

# November 15 and 18, 2017 LA Meeting Minutes

**FINAL**

## Minutes

National Communication Association  
Legislative Assembly Meeting  
November 15 and 18, 2017  
Dallas, Texas

**Presiding:** Stephen Hartnett, President

**Parliamentarian:** Barry Poyner

**Recording:** Trevor Parry-Giles, Interim Executive Director

## INTRODUCTORY BUSINESS

**Call to Order:** President Hartnett called the 2017 Legislative Assembly (LA) meeting to order at 12:02 p.m. Central time on Wednesday, November 15.

**Preliminary Announcements:** President Hartnett announced the Executive Committee of the LA approved a proposal to convert members-only content to open content on the NCA website.

**Introductions:** Members of the LA were asked to introduce themselves by name and the group represented.

**Credentials Report:** First Vice President Ronald L. Jackson II announced that at 12:21 p.m., 145 delegates were registered from the 185 members of the LA.<sup>1</sup> A motion was made that the roll of delegates submitted be the official roll of the voting members of the assembly. Seconded. Motion carried.

**Standing Rules:** President Hartnett directed the body to the standing rules in the meeting binder. *A motion was made to adopt the standing rules as presented. Seconded. Motion carried.*

**Agenda:** President Beck directed attention to the proposed agenda. *A motion was made to adopt the agenda. Seconded. Motion carried.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Legislative Assembly observed a moment of silence to honor those who have passed away during the past year.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Please see Appendix A for the full list of meeting attendees on Wednesday, November 15

<sup>2</sup> Stephen W. Braden, Melvin DeFleur, Tim Edgar, Fred Kauffeld, Yuhua (Jake) Liang, Henry E. McGuckin, Jr., Trevor Melia, Anthony Mulac, Paul E. Reid, Albert Rintrona III, Thomas M. Scheidel, Lisa M. Schreiber.

Trevor Parry-Giles provided a report from the National Office. Megan Dillow provided a report from the Educational Policies Board on behalf of Scott Myers, Mindy Fenske provided a report from the Research Board, Bonnie Dow provided a report from the Publications Board, Justin Danowski presented the report of the 2017 Nominating Committee on behalf of Navita Cumming James.<sup>3</sup> Both of the candidates for Second Vice-President (David McMahan and Brad Mello) addressed the Assembly.

## **BUSINESS**

**Nominations for the 2018 Committee on Committees:** The LA was asked for nominations for two positions on the 2018 Committee on Committees. Megan Dillow, Janie Harden Fritz, Lee Pierce. Ballots were submitted, and the President said that the results would be announced on Saturday.

**Financial Reports:** President Hartnett introduced Finance Board Director Orlando Taylor to present the financial reports. Taylor talked about the association's financial status from FY 16-17. He informed the LA that NCA received an unqualified opinion on its independent audit, which means its financial statements present fairly its financial position as of the fiscal year's end and the results of its operations for the fiscal year are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. He then talked about the implications of NCA's statements of financial position and cash flow. Taylor also referred the LA to the line-by-line comparison of the FY16-17 budget to actual revenue and expense, which was included in the meeting materials and shows that the association ended the year with a small operating budget surplus. *A motion was made by the Finance Board to adopt the FY16-17 audit report. Discussion ensued. Motion carried.*

Taylor then introduced a proposal for a six-month operating budget from July 1 – December 31. *A motion was made by the Finance Board to adopt the six-month operating budget. Motion Carried.*

Taylor then introduced a proposal for a calendar year operating budget for 2018. *A motion was made by the Finance Board to adopt the calendar year operating budget for 2018. Discussion ensued. Motion carried.*

**Public Statement Resolutions Review:** President Hartnett introduced Resolutions Committee Chair Joseph Mazer to present the resolutions under review.

- 1. A Code of Professional Ethics for the Communication Scholar/Teacher**

- a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised. Motion carried.*

- 2. Credo for Ethical Communication**

- a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*
  - b. Discussion ensued.

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<sup>3</sup> Candidates for Second Vice President: David McMahan, Brad Mello; Candidates for Committee on Committees: Jane Jorgenson, Bree McEwan, Carey Marie Noland, Melissa Tafoya; Candidates for Legislative Assembly: Ariel Gratch, Susanne Jones, Kendra Knight, Lara Lengel, Lana McDonnell, Nicholas Zoffel.

