

UMD Commission on Women

Minutes of October 26, 1992 Meeting

Held in Kirby 323 from 12 - 2 p.m. Present were: C. MacLeod (Chair), L. Belote, S. Coultrap-McQuin, D. Forbes, V. Katz (*ex officio*), J. Kritzmire, J. Pribyl, M. Russell-Bogle, C. Spillers, and Teri Williams.

Minutes of the October 12, 1992 meeting were approved.

Discussion of the Working Rules took place.

The "Rules for Replacing Members" draft was approved with an addition reading: **4. In the event there is no runner-up to fill a temporary opening, the Commission will arrange for the replacement.**

The "Rules for Electing a Chair" draft was approved with term of office: **1 (one) year, term limit: 3 (three) consecutive terms,** and an addition reading: **6. The outgoing Chair will remain as a voting *ex officio* member for one year.**

MacLeod was interviewed about the Commission for an article in *The UMD Statesman*. It has not yet appeared.

Details of the arrangements for the Shirley Chisholm event were discussed.

Reminders were given about the teleconference concerning combatting racism and bigotry on Oct. 29, the "Friends of the Commission Meeting" on Nov. 11, and "Until Someone Wakes Up" on Nov. 13.

It was announced that John Hamlin was added to the search committee for the Women's Studies department head.

At 1:00 p.m. 4/5ths of the editorial board of the *Duluth News Tribune* joined the meeting for dialog concerning our opinions about the editorial policies and general overall impression of the newspaper. Editorial staff present were: Linda Hanson (city editor), Bob Jodon (editor), Virgil Swing (editorial page editor), and Jim Heffernon (editorial page associate).

The meeting was adjourned after 2:15 p.m.