

SIAS Faculty Council Meeting
February 23, 2026, 12:30–1:20 pm
WCG 322 or Zoom: <https://washington.zoom.us/j/96942128957>

| Faculty Council Member | Capacity | Present (P), Absent (A), or Recusal (X) ¹ |
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| Rachel Hershberg | Faculty Council Chair | P |
| Loly Alcaide Ramirez | Vice Chair | P |
| Ji-Hyun Ahn | CAC Representative | P |
| Alex Miller | CAC Representative | P |
| Haley Skipper | SAM Representative | P |
| Jim Gawel | SAM Representative | P |
| Cynthia Howson | SOCS Representative | P |
| Gordon Barnes Jr | SOCS Representative | P |
| Scott Rayermann | Teaching Faculty-at-Large (SAM) | P |
| Sana Khalil | Assistant Professor-at-Large (SOCS) | A |
| Anna Grout Carmona | Dean's Diversity Advisory Council Representative | P |
| Ex-Officio Members | Capacity | (P), (A), or (X) |
| Natalie Eschenbaum | Dean | P |
| Maureen Kennedy | Chair, Committee of Chairs | P |
| Kathleen Pike Jones | Executive Assistant to the Dean | P |
| Julie Masura | APCC Chair | P |
| EC Cline | Executive Council Representative-at-Large | A |
| Non-Member Participant | Capacity | (P), (A), or (X) |
| Jessica Asplund | Director of Academic and Finance Operations | P |
| Kayla-Ann Ojeda | Assistant Director of Operations – Finance | P |
| Brian Rauscher | Assistant Director of Academic Services | P |
| Joyce Dinglasan-Panlilio | Associate Dean of Programs, Operations & Student Engagement | P |
| Sarah A. Chavez | Associate Dean of Faculty & Equity/Inclusion | P |

Guests/Staff/Non-voting faculty members: Ariana Ochoa Camacho, Associate Professor, CAC; Toni Woodman, Lead Advisor

Agenda

1. Ground Rules, Consent Agenda (1 min)
2. Feedback on Proposed Revisions to T&P Guidelines from FC Reps (20 min)
3. W Proposal for THIST 101 (10 min)
4. (If Time Permits) Future Agenda Items (5 min)
5. Dean's Office Updates (2 min)
6. Standing Item: Curricular Updates (3 min)
7. Good of the Order/Updates (3 min)

Votes/Action Summary

1. There were no objections to the 2/9/26 meeting minutes; the minutes were accepted unanimously.
2. Scott Rayermann moves that we put the proposed revisions to the Tenure and Promotion Guidelines on the Faculty Meeting agenda for March 6, 2026; Jim Gawel seconds; **[Yes: 9; No: 0; Abstain: 0]**
3. Scott Rayermann moves that we approve the agenda for the Faculty Meeting on March 6, 2026; Cynthia Howson seconds; **[Yes: 10; No: 0; Abstain: 0]**
4. Cynthia Howson moves to approve adding the W to THIST 101 for Spring 2026 according to the Ad Hoc Policy for W Courses; Scott Rayermann seconds; **[Yes: 10; No: 0; Abstain: 0]**

5. The meeting was adjourned at 1:22 pm.