

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
University Senate Meeting

Tuesday, May 6, 2008

Hardin Hall

Rebecca Crown Center

Evanston Campus

3:30 p.m.

Refreshments – 3:00 p.m.

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1. Introduction and approval of the minutes of the
May 17, 2007 University Senate meeting Mr. Linzer
 2. Report from the Benefits Subcommittee of the General Faculty
Committee Ms. Jurdy
 3. Report from the General Faculty Committee Mr. Elson
GFC's major activities and issues during 2007-08 academic year:
 - i. Faculty representation on presidential and other search committees
 - ii. Processes for suspension of faculty governance
 - iii. Development of ombudsman program
 - iv. Faculty compensation in light of new AAUP survey (see
<http://www.aaup.org/AAUP/newsroom/2008prs/zreport.htm>)
 4. Proposal for reform of faculty governance Mr. Elson and Mr. Arntson
(see attachments)
 5. Remarks of the Provost Mr. Linzer
 6. Such other matters as may properly come before the Senate