

Meeting Notes

MEETING OF THE ABORIGINAL COUNCIL OF QUEEN S UNIVERSITY (ACQU)

Monday, November 12, 2012- 5:00 . 7:00 pm

Ban Righ Hall, Elspeth Baugh Fireside Room, 10 Bader Lane

I Opening Session

1. Opening Prayer . Marlene Brant Castellano
2. Introductions
3. Adoption of Agenda
4. Adoption of the Meeting Minu tes of April 30th 2012
5. Report from the Co-Chairs

Ms Davis noted the two new Aboriginal language courses that are now on offer and the great interest (enrolment) in the courses.

Ms Brant Castellano noted all of the activity underway at the university . She wants to explore how Council members can become more involved in their advisory role between meetings. She also recounted she had attended the recent Aboriginal Education Councils Gathering, where ~~ž Ž Ž~~ ~~was~~ well represented, made presentations and she suggested the university could host it in the future.

6. Report from the Provost:

x A search is underway for the next Deans

- x Administrative support is being provided by the Department of Languages, Literature and Cultures (LLC). Responsibility is shared among LLC, FDASC and the Aboriginal Council;
- x Next step is to go through three-phase university approval process for launch in Fall 2013.

Discussion:

Dr. Petra Fachinger (working group member) asked why a tenure-track faculty member in

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Dr Santeramo said the LLC department will be guided in its program administration by FDASC and elders. He believes the program will attract both students and professors.

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VII Closing Prayer /Adjournment – Ms Brant Castellano