Bloomington Faculty Council, Student Academic Appointee Affairs Committee Minutes Tuesday, April 23, 2024, 2:00pm-3:00pm Ballantine Hall 139

Present: Carolyn Calloway-Thomas, Joshua Pascal, David Daleke, Allen Davis, Deborah Snaddon, Amanda Diekman, Jon Macy, Elijah Beaton

Last Meeting Minutes Approved.

Daleke says academic data incoming at end of semester. Looking for folks to work on that over the summer: Calloway-Thomas, Davis, Macy, and Beaton in addition to Daleke volunteered to do that. Get something in place for the Biennial Report.

Calloway-Thomas and Pascal will work on end of year report for the BFC.

Graduate Student handout describing the living wage as 41k. This is based on the MIT calculation for no dependents. This flyer is considered misleading by some faculty. Some worry that this flyer loses credibility among faculty. Suggestion that the IGWC hone their arguments to be more persuasive and empirical.

What is a metric can we agree on to articulate graduate student funding? Is employment a good way to understand financial support or not?

## In report to BFC:

- Review all policies for SAAs for completeness and consistency;
- Review/define charge to this committee to lay the groundwork for the future iterations of this committee.