Lectures, Seminars and Awards Committee February 5, 2018

Present: Meg Kamman, Angela Kohnen, Tim Jacobbe

Absent: Cliff Haynes, Jacqueline Swank, Nancy Corbett (FPC rep), Thomasenia Adams, Nancy Waldron

MINUTES

- I. Diversity and Equity in Education Speaker Series
 - Reviewed last year's proposal along with sample series from other institutions
 - Discussed how to involve the local community and school district, to expand our effort beyond just speakers
 - LSAC Chair, Angela Kohnen, met with Shon Smith (chair of the diversity committee) right after the LSAC meeting, reviewed the previous proposal and discussed what might happen moving forward. It seems like 3 speakers/events is a reasonable number (and one that kept coming up in previous documents and in the other speaker series we were given from other universities). The committee is putting together a proposal where each of the schools in COE would take the lead on one of the events: STL to kick off, followed by SESPECS and then HDOSE for the final event. Shon is soliciting input from HDOSE and Meg from SESPECS on speakers or topic ideas and Angie Kohnen is gathering input from STL.

II. Upcoming awards:

- Graduate Student Awards available to review 2/27/2018
- Excellent Assistant Professor award (materials available around 3/5)
- Haines and Rosser awards (both due 3/19)

III. Next Meeting: 3/13/18