

December 7, 2018, 11am Political Science Department faculty meeting

Present: Don Haider-Markel, Chair, Nazli Avdan, Christina Bejarano, Hannah Britton, Paul Johnson, John Kennedy, Patrick Miller, Kevin Mullinix, Robert Rohrschneider, Clay Webb, Michael Wuthrich

Absent: Mark Joslyn

Grad Students: none

Don Haider-Markel, Chair, began the meeting with at 11am with a call to approve the minutes, and a motion was made, seconded, and approved by voice vote.

John Kennedy provided an update on the East Asian Security search. The committee had received 115 applications, which were narrowed down to 40 qualified applicants. From that list the committee selected 11 candidates for phone interviews.

The phone interviews shortened the list to 6 acceptable candidates. The search committee (Avdan, Kennedy, and Rohrschneider with Professor Xingong Li, not present, but an outside member) fielded questions about the candidates.

The committee had ranked the candidates as Bang, Bae, Bartlett in the top 3, and Zhang, Lee and Cho constituting an acceptable lower tier.

Secret ballot Approval voting followed with the notion that the department would bring in the top 4 candidates for interviews in early 2019.

The candidates receiving more than 50% in approval voting were: Bang, Bartlett, Bae, and Zhang

With no further motions the committee was instructed to forward the candidate names to the College of for interview approval.

The meeting was adjourned at noon