

Agenda

NJIT Institute Faculty Meeting

October 16, 2019

Jim Wise Theater, 2:30 – 4:00 pm

Presiding: Ellen Thomas, Faculty Senate President

1. Approval of minutes of the April 24, 2019 Institute Faculty Meeting minutes. The minutes are posted at: <https://www5.njit.edu/facultysenate/>
2. Faculty Senate Report
3. Recognition of New Faculty
4. Report of the President, Dr. Joel Bloom
5. Report of the Provost
6. Other business

Institute Faculty Meeting Minutes

16 October 2019

Presiding: Ellen Thomas, Faculty Senate President

- The meeting was convened at 2:40 pm without quorum
- Report of the President of the Faculty Senate
 - Introduction of Faculty Senators
 - 2019-2020 priorities for Faculty Senate
 - Evaluation of administrators
 - Presidential search process in collaboration with BoT
 - Assess academic programs and non-academic departments (new) in preparation for Middle States Accreditation in Spring 2022
 - Finalize revision of the process of promotion to Distinguished Professor
 - Scheduling. Simulation using Infosilem to compare to the current hybrid scheduling system
 - Teaching loads and TAC
 - Curriculum updates and evaluation of courses for GER
 - NJ State mandate on open access textbooks
 - Ad hoc committees
 - Student evaluations
 - Ad hoc committee on budget priorities on infrastructure
 - New t/tt faculty were introduced
 - 100% representation by new faculty in MTSM!!
- Report of the President, Dr. Joel Bloom
 - Note that President Bloom's term ends in 2022
 - Kudos
 - R1
 - #1 nationally in Student Economic Mobility
 - #97 on US News
 - Etc.
 - Opportunities
 - 2025 "Building on a strong foundation"
 - Current and emerging Curriculum and co-curriculum, degree programs, etc
 - Continued planned growth – eg with the Florist property
 - A 'preferred' place to learn and work – reputation/prominence
 - Improved outcomes (KPIs), new benchmark/aspirant
 - Challenges
 - State funding
 - Etc.
- Report of the Provost
 - Review process and contents of Building on a Strong Foundation – NJIT 2025

- Approval of minutes of the April 24, 2019 Institute Faculty Meeting minutes.
The minutes are posted at: <https://www5.njit.edu/facultysenate/>
 - Minutes were not voted on because quorum was not met.
- Other business
 - None
- Meeting concluded without quorum shortly after 4 pm?