

MPMT Department Faculty Meeting 10/21/2025 Minutes of Meeting

1. Call to order and minutes from 10/07

Meeting started at 8:30 a.m.

Faculty Present: Carvaines, Coche, Esterline, Fowler, Han, Lee, McNealy, Ostroff, Selepak, Shin, Sorel, Thompson, Wells, Zawahry

Absent: Xu

Also present: Garvey, Ritzenhaler, Kiouisis (from 9 a.m.)

Motion to approve minutes from 9/23 meeting. Motion to approve by Selepak. Second by Thompson. Motion passed.

2. Department Updates

Coche reminded faculty about spring textbook adoptions, syllabuses and ADA compliance for Spring 2026 semester.

Coche called for marshals for December graduation. We will start rotating assignments in spring 2026.

Coche said strategic plan discussion will be on next meeting agenda.

Thompson provided updates from CJC senate:

- Updated immersion policy
- Communicator network platform. Selepak also encouraged faculty to join new MPMT LinkedIn.

3. Curriculum

Coche led discussion on shared Google document where faculty shared thoughts on updating MMC3260.

- Ritzenhaler joined discussion and stated that the course needs updating.
- Coche reviewed discussion points from October 7, 2025.
- “Media Futures”- “New Media Features”- “Technology Change and Communications”
“Changes in Communication Technology” “Future of New Media”
Wells moved to approve the name Future of New Media. Second by Thompson.
Disagreements in discussion led Sorel to suggest tabling for creative time. Tabling was approved.

4. Goals / SLOs for assessment

Coche provided feedback from Associate Dean Spiker on initial draft of goals & SLOs.

- Selepak suggesting track-specific SLOs. Coche will consult with Spiker.

5. New/old business

Executive Associate Dean Kiouisis visited and:

- reported college news including syllabi policy, Canvas accessibility training and compliance, course material attestation.
- reminded faculty of new FEA system for T&P and self-evaluations. No clear information on what this will look like yet.
- announced there is discussion for new four-level annual review system (compared to current Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory) to be implemented.
- said the CJC constitution is being reviewed by CJC senate and invited faculty to participate.
- encouraged faculty to increase student evaluation response rates.
- provided an update on HB1 visas, but federal rules are still being clarified, so there's uncertainty still.

Coche spoke of Ocala film festival for middle and high schools in which MPMT has been asked to speak.

6. Adjournment

McNealy moved to adjourn. Thompson seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:22 a.m.