COPH Faculty Assembly

Meeting Minutes - DRAFT

2017-06-26

1. Call to order at 10:00

2. Approval of minutes from 2017-05-22 meeting
   a. Minutes approved unanimously by assembly

3. Changes to COPH website (Natalie Preston & Rocky Jalil)
   a. Changes intended to increase website traffic – appears to have been successful thus far
   b. Links for external audience at top; links for internal audience (e.g., faculty) at bottom
   c. If have any trouble with website, should contact Rocky or Natalie

4. Comments by Dean Petersen (see slides)
   a. Student hiring
   b. DrPH & PhD core courses
   c. Research proposal submissions

5. DrPH program (Janice Zgibor)
   a. Roughly 80 students currently in program
   b. Important differences from PhD program, including Qualifying Exam & Dissertation project
   c. Will hold 3 advisor training sessions over the next two weeks

6. Other business / reports
   a. Faculty Senate (Jill Roberts)
      i. Concern among BOG & others regarding textbook costs
      ii. Costs are being calculated for classes
         1. Include all textbooks listed as required or recommended
      iii. Task force being created to study issue

7. Adjourn at 11:00