

**HONOR COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**SEPTEMBER 18, 2016**

**I. ROLL CALL**

Absent: Ariana Zetlin, Vendarryl Jenkins, Joseph Marchese-Schmitt, Kasey Groves, Shaun Kenney, Anna Cavanaugh, Maggie Rowe, Charlie Strickland, Olivia Sabik, Stephanie Roe

**II. COMMUNITY INPUT**

**III. OFFICER REPORTS**

- A. Katharine Graham—Vice Chair for Community Relations, ARCH
  - a. Reminded school representatives of the requirement to host two events per semester that focus on promoting “little h” Honor
  
- B. Ariana Zetlin—Vice Chair for Education, EDUC
  - a. Not present
  
- C. Sarah Wyckoff—Vice Chair for Investigations, CLAS
  - a. Informed Retraction working group will meet this Wednesday at 7:30PM
  - b. Single Nexus of Events will be a topic, along with language changes
  
- D. Austin Sim —Vice Chair for Hearings, LAW
  - a. Nothing until closed session
  
- E. Matt West —Chair, CLAS
  - a. Will review Support Officer selections during New Business

**IV. REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS**

Katie Deal (CLAS): Updates about Honor Audit Commission

- At its most recent meeting, the Audit Commission had a discussion about what the Community of Trust encompasses, both geographically and how people affiliated with the University represent themselves. Members also discussed the relationships that first year and transfer students, SCPS students, and alumni have with Honor. They are considering studying the reasons for low reporting in certain schools and are working on creating a survey to send to the student body. The commission will study the recent University climate survey and the 2000 Honor Review Commission report while creating this survey, which will include questions belonging to five categories:
  - o Philosophy
  - o Sanctioning
  - o Education and outreach
  - o Efficiency as a bureaucratic unit
  - o Case processing

Corinne Thomas (COMM): Four faculty members attended last week’s Faculty Advisory Committee meeting (all from different schools). At the meeting, Katharine Graham (ARCH,

Vice Chair for Community Relations) and Olivia Sabik (GSAS) introduced the new subcommittee for graduate students. Delivery of a faculty newsletter was another topic of discussion

Katharine Graham (ARCH, Vice Chair for Community Relations): We are looking to invite people to join the “Grad” subcommittee. Olivia Sabik will send emails to prospective members. They are looking for people with a diversity of opinion about Honor and will seek nominations from professors.

Chad Hogan (CLAS): The Policies & Procedures Subcommittee is currently focusing on three conversations: the process by which a student Leaves Admitting Guilty (LAG), current By-laws pertaining to stealing, and the timeline for Honor investigations.

## **V. OLD BUSINESS**

## **VI. NEW BUSINESS**

### **A. Review of Support Officer Selections:**

- 38 students were selected to join the Support Officer pool
- 277 students registered for the exam; 166 students completed the exam; 130 interviewed in the first round; 82 interviewed in the second round
- Demographics of new Support Officer class:
  - o 24 White students; 6 African/African-American students; 4 Asian students; 2 Middle Eastern students; 1 Indian student;
  - o 21 Female; 17 Male
  - o 31 CLAS; 4 SEAS; 2 MED; 1 LAW
  - o 21 first year; 13 second years; 1 third year; 3 grad students
- Matt West (Chair, CLAS) thanked Committee members for their work in the selection process and recognized the contributions of the Senior Support Trainers who coordinated recruitment and selections.
- Jen Yeaton (BATT) is working on a “best practices” document to insure institutional memory and help the next generation do a great job with Recruitment & Training
- Ory Streeter (SMED) asked about the reason why many students who registered for the exam did not complete it. He suggested surveying the students who registered on COLLAB but did not complete the exam to gather information that may be useful for recruitment in future years

## **VII. COMMUNITY INPUT**

None

## **VIII. CLOSED SESSION**