

**Faculty Senate Executive Committee (FSEC) Minutes**  
**October 03, 2011**

**Members Present:** Dr. Rick Roth, Dr. Rhett Herman, Dr. Jerry Kopf, Dr. Pamela Jackson, Dr. Kay K. Jordan, Dr. Joe Chase

**Members Absent:** None.

**Guests:** Mr. Ed Oakes

**I. Call to Order**

- a. Dr. Roth called the meeting to order at 11:05am.

**II. Approval of Minutes**

- a. The minutes from the FSEC meeting on September 26, 2011 were approved.

**III. Reports and Announcements**

- a. Mr. Ed Oakes, Associate Vice President for Information Technology discussed a number of technology-related issues with the FSEC. Points in the discussion included:
  - i. Mr. Oakes stated that campus emails may only be searched through subpoenas through the Attorney General's office. These would have to have gone through the full Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) process. Only after such a process goes through may a search even be initiated. Searches would then only involve very specific phrases or terms. No broad searches would be permitted.
  - ii. Mr. Oakes stated that the Division of Information Technology (DoIT) is actively working on increasing disk storage quotas for faculty. Dr. Jackson gave the example that she has twice (successfully) requested DoIT to increase her network drive space since so many of her lectures involve PowerPoint presentations that are quite large.
  - iii. Mr. Oakes stated that DoIT is actively working to increase the disk quotas for email storage.
  - iv. Mr. Oakes stated that malware is a growing problem. Dr. Chase discusses how most malware now is actually designed to hide its presence rather than reveal its presence in order to call attention to the originators. He stated that malware now constitutes the largest transfer of wealth in the world due to stealing of passwords, usernames, account information, etc.

**IV. Old Business**

- a. The FSEC discussed possibilities for people to be invited to future FSEC meetings.
- b.

**V. New Business**

- a. None.

**VI. Adjournment**

- a. The meeting adjourned at 11:58am.