ASH meeting April 23, 2010

Minutes

Chair R. Perlis called the meeting to order at 4:10PM.

Members present: Bill Armstrong, Al Burns, R. Perlis, Michelle Wang, and Regina Lawrence.

Also in attendance were L. La Mardrid and Mary Parker.

Old Business: The minutes from the meeting of March 23 were unanimously approved.

New Business:

1. Stacy Haynie e-mailed a copy of the final BoR entrance standards that was voted on by the BoR. A sheet containing this information was handed out to the committee.

2. Keely Knapp, LSU undergraduate, presented a resolution from SG concerning the method by which Latin honors are computed. Currently the minimum of the overall GPA (which includes the LSU GPA) and the LSU GPA is used to compute Latin honors. The SGA resolution requests that, as long as the student has completed at least 54 hours at LSU, only cumulative GPA be used in determining Latin honors. (Point of Information: Current minimum GPA: Summa Cum Laude 3.90, Magna Cum Laude 3.80, Cum Laude 3.70). This was discussed at length after the presentation was finished. Keely Knapp promised to send out the information she collected on the twelve universities LSU considers in its “peer cohort”. The committee decided to wait to receive the collected information before taking any action on the SGA resolution.

3. Nominations for chair of ASH for 2010-2011 were opened. The sole nomination was Bill Armstrong, who was elected by acclamation.

4. This was the final ASH meeting of 2009-2010.

5. The meeting was closed at 5:00PM.