

**PUBLIC RELATIONS FACULTY MEETING MINUTES**

April 24, 2020 2-3 p.m.

Zoom

Attending: Natalie Asorey, Ann Christiano, Marcia DiStaso, Mary Ann Ferguson, Pat Ford, Jay Hmielowski, Linda Hon, Myiah Hutchens, Spiro Kioussis, Moon Lee, Rita Men, Mickey Nall, Deanna Pelfrey and Vanessa Wakeman.

- I. **Minutes from 4/9/20 were approved.**
- II. **Update on Certificate in Principles of Public Relations** – DiStaso gave update on Certificate. Faculty agreed that in order to study and take the test, students should have a C or better in all PR core classes.
- III. **Update on Searches** – Kioussis gave update on Karel Chair Search and Asorey gave update on Lecturer Search.
- IV. **Campaigns Clients** – Faculty discussed best practices regarding campaign classes.
- V. **Vote on Advisory Council Members** – DiStaso discussed possible new advisory council members with faculty. New members were voted on, and DiStaso will send the selected people an invitation to join.
- VI. **Open discussion about teaching and students** – Faculty talked about issues that they have heard from students and agreed that it would be good to have another meeting next week to talk about how we can be most helpful to our students.
- VII. **Old/new business** – Talked about need for a department representative to be on the committee to help the college with budget cuts.
- VIII. Meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.