

USI's Masters of Public Administration Society Meeting Minutes

Saturday, February 23, 2013

I. Call to Order

Marilyn Brenton called to order the regular meeting of the Masters of Public Administration Society at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 23, 2013 at Ivy Tech Community College, Room 115.

II. Roll Call

Present for Meeting: Marilyn Brenton, Patrick Exmeyer, Ramona Harvey, Marsha Salee, Susan Sauls, Patrick Seib, Tricia Tieken, and Nick Wildeman

III. Topics Discussed

1. Roll taken

2. Donate MPA books from past courses for future students to use for class, whether as a required book or for reference purposes. Where to house TBD. Tricia Tieken has volunteered to donate all of her books.

3. Officer Reports:

a. M. Brenton (P) – talked about Meet-and-Greet on February 6. The MPA Society gained six new members: Linda Reed, Susan Sauls, Linda Reed, James Shaw, Andrew Hass, and Tom Gentry.

b. R. Harvey (VP) – talked about the cost of publication of brochures. Gave M. Salee copy of those costs. With design at 100 qty it would be \$284. With design at 150 qty it would be \$329. Without design at 100 qty it would be \$114.

c. M. Salee (Treasurer) – MPA Society account up to \$415.59. Still have an outstanding expenditure from Sodexo – hopeful it will be resolved soon.

d. T. Tieken (Secretary) – Discussed missing MPA Minutes. Noted that 11/19/11 by anyone in particular because no positions had yet been decided at this point. Noted that 3/17/12, 7/28/12, and 9/22/12 meetings would be sent as soon as found. 1/5/13 meetings were sent out on 1/5/13. Will resend.

4. MPA Society Fundraising Proposal Spreadsheet

a. Priority Funding List: M. Brenton to send spreadsheet with final prioritization.

- i. Brochures
- ii. Speakers (1 small and 1 big)

1. May be able to do a small speaker in April 2013. S. Sauls to get in touch with Dr. Hanka about a possible person he knows, through the Rotary Club, who worked under the Clinton Administration

2. Planning to do a big speaker in Fall 2014. M. Brenton to see about prices and schedules of three well-known speakers. One of those being David Kettle.

iii. Annual Big Event

1. Having a big event, like the Fall 2012 Reconsolidation debate for Fall 2013. Idea that was liked was the Gun debate that is now going on today. Might use local representative politicians/FBI personnel from Louisville to discuss the laws and procedures related to gun laws. More to be discussed.

- iv. Pins for MPA Students/Graduation
- v. Alumni/Networking Social Event
 - 1. M. Salee to see how other student clubs work with alumni



IV. Adjournment Marilyn Brenton adjourned the meeting at 11:30 a.m.

V. Next Meeting TBD