

## FCAFA Proceedings - 16 February 2024

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Present: Ron Lembo (chair and Professor of Sociology), Matt McGann (Dean of Admission and Financial Aid, ex officio), Cate Zolkos (Dean of Admission, ex officio), Ellen Boucher (Associate Professor of History), Gail Holt (Dean of Financial Aid, ex officio), Jill Miller (Professor of Biology and Environmental Studies), Don Faulstick (guest), Samuel Morse (guest), Megan Lennon (Associate Chief Student Affairs Officer), Sarah Turgeon (guest), Adam Honig (Professor of Economics), Nick Torres '25, Zane Khiry '25

Absent: Arleth Rodrigues '24, Francisco Reyes '24

1. Approval of Meeting Proceedings
2. Athletics & Admission
  - a. The committee continued discussion of the letter sent to FCAFA by Prof. Jessica Reyes
  - b. Samuel Morse shares the athletics committee is in the process of drafting a memo to educate others on the admissions process in athletics
  - c. Dean Cate Zolkos provides insight into the admissions process for all students including athletes
  - d. Don Faulstick discusses the recruiting and vetting process that athletics practices
    - i. Emerging problems with SCOTUS decision
  - e. Discussion on widening the demographics of recruiting
    - i. Athletics and prep schools
    - ii. Culture gap within socioeconomic status of the student body and athletics
  - f. Professor Miller discusses deriving guidance to define an overarching goal on demographics across the student body and athletics