**Department of Humanities**

**Meeting Minutes**

**Date:** Sept. 8, 2023 — 2:00 p.m.

**Location:** Virtual (Zoom)

**Chair:** Monica Krupinski

**Minutes:** Mike McGowan

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|  | Present | Absent | Excused |
| Chase, W |  | X |  |
| Ciamparella | X |  |  |
| DeMoran | X |  |  |
| Harrington | X |  |  |
| Harrington | X |  |  |
| Krupinski | X |  |  |
| McGowan | X |  |  |
| Mompoint | X |  |  |
| Pritchett | X |  |  |
| Sutter | X |  |  |
| Others |  | | |

1. Opening
   1. Call to Order: 2:00 pm
   2. August Minutes Approved: TBD (when they’re sent out, we’ll approve them)
2. Committee Updates:
   1. Assessment (Monique): What do we want to learn about our students?
      1. Mike: dispositions
      2. Elijah: dispositions and quantifiable data (balanced approach)
      3. Monica: information literacy
   2. PD Committee: Ask Scott Ortolano about funds for travel or books
3. Events Coming Up
   1. 9/15: Application Due to teach Capstone/QEP in 2024 (?s go to Rebecca Harris)
   2. 9/21: “Science of Happiness” (Dr. Catherine Sanderson), 2 pm, Rush Auditorium
   3. 9/29: ARC Presentations, 5-minute Lightening Talks by Faculty
   4. 11/2-11/4, 11/9-11/10: Peter and the Starcatcher in Black Box Theater
4. Action Items
   1. Send Monica an email when you update your Simple Syllabi
   2. HUM2235 asynchronous: brainstorm new activities/assessments for OERs instead of Sayre and send Monica ideas for the course redesign that avoids AI/plagiarism.
   3. Adjunct Faculty Mentoring: Training on 9/22 from 1-2 pm
      1. *Bill Cooney – Mike M.*
      2. *Richard Mosher – Mike M.*
      3. *Len Olsen – Mike M.*
      4. *Stephanie Proulx – Elijah*
      5. *Rebecca Quimby – Les Sutter*
      6. *Joanna Sazonov – Monica*