

LEHMAN COLLEGE
ACADEMIC FREEDOM COMMITTEE
Minutes of the committee meeting
15 OCT 2021

Present: Diane Auslander, Duran Fiack, Shanell Goring, Elgloria Harrison, Kevin Johnson, David Manier (chair), Mohan Vinjamuri

1. A quorum having been established, and minutes of the preceding meeting having been approved via email, the meeting was called to order by Prof. Manier at 2:00 p.m.
2. The question was raised if any members wanted to take over the chair position - no nominations being forthcoming, Prof. Manier agreed to continue as chair.
3. We discussed issues related to modalities (e.g., in-person, online) and class attributes (HyFlex). We began preparing a draft resolution to be submitted to the Lehman Senate.
3. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Members subsequently followed up on our discussions by sharing email messages with one another. By email, we considered changes/additions to the draft resolution we had discussed at the meeting. We reached a consensus and voted by majority (with some abstentions but none voting against) to pass the attached resolution, which will be presented at the next Senate meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
David Manier, Assoc. Professor
Chair and Secretary Pro Tempore

Cc: Sophia Diamantis-Fry