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SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY SENATE REPORT
December Meeting
1966

*Openness of Senate
Student Rep. School
Library.
Grad. diplomas
Caldwell*

1. New Senators

The Senate welcomed David Berg, R. J. C. Harper, Gerald Sperling, and Warren Williams, attending their first meeting of Senate as three year elected representatives of Joint Faculty.

2. Openness of Senate Meetings and Student Representation

The Registrar reported that the Committee formed after the last meeting of Senate to consider these questions was holding meetings and hope to have a report ready for distribution to Senators before the January meeting of Senate.

3. Senate Library Committee

Senate accepted with regret the resignation of Mrs. I. Koerner from the Library Committee, and elected J.L. Dampier to replace her. Membership in the Senate Library Committee is as follow:

R. J. Baker
D. A. Baird
S. K. Lower
P. Stigger
I. Garland
W. Whiteley
D. Mather
P. D. McTaggart-Cowan
J. L. Dampier
W. Vidaver

4. Graduation Diplomas

Two possible designs were presented, but Senate decided to refer the matter back to the President's Committee on Works of Art for further consideration.

5. New Courses for Spring Semester, 1967

The following new courses wer approved. All will be offered in the coming semester.

Communications 100-3 - Exploration in Communication

Communications 200-3 - Theory and Process of Communications

Communications 300-5 - Learning and Creativity

Communications 400-5 - Dynamics of Communications and Innovation

Professional Foundations 450-3, Seminar in Professional Problems

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Lacuna
Cuso

Behavioral Science Foundation 424-5 - Behavioral Research in
School Societies

Physiology

History 222-3 - Nineteenth Century Europe

History 261-3 - The Overseas Expansion and Impact of Europe
After 1815

History 441-5 - United States as a World Power: Foreign Policy

History 443-5 - Cultural and Political History of Canada:
The Development of English Speaking Canada

History 491-3 - (Honors Seminar) - Research Methods

Philosophy 434-3 - Kant

Philosophy 440-5 - Seminar I

French 105-1 - Elementary French

German 105-1 - Elementary German

Russian 105-1 - Elementary Russian

Spanish 105-1 - Elementary Spanish

Hindi 100-3 - Introductory Hindi

Biological Sciences 408-3 - Biophysics

Chemistry 201-3 - Bonding, Structure and Stereochemistry

6. C. U. S. O. Training Program

Senate endorsed T. B. Bottomore's proposal that he and his colleagues undertake the C. U. S. O. Asian training program in the summer of 1967.

7. Summer School in Solid State Physics

Senate endorsed R. R. Haering's proposal that he and his colleagues sponsor a summer school in solid state physics in the summer of 1967.

8. Degree Program in the Study of Human Movement

A proposal to establish an interdisciplinary degree program in the Study of Human Movement, resulted in the setting up of an ad hoc committee to bring forward to the next meeting of Senate, recommendations regarding this program and whether or not a B. Sc. should be granted for it. The members of the ad hoc committee are:

D. G. Tuck
W. Vidaver
F. B. Collinge
J. Tietz
G. Kirchner
N. Robinson

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Interdisciplinary Programs
Admissions & Standing
Sen Ed.

The question of a Continuing Senate Committee on Interdisciplinary Programs was deferred until the next meeting of Senate.

9. Granting of M. Sc. Degree on Weng-Yek Lee

The M. Sc. Degree (chemistry) was granted to Weng-Yek Lee, who transferred to Simon Fraser University from the University of Manitoba in the Fall of 1965 along with his supervisor, A. M. Unrau. Weng-Yek Lee's thesis is entitled 'Comparative Studies of Amylases in an Alien Genome Combinant'.

10. Committee on Undergraduate Admissions and Standings

The resignation of F. Candelaria from this committee was accepted with regret and W. Williams was elected in his place. Membership in the Senate Committee on Undergraduate Admissions and Standings is as follows:

D. P. Robertson - Chairman
J. F. Ellis
J. Day
R. R. Haering
E. M. Shoemaker
D. Bettison
W. Williams
L. Wilson
D. Meyers

11. General Education Courses

The Faculty of Education presented a proposal regarding General Education Courses, the major points of which were: that the present regulations requiring two general education courses be abolished; that an intergrated general education program composed of credit courses such as the Communications courses, and non credit general education services such as Workshops, Open Discussion Groups, and Technical Instructions, be established under the guidance of a Coordinating Committee on General Education to be established in the Faculty of Education; that this proposal be effective January 1, 1967.

This recommendation was referred to the Faculties of Arts and Sciences for comment and will be discussed again at the next Senate Meeting.

12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of Senate will be Monday, January 9, ¹⁹⁶⁷~~1966~~ at 1:30 PM.

D. P. Robertson
Registrar and
Secretary of Senate