



Faculty Assembly Final Meeting Minutes

December 16, 2022

12:00-1:30 pm

Zoom: <https://arizona.zoom.us/j/81766009242>

Primary Faculty and Lecturers Present: Melissa Furlong, *Chair*

Halima Alaofe, Leila Barraza, Jennifer Bea, Scott Carvajal, Felina Cordova-Marks, John Ehiri, Kate Ellingson, Kacey Ernst, Janet Foote, Christine Girard, Kirin Goff, Paul Hsu, Karl Krupp, Chris Lim, Priscilla Magrath, David Marrero, Bridget Murphy, Kelly Palmer, Shannon Newton, Adaeze Oguegbu, Denise Roe, Amanda Soka, Frank von Hippel, Amanda Wilson, Nicole Yuan

Primary Faculty Absent: Mona Arora, Gail Barker, Paloma Beamer, Ed Bedrick, Dean Billheimer, Benjamin Brady, Heidi Brown, Leonard Brown, Jeff Burgess, Stephanie Carroll, Zhao Chen, Chris Cutshaw, Leslie Dennis, Dan Derksen, Brian Dodge, Duke Duncan, Eileen Eisen-Cohen, Leslie Farland, Ibrahim Garba, David Garcia, Joe Gerald, Laura Gronewold, Iman Hakim, Robin Harris, Jennifer Hatcher, Tricia Haynes, Chengcheng Hu, Beth Jacobs, Aminata Kilungo, Yann Klimentidis, Bryna Koch, Mary Koss, Velia Lebas-Nuño, Lifeng Lin, Kimberly Lind, Yiewn Liu, Purnima Madhivanan, Martha Moore-Monroy, Thomas Nuño, Sydney Pettygrove, Kristen Pogreba-Brown, Rustin Reed, Kelly Reynolds, Cecilia Rosales, Antonio Rubio, Refugio Sepulveda, Xiaoxiao Sun, Cynthia Thomson, Terry Urbine, Gabriela Valdez, Marc Verhougstraete

Other MEZCOPH Personnel Present: Blanca Alderete, Jill Bullock, Joy Caron, Cindy Davis, Karina Duenas, Danielle Embry, Courtney Faryab, Ali Gabriel, David Gay, Joyce Hospodar, Maia Ingram, Kerry Johnson, Jing Liu, Jean McClelland, Julie Nguyen, Babasola Oluwatomi Okusanaya, Benjamin Pope, Rachel Ramos, Shipherd Reed, Priscila Ruedas, Jonathan Smith, Dina Suarez, Suzanna Trejo-Robinson, Rodrigo Valenzuela-Cordova, Abba Versace, Georgia Weiss-Elliott, Sarah Yeo

Guests: Marvin Smith, *Police Officer, Public Information Officer, University Police Department*

Meeting Recording: <https://arizona.zoom.us/rec/share/-qidSQPvdWHSDxZrLlTkkjEH8UrPQZ-jH6soDSFGYKdflliaXRgTo9KJ9fU2cV4Z.MygqajoN4gHSAdDH>

1. Review / Approval of September 16, 2022 Meeting minutes (*Melissa Furlong*)

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes. The September 16, 2022 minutes were approved by all voting members present.

2. Updates from Deans and Department Chairs

- Office of Academic Affairs (*John Ehiri*)
Graduation is tomorrow, 7pm, at Centennial Hall. Everyone is invited to attend and support the students.
- HPS Department (*Scott Carvajal*)

The Assistant Dean for Student Affairs search is progressing. The committee has completed first round interviews and are moving forward quickly. They hope to complete the search in early January.

- CEP Department (*Melissa Furlong, John Ehiri*)

The Public Health Policy & Management program housed in CEP has moved to the PHP/TR department. CEP will now consist of Environmental Health Sciences only. The requested change was approved by the Academic Administrators Council this week. It will advance to ABOR for final approval. PHP/TR will be changing its name to Public Health Practice, Policy, and Translational Research.

- EPI/BIOS Department (*John Ehiri*)

The search for a Department Chair is active and ongoing. Four candidates have been invited for first round interviews in January.

3. MEZCOPH Medal metrics (*Melissa Furlong*)

A survey for feedback on the metrics will be sent to faculty in January/February 2023.

4. Flash Talks from MEZCOPH Faculty

- Amanda Sokan



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Dr. Amanda Sokan, Assistant Professor in Public Health Practice, shared a brief introduction to her research.

- Chris Lim



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Dr. Chris Lim, Associate Professor in Epidemiology and Biostatistics, shared a brief introduction to his research.

5. Active Shooter Training Presentation (*Marvin Smith III, Police Officer, Public Information Officer, University Police Department*)



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Officer Marvin Smith provided an Active Shooter Training presentation. This portion of the meeting was open to all MEZCOPH faculty, staff and students.

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 pm.

Changes or corrections to the minutes should be submitted to:
Danielle Embry, *Coordinator, MEZCOPH Academic Curriculum and Faculty Affairs*