

Associate Professor of Astronomy Tereasa Brainerd
Professor of Sociology Julian Go
Andrea Mercurio, Lecturer in Psychological & Brain Sciences

Acknowledgment of College Committee Chairs and Faculty Advisors (see attached)

Acknowledgement of Outgoing Chairs and Directors:

Mary Beaudry (Archaeology)
Gene Jarrett (English)
Fred Kleiner (History of Art & Architecture)
David Roochnik (Philosophy)
Sidney Redner (Physics)
Andrew Bacevich (International Relations)
Michael Lyons (Psychological & Brain Sciences)
Allison Blakely (African American Studies)
Jonathan Klawans (Graduate Division of Religious Studies)
Susan Eckstein (Latin American Studies)
Thomas Barfield (Institute for the Study of Muslim Societies & Civilizations)

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Colleagues paid tribute to faculty members who are retiring this year:

Andrew Bacevich (International Relations)
Allison Blakely (African American Studies and History)
Michael Cohen (Computer Science)
David Fromkin (International Relations)
Paul Goldberg (Archaeology)
Patricia Hills (History of Art & Architecture)
Jaako Hintikka (Philosophy)
Victor Kestenbaum (Philosophy)
Mohammad Mughal (Archaeology)
Alan Olson (Religion)
William Skocpol (Physics)

Automatic Consent Business

All items on the Automatic Consent Agenda were approved without discussion.

New Business. Moved, and unanimously approved by the faculty, were recommendations to the President and Board of Trustees for the award of degrees: PhD (104); MS, MFA, and MA (478); BA (1846).

The meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m. A Sherry Hour followed in CAS 106 to celebrate the appointment of Adil Najam and honor the teaching and mentoring award winners.

Acknowledgements of Faculty Service, 2013–2014

Chairs of Committees:

APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, AND TENURE COMMITTEE

John Paul Riquelme (English)

LECTURER PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Takashi Kimura (Mathematics & Statistics)

ACADEMIC POLICY COMMITTEE

Jeffrey Rubin (History)

GRADUATE ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Matthew Szczesny (Mathematics & Statistics)

CURRICULUM COMMITTEES

HUMANITIES:	Peter Schwartz (MLCL)
NATURAL SCIENCES:	Elizabeth Blanton (Astronomy)
SOCIAL SCIENCES:	Ricardo Elia (Archaeology)

AUGUSTUS HOWE BUCK EDUCATION FUND COMMITTEE

Julia Brown (English)

We are also grateful to the many dedicated members of those and other important CAS and GRS committees that have done excellent service this year, including:

- The Undergraduate Academic Conduct Committee
- The Teaching Award Committee
- The Graduate Research Abroad Committee,
- The Martin Luther King Fellowship Committee
- The Summer Research Fellowship Committee.

CAS Academic Advisors:

Ethan Baxter (Earth & Environment)

Michael Danti (Archaeology)

Ashis Gangopadhyay (Mathematics & Statistics)

Kyna Hamill (Core Curriculum)

Anna Henschman (English)

Leland Monk (English)

Cathal Nolan (History)

James Siemon (English)

Royce Wates (Music)

Secretary to the Faculty: Patricia Hills (History of Art & Architecture)