

Minutes of Faculty Meeting 9/22/2010

Agenda: 1. Consider Recommendation of Hiring Committee on fields for recruiting and determine field for 2nd position recruiting this academic year.

Present: Aberbach, Ashbaugh, Banks, Chicone, Chindris, Christiansen, Dostoglou, Edidin, Helfer, Himmelberg, Hofmann, Koldobsky, Li, Makarov, Mitrea, D., Montgomery-Smith, Morpurgo, Qin, Segert, Srinivasan, Verbitsky, Wang, Weston, Zhang

Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m.

Himmelberg reviewed the number of positions available for recruiting in AY2010-11 and in AY2011-12. The positions for AY2011-12 have been approved by Dean Mike O'Brien but will have to be approved by the Provost/Chancellor next Fall Semester.

Dorina Mitrea summarized the process that the Hiring Committee used to arrive at the field below recommended for future hires.

1. Number Theory
2. Geometry/Topology
3. Analysis
- 4-5. Dynamical Systems
- Numerical Analysis
- Applied Mathematics

Following faculty discussion

Dan Edidin moved that the 2nd position for recruiting this academic year be in Number Theory. Steve Hofmann seconded the motion.

Following discussion the motion was approved by a vote of 16 Yes, 0 No

Stephen Montgomery-Smith moved that consideration of fields for recruiting next academic year be deferred until after hiring this year is complete; Stamatis Dostoglou seconded the motion.

Stephen Montgomery-Smith amended the motion to state that the consideration of fields for recruiting during the next academic year be conducted during the Spring Semester 2011 after hiring this academic year is completed. Seconded by Jan Segert

Amendment passed by unanimous vote.

Motion passed by unanimous vote.

Therefore, outcomes of faculty consideration and votes are:

1. The second field for recruiting during AY2010-11 will be in Number Theory
2. The fields for recruiting for next academic year will be determined at a faculty meeting in the spring semester 2011 after hiring for this academic year is completed.

Meeting adjourned 4:45 p.m.