- i. Dana Cloud proposed an amendment to the revised statement.
  - 1. We condemn communication that degrades individuals and humanity ~~through distortion, intimidation, coercion, and violence, and through the expression of intolerance and hatred.~~ Discussion ensued.
    - a. Michael Lechuga proposed an amendment to the amendment.
      - i. “We condemn communication that degrades individuals and humanity through distortion, intimidation, coercion, and violence. ~~and through the expression of intolerance and hatred.~~”
      - ii. *Discussion ensued. Proposed amendment to the amendment failed.*
    - b. Kevin Johnson proposed an amendment to the amendment.
      - i. “We condemn communication that degrades ~~individuals~~ and humanity through distortion, intimidation, coercion, and violence. and through the expression of intolerance and hatred.”
      - ii. *Discussion ensued. Proposed amendment to the amendment failed.*
  - 2. Discussion continued. *Proposed amendment failed.*
- c. Discussion continued. *Motion carried.*

### 3. Credo for Free and Responsible Communication in a Democratic Society

- a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*
- b. Discussion ensued.
  - i. Ashley Mack proposed an amendment to the revised statement.
    - 1. WE DEDICATE ourselves fully to these principles, confident in the belief that reason **and justice** will ultimately prevail ~~in a free marketplace of ideas.~~
    - 2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*
  - ii. An amendment was proposed to the revised statement.
    - 1. WE SUPPORT the proposition that a free society can absorb with equanimity speech which exceeds the boundaries of generally accepted beliefs and mores. ~~that much good and little harm can ensue if we err on the side of freedom, whereas much harm and little good may follow if we err on the side of suppression.~~
    - 2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*
  - iii. Todd Sandel proposed an amendment to the revised statement.
    - 1. ~~WE BELIEVE that freedom of speech and assembly must hold a central position among America’s constitutional principles, and we express our determined support for the right of peaceful expression by any communicative means available.~~
      - a. WE BELIEVE that freedom of speech and assembly are core principles, and we express our determined support for the

right of peaceful expression by any communicative means available.

2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*

c. Discussion continued. *Motion carried.*

**Recess for ten minutes.**

**Reconvened at 10:40 a.m.**

**4. High School Communication Education (Speaking, Listening, and Media Literacy) as a Graduation Requirement**

a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*

b. Discussion ensued.

i. Dakota Horn and Anna Wright proposed an amendment to the revised statement. (Dakota Amendment).

1. To be included along with the original Proposed Revised Revision from June 2017: NCA will develop communication education resources and a strategy to promote these resources including curriculum development and implementation.

2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*

c. Discussion continued. *Motion carried.*

**5. NCA Statement on Diversity**

a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*

b. Discussion ensued.

i. Nina Reich proposed an amendment to the revised statement.

1. ~~The NCA believes communication that promotes dialogue is the first, best, and only acceptable vehicle to address social strife.~~

2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*

ii. Ronald Jackson II proposed an amendment to the revised statement.

1. Change in title of statement: NCA Statement on Diversity, Equity, Access, Justice, and Inclusion.

2. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*

c. Discussion continued.

d. *Motion was made to refer revised statement back to committee with amendments. Motion carried.*

**6. NCA Policy on Affirmative Action and Nondiscrimination**

a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*

b. *Motion carried.*

**7. Role of Communication Courses and Communication Faculty in General Education**

a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee to accept the resolution as revised.*

b. Discussion ensued

i. Lee Pierce proposed an amendment to the revised statement.

1. To be added to Proposed Revised Resolution: NCA further discourages the use of independent presentations or isolated speaking assignment to fulfill oral competency or general education requirements.
2. Discussion ensued.
  - a. An amendment was proposed to replace the first amendment.
    - i. The Pierce Amendment: NCA maintains that student delivery of oral presentations without rigorous training and evaluation by Communication faculty does not constitute Communication competency.
  - b. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment to the amendment passed.*
- c. *Motion was made to refer revised statement back to committee with amendment. Motion carried.*

**New Resolutions:** Mazer introduced three new resolutions for LA consideration

**8. Resolution Regarding State Legislative Limits on Diversity and Inclusion**

- a. President Hartnett recused himself from overseeing discussion since he is author of the statement.
- b. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee for the LA to accept the resolution.*
- c. Discussion ensued.
  - i. An amendment was proposed to add to the proposed statement.
    1. The Floating Caucus Amendment: Therefore, be it also resolved that the NCA, our own body, not support in spirit and monetary forms, these very aforementioned state discriminatory actions by committing, moving forward, to offer viable, officially sanctioned alternatives.
    2. Discussion ensued.
      - a. Ashley Mack proposed an amendment to the amendment.
        - i. Therefore, be it resolved that NCA will be committed, moving forward, to offering viable, officially sanctioned alternatives.
      - b. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment to the amendment failed.*
    3. Discussion continued. *Proposed amendment failed.*
- d. Discussion continued. *Motion carried.*

**Adjournment:** Hartnett adjourned the meeting at 4:02 p.m.

**Call to Order:** President Stephen Hartnett called the 2017 Legislative Assembly meeting to order at 8:02 a.m. on Saturday, November 18.

