

Minutes

1. Order/Establishment of Quorum
 - Meeting began at 5:20 pm.
2. Approval of Agenda (Seth/Habiba) - Adopted.
3. Approval of minutes from October 6, 2014 (Jean-Paul/Joanna) - Adopted.
4. Matters arising from old business
 - Political Action Committee
 - A call for nominations was made for the Political Action Committee
5. New Business
 - Reps' Council members had an open discussion with the Negotiating Committee regarding the Collective Bargaining process and issues they would like to have included in the Bargaining Committee's mandate.
 - The Negotiating Committee has visited approximately 40 departments/schools gathering data on various issues and concerns which will be brought forward at the bargaining table.
 - Some issues members have brought forward to the Negotiating Committee:
 - Workload
 - Number of courses professors are teaching
 - Number of students per course
 - Graduate supervision
 - Need for more RFA hires
 - Teaching Assistants
 - Library
 - No support for study leaves
 - More University funding is needed
 - Please inform Ian Sakinofsky (Chair, Negotiating) at isakinof@ryerson.ca of any issues regarding discrimination or any other issues members would like addressed during the negotiating process.
 - The RFA meets with the Administration every 2 or 3 weeks regarding general issues. Members are encouraged to contact André Foucault at afoucault@ryerson.ca or Peter Danziger at danziger@ryerson.ca with any issues they would like addressed with the Administration
6. Meeting adjourned at 6:59 pm.

Next meeting: Wednesday, January 21, 2015 in the International Room, ILC from 4:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.