



## **Faculty Committee on NYU's Global Network**

*Tuesday, April 19, 8:30am-10:00am EST*

### ATTENDANCE

- **Eliot Borenstein** (FAS Russian and Slavic Studies)
- **Adedamola Osinulu**, Liberal Studies
- **Amy Bentley**, Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development (Nutrition & Food Studies)
- **Aurora Wallace**, Undergraduate Academic Affairs Committee (Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development)
- **Ayham Adawi**, Student Government Assembly
- **Benjamin Hary**, Global Sites (FAS Hebrew & Judaic Studies)
- **Danielle Ompad**, School of Global Public Health
- **Erich Dietrich**, Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development
- **Jiawei Zhang**, Leonard N. Stern School of Business
- **Shafer Smith**, Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences
- **Ken Nielsen**, Continuing Contract Faculty Senators Council (NYU Abu Dhabi)
- **Marianne Petit**, Technology-Enhanced Education (Tisch School of the Arts)
- **Maya Kesrouany**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- **Mosette Broderick**, Faculty of Arts and Science (Art History)
- **Nathalie Peutz**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- **Nicolas Graf**, School of Professional Studies
- **Robin Klar**, Rory Meyers College of Nursing
- **Salo V Coslovsky**, Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service
- **Scott Collard**, Division of Libraries
- **Sylvain Cappell**, Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty Senators Council (CIMS)
- **Vasuki Nesiah**, Gallatin School of Individualized Study

### Full-Time Continuing Contract Faculty Senators Council (C-FSC Committee)

- **Alberto Gandolfi**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- **Lauren Davis**, Tisch School of the Arts

### Tenured/Tenure Track Faculty Senators Council (T-FSC Committee)

- **Sylvain Cappell**, Faculty of Arts & Science
- **Alexander C.T. Geppert**, NYU Shanghai
- **Andras Gyorgy**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- **Donna Shelley**, School of Global Public Health
- **Shady Amin**, NYU Abu Dhabi

## MEETING MINUTES

Eliot welcomed members of the Full-Time Continuing Contract Faculty Senators Council (C-FSC) Committee and the Tenured/Tenure Track Faculty Senators Council (T-FSC) Committee to the meeting and provided an overview of what the Faculty Committee on NYU's Global Network has been discussing in the spring semester.

Eliot reported on the committee's discussions with external representatives and leadership and reiterated its long-term, ongoing discussions around faculty representation and the decision-making process. In addition to the three committees, there are also the Site-Specific Advisory Committees (SSACs), which were established to ensure faculty oversight over the curricula at the global sites. . The committee has been committed to finding solutions for alternative models of faculty engagement and is in conversation with SSAC constituents on what this may look like as the new academic year approaches.

Sylvain Cappell, Chair of the Faculty Senate Global Subcommittee, provided an overview of their discussions on faculty mobility and participation at the sites. Similarly, the C-FSC Committee and the T-FSC Committee have had ongoing conversations regarding faculty engagement. Lauren Davis, chair of the C-FSC Committee, discussed the committee's discussions around Global IDBEA and how its values look like at different sites, and how to better promote a culture that incorporates these values. Then, the committee discussed the possibility of finding new governance or representative mechanisms so that faculty who are teaching at the sites might have a voice and communicate with other faculty members.

The committees discussed several ongoing efforts, one of which is the Global Opportunity Grant. The grant would fund workshops, joint projects, colloquia, panels, exhibits, that involve faculty members from one or more portal, local site faculty, and individuals from the community. The grant, in addition to achieving its proposal goals, would also help facilitate relationships among the various faculty groups. The committees then discussed funding and grant opportunities for faculty members more generally. In addition, they noted a greater need for information to flow to faculty members from the sites, and the committees discussed their intention to explore ways to communicate effectively.

The FAC-GNU Committee then discussed hybrid modes for convening in the near future. The committee expressed interest in remaining virtual for the new year in addition to an in-person option at least once during the year. There would be value in meeting in-person because it would build camaraderie within the group and bring members together in ways that a virtual meeting would not.

Lastly, the committees discussed the ongoing Covid lockdown situation at NYU-Shanghai.