

Department of Journalism  
Aug. 27, 2018

Attending: Barnett, Basu, Bridis, Calvert, Freeman, Hernandez, Kalyanaraman, Kaplan, LoMonte, Lowe, McAdams, Rodgers, Sheehan, Spiker, Waddell, Walsh-Childers

Meeting opened, 9:35 a.m.

Spiker thanked Walsh-Childers and Lowe for assisting with chair activities in his absence the previous week.

Minutes from previous approved.

Spiker opened discussion and gathered input about three items from first faculty meeting:

Curriculum: Continued discussion of integration of TEL news into JOU. Lowe brought up possibility of one of positions being earmarked to news direction/producing. McAdams asked for list of classes that could move to JOU and from JOU, as well as who is teaching the TEL news courses.

Searches: LoMonte discussed one of the positions being part of the trust initiative (might be a provost position). Barnett suggested that a science journalism position could be important part of trust initiative. Basu asked about the position suggested for international media/cultural comm. McAdams asked if positions could be more senior level; Walsh-Childers suggested that many across campus will want to bring in teams (and this is more senior-level). Lowe asked about finding PhD with broadcast news experience. Rodgers suggested going to Scripps/Ohio U. to ask about such candidates. McAdams brought up issue of master's research track and how that could have an effect on research positions/support. Kalyanaraman asked about possibility of collaborating with other departments.

Assessment measures: Team leaders assigned to develop assessment measures with their groups.

SLO 1: Done

SLO 2: Bridis leader

SLO 3,5: Lowe leader

SLO 4: Calvert leader

Calvert updated department on Zanes visit.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ted Spiker