

FRESHMAN ENGLISH POLICY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

April 22, 1985

Attending: Ruszkiewicz, Bertelsen, Byerman, Frost,
Cherry, Daniell, Holt

- I. Call to order at 1:06 p.m. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

- II. Ruszkiewicz reported his discussion with Sutherland concerning the Freshman English Advisory Board recommended in a motion by the FEPC at the previous meeting. Sutherland favored such an approach and agreed to send the proposal to the Executive Committee. Sutherland also agreed that the Assistant Director would serve as secretary to the FEPC next year.

- III. Textbooks

After a summary of the previous three weeks of textbook deliberations, the committee voted, in secret ballots, to choose the following texts:

Handbooks

Corder & Ruszkiewicz, Handbook of Current English, 7th ed.
(Scott, Foresman)
Guth, New Concise Handbook, 1985 printing (Wadsworth)

Rhetorics

Axelrod & Cooper, The St. Martin's Guide to Writing (St. Martin's)
Garrison, How a Writer Works, revised ed. (Harper & Row)
Kinneavy, McCleary & Nakadate, Writing in the Liberal Arts Tradition (Harper & Row)
*Adams, The Writer's Mind (Scott, Foresman)
*Bruffee, A Short Course in Writing, 3rd ed. (Little, Brown)
*Flower, Problem-Solving Strategies in Writing, 2nd ed. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich)

Readers

- Atwan & Vesterman, *One Hundred Major Modern Writers*
(Bobbs-Merrill)
- Kennedy & Kennedy, *The Bedford Reader*, 2nd ed. (St. Martin's)
- Shrodes, Finestone & Shugrue, *The Conscious Reader*, 3rd ed. (Macmillan)
- *Hall, *The Contemporary Essay* (St. Martin's)
- *Sommers & McQuade, *Student Writers at Work* (St. Martin's)
- *Stubbs & Barnet, *The Little, Brown Reader*, 3rd ed. (Little, Brown)
- *Trimmer & Hairston, *The Riverside Reader*, vol. 1, 2nd ed. (Houghton Mifflin)

Ruszkiewicz suggested we invite book representatives to conduct a book fair to show the books.

IV. Assistant Director, 1985-86.

Beth Daniell, one of the applicants for the Assistant Director position, left the meeting at the start of discussions.

Ruszkiewicz named the applicants, discussed each in brief, and reported the unanimous recommendation of the personnel subcommittee that Beth Daniell be selected as Assistant Director.

After a discussion noting the strength of all the applicants, Bertelsen moved that Daniell be chosen. Byerman seconded. The motion was carried unanimously.

V. The meeting was adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

*Indicates "approved variant" selection, for which prior request by instructor is required.