### **University Senates Conference**

# Statutes and Governance Committee Record of Conversation

DATE: Thursday, August 7, 2025

PLACE: University of Illinois Chicago University of Illinois Springfield

Richard Daley Library, Room 3-192 University Hall Building, Room 2010

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University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Henry Administration Building, Room 380

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PRESENT: De Groote, Fisher, Floros, Moorhouse, Tolliver (online)

ABSENT: Hale, Maher, Wink

GUESTS: Charles Roseman

#### I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:03 p.m. by Professor De Groote. The meeting could not be conducted due to lack of a physical quorum.

# II. Approval of remote participation

None

### III. Public Comment

None

### IV. Approval of minutes from

None

### V. Today's Business

#### a. Discuss ST-83

Professor De Groote shared a copy of ST-83 and noted that she highlighted the areas where at least one Senate commented on an edit. This allows one to review ST-83 and see the areas where there are edits but no comments.

The group had a discussion only about how to potentially move forward in addressing specifics:

- i. Talked about process to address the suggestions—group consensus was to go article by article (not necessarily in order) and revisions will be made as appropriate, and an explanation of further changes made will be recorded
- ii. Suggestion to create one document to explain/ document the additional revisions that were made

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- iii. Discussion of whether it is practical to seek feedback from Senates at different points in the process. No consensus
- iv. Was a discussion of focusing on some of the definitions that were questioned as needing more clarity as a priority, and clarify/remind of the scope of ST-83. i.e. define "faculty". Also noted need to include HR and other units as appropriate when working on specific sections.
- v. The committee noted it will meet with HR and admin, as certain points, once proposed revisions have been proposed to the various articles

## VI. New Business

None

## VII. <u>Old Business – Action Items</u>

None

# VIII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 2:14 p.m.

Information was provided by Professor De Groote.

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