

DEPARTMENT OF EARTH SCIENCES

Closed Departmental Meeting
Monday April 15th, 2019 at 12:10 pm

In Attendance:

Andy Calvert, Brendan Dyck, Dan Gibson, Cindy Hansen, Dan Marshall, James MacEachern, Jessica Pilarczyk, Brent Ward (Chair), Glyn Williams-Jones, Bonnie Karhukangas, Tarja Vaisanen

Not attending: Diana Allen, Kevin Cameron, Shahin Dashtgard, Robbie Donald, Dirk Kirste, Gwenn Flowers, Doug Stead, Derek Thorkelson, Eileen van der Flier-Keller

Adjunct Proposal: B. Ward

- i. Brent submitted proposal for Daniel Layton-Matthews as an EASC Adjunct. Dan has a broad geochemical repertoire with access to a large range of analytical machinery. He could offer collaboration with other faculty members, and serve on graduate committees.

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- ii. Brent submitted proposal for John Gosse as an EASC Adjunct. John is a renown expert in Terrestrial Cosmogenic Nuclides (TCN) and would be an asset to serve on graduate committees, and continue to collaborate with Brent on dating glacial events.

Associate Proposal: B. Ward

- iii. Brent submitted proposal for Jeremy Venditti as an EASC Associate Member. Jeremy already has interaction with EASC students committees, and having him as an Associate Member would strengthen our connection with the Environmental Sciences Program.
Discussion: there were some concerns about funding being taken away from the department.

Due to time constraints an email will be sent around for faculty to vote for all proposals. (Note: Online vote in favor of Dan Layton-Matthews & John Gosse becoming Adjuncts, and Jeremy Venditti becoming an Associate Member in Earth Sciences.)