CJC International Committee 04/11/2025 Minutes of Meeting

1. Welcome & Approval of Minutes

Meeting started at 9:30AM.

Committee members present:

- Faculty representatives: Cynthia Barnett, Chris Chu, Jinping Wang, Dania Alexandrino
- Staff Representative: Max Williams
- UFIC Liaison representative: Cloe Zeidan
- Student representatives: Kristine Crane, Sunny Xu
- Not present: Houston Wells, Cecelia Edelberg, Ted Spiker, Silvana Noriega Saravia
- Also present: Roxane Coche, Lindita Camaj

Crane moves to approve the minutes, Xu seconds, all are in favor. Minutes are approved unanimously.

2. Discussion of selection of new undergraduate and graduate representatives for committee

After discussion of undergraduate students' applications, Alexandrino moved to select Fukuda, and this was seconded. The motion passed. There were two graduate students, Jason Nam and Tse-hsi Chien, and two available slots. They were both selected.

3. Discussion of Dubrovnik visit by Coche

Coche related her experience visiting Croatia as part of the Dubrovnik exchange. It is one of the sunniest places in Croatia, and the university is about the size of CJC itself. She was able to lecture in a few classes while visiting. There is a large push for internationalization of students, due to Croatia having fewer students in new generations. Coche shares next year the Erasmus + grant will not be in place, so any travel will have to be funded with other sources. Dubrovnik will apply again in 2026-2027. Camaj and McNealy will visit in May. Camaj shares that she has a public lecture scheduled and meetings for a potential research project.

4. Other Business

Zeidan, Coche, and Barnett have a meeting scheduled with HdM about the exchange opportunity. Barnett requests recommendations for who should also participate in the call. Coche recommends contacting the PATH office, especially Spiker and Graham. Coche heard from the study abroad for Germany advisor, who stated there is at least one applicant for the Fall. Zeidan met with the Irish diplomats who visited campus. She shares they have a strong travel student visa, for any interested students.

Williams will send out When2Meet to assess availability of all committee members for next year, once assignments are set.

Zeidan moves to adjourn, Williams seconds, Meeting is adjourned unanimously at 10:00 AM.