

MINUTES
HONORS ADVISORY BOARD
Wednesday, March 5, 2014
Cottonwood Room – 12:00 p.m.

Present: Michael McGuire (Chair), Jennifer Ball, John Burns, Emily Engler, Pamela Erickson, Michael Gleason, Andrew Herbig, Martha Imperato, Blair Landon, Denise Ottinger, Bassima Schbley, Ye Wang, and CJ Crawford, administrative support.

The minutes of the December 10 meeting were approved as distributed.

HONORS STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT

New officers were elected in November.

President – Blair Landon
Vice President – Emily Engler
Treasurer – Katy Davis
Secretary – Whitney Earnest

Blair said that the student council is having a bowling social this coming Sunday, March 9.

The Honors banquet is scheduled for Tuesday, March 25 at 6:30 p.m. in the Bradbury Thompson Center.

Students have asked for more service opportunities so the council is participating in the Big Event this spring.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Upper Division Honors Courses

Michael organized a brain storming activity for board members to work on in small groups. Each group wrote down ideas on what makes 300 level courses different from 200 level courses. HN301, HN302, and HN303 have been approved by the Interdisciplinary Committee. He asked the group to identify one honors program or college (preferably regional) to see if there is information on how they distinguish between upper and lower division honors courses.

Completion Points

For the second brain storming activity, each group wrote down ideas as to what a possible tiered system would look like – number of tiers, what is involved with each tier and what the tiers would be called.

NEW BUSINESS

Scholarship Applications

Michael distributed scholarship applications for review and ranking by Friday, March 14.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The next meeting is Wednesday, April 2, 2014 at 12:00 p.m. in the Cottonwood Room.

The meeting adjourned.