**Faculty Senators** March 26, 2021

**represents senator in AY 20-21 appointment in AY 20-21 senator AY 21-22 appointment in AY 21-22**

Arts + Humanities Jessica Barnes-Pietruszynski 1 of 3 second term Jessica Barnes-Pietruszynski 2 of 3 second term

Josh Martin 1 of 3 first term Josh Martin 2 of 3 first term

Chris Clark 3 of 3 second term election 1 of 3 first term

(alt.) unfilled 1 of 1 (alt.) election \* 1 of 1

Business + Social Sciences Mehdi Seyedmonir 2 of 3 second term Mehdi Seyedmonir 3 of 3 second term

Mike Workman 3 of 3 first term election 1 of 3 Mike is re-electable

Rebecca Francis 3 of 3 first term election 1 of 3 Rebecca is re-electable

(alt.) unfilled 1 of 1 (alt.) election \* 1 of 1

Library Michael Casey 2 of 3 second term election

Ed Lomax 1 of 3 first term Ed Lomax 2 of 3 first term

(alt.) unfilled 1 of 1 (alt.) election \* 1 of 1

Natural Sciences + Math Mohammad Bhuiyan 1 of 3 first term Mohammad "Towhid" Bhuiyan 2 of 3 first term

Tim Ruhnke 3 of 3 first term Tim Ruhnke 1 of 3 second term

Rich Ford 2 of 3 second term Rich Ford 3 of 3 second term

(alt.) Sonya Armstrong 1 of 1 (alt.) Jasmine Collins 1 of 1 first term

Professional Studies Leighann Davidson 2 of 3 first term Leighann Davidson 3 of 3 first term

Lindsey Good 1 of 3 second term Lindsey Good 2 of 3 second term

(alt.) Jay Canterbury 1 of 1 (alt.) Alicia Lewis 1 of 1

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**From the Senate Constitution:**

**Article V. Electorate**

The electorate is comprised of full-time members of the faculty, including department chairs, deans, and other members of the faculty who would normally qualify except for special temporary assignments, full-time librarians and counselors, and personnel of GRDI.

**From the Senate By-Laws:**

**ARTICLE II: ELECTIONS**

**A.** **Senate:**

1. The members of the four colleges, the Librarians and Counselors and GRDI shall elect members of the Senate and Senate Alternates during the first week of March. The names of the elected members shall be submitted to the Senate and the general faculty. Newly elected Senators and Senate Alternates shall take office at an appropriate time during the regular Senate meeting in May, after which the newly constituted membership of the Senate will elect those of its officers who are to be elected, namely Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, and Historian.

2. Each elected Senator shall be elected for a three (3) year term except for the first election. The first election shall be divided so as to have at least 1/3 of the Senators elected for one year terms, 1/3 for two-year terms, and 1/3 for three-year terms. The Executive Committee shall determine the specific terms for the first election. Senate alternates shall be elected for one-year terms. No Senator shall serve more than two (2) consecutive terms or more than seven (7) consecutive years.

3. \* The Senate alternate shall be the nominee receiving the next highest vote at the college or division elections. In cases where there is only one nominee, an alternate shall be elected.

**ARTICLE VIII: VACANCIES on COMMITTEES and in the SENATE**

**B. Vacancies in the Senate:**

1. If a Senator fails to attend three consecutive regularly scheduled meetings, the Senate may by majority vote, expel the member and declare the seat vacant.

2. The Chairperson of the Senate shall appoint a member of the electorate. This person should have qualifications, which are similar to those of the previous occupant.