**Credentials Report:** First Vice President Ronald L. Jackson II announced that at 8:08 a.m. 120 delegates were registered from the 185 members of the LA.<sup>4</sup> *A motion was made the roll of delegates submitted be the official roll of the voting members of this assembly. Seconded. Motion carried.*

**Special Recognition:** President Hartnett and former NCA President Carole Blair recognized members of the association who have provided significant service to NCA. Outgoing Executive Committee Members Christina Beck, Scott Myers and Orlando Taylor as well as outgoing editors John Hess and Katherine Miller. Presidential citations were given to Justin Boren, Navita Cummings James, and Roseann M. Mandziuk for exceptional service to NCA on the Working Group on NCA Diversity; Carolyn Calloway-Thomas and Qingwen Dong for exceptional service as Co-Chairs of NCA’s Task Force on Fostering International Collaborations in the Age of Globalization; Zhi Li and Patrick Shaou-Whea Dodge for exceptional service to NCA’s internationalization efforts by founding the biennial conference on “Communication, Media, and Governance in the Age of Globalization.”; Martin J. Medhurst for exceptional service to NCA’s intellectual community for his life-long commitment to scholarly excellence, free speech, and academic collegiality; The School of Communication at Chapman University for exceptional service to NCA as host of the Mid-Career Scholar’s Workshop; The School of Media & Communication at Bowling Green for exceptional service to NCA as host of the Doctoral Honors Seminar.

**Results from the Election of the 2018 Committee on Committees.** President Hartnett announced that Megan Dillow and Lee Pierce have been elected by the Legislative Assembly to serve on the 2018 Committee on Committees.

**New Resolutions:** Continued

**9. Truthfulness and Use of Accurate and Reliable Facts as a Foundation of Ethical Communication**

- a. Mazer summarized the statement. *A motion was made by the Resolutions Committee for the LA to reject the resolution.*
- b. Discussion ensued. *Motion carried.*

Hartnett called for a vote by the LA to add the following resolution to the agenda. *The LA approved the addition to the agenda by a simple majority vote.*

**10. Discontinuing the Use of Native American Logos, Mascots, and Nicknames in Sports**

- a. Mazer summarized the statement. *The Resolutions Committee forwarded the statement to the LA with no recommendation.*
- b. Discussion ensued.
  - i. Casey Schmitt proposed an amendment to the proposed statement.
    1. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE NATIONAL COMMUNICATION ASSOCIATION call for

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<sup>4</sup> Please see Appendix B for the full list of meeting attendees on Saturday, November 18.

discontinuing the use of Native American logos, mascots, and nicknames ~~in sport~~ **by any group, company, or organization other than tribes themselves.**

2. Remove “in Sport” from the title of the statement.
  - ii. Discussion ensued. *Proposed amendment passed.*
- c. Discussion continued. *Statement was approved.*

President Hartnett recognized Justin Boren, Chair of the Affirmative Action and Intercaucus Committee, to speak on behalf of the AAIC. Boren recommended the LA consider passing the NCA Statement on Diversity with changes to the original recommendation by the Resolutions Committee instead of sending it back to committee. The title would be changed to “NCA Statement on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.” The 2018 Diversity Council (formerly the AAIC) will look further into amending the document in 2018 so that the words “Access” and “Justice” may be added to the document. *A motion was made to approve the resolution as amended. Motion carried.*

**Income-Based Dues Structure Proposal:** President Hartnett introduced Bonnie Dow who presented the LA with a proposed income-based dues structure. Discussion ensued. *A vote was taken on the proposal. The proposal passed.*

**Policy Changes/Revisions Related to Implementation of New Bylaws:** President Hartnett presented the LA with proposed policy changes needing LA approval. President Hartnett recognized Interim Executive Director Trevor Parry-Giles to explain the proposed revisions to the policy manual.

- 1. LA Directors (Formally At-Large Members of the LA) Appointed by the Legislative Assembly.**
  - a. Parry-Giles explained the policy revision.
  - b. Discussion ensued. *Proposal passed.*
- 2. Appointed LA Directors Ineligibility to be Reappointed to the same position**
  - a. Parry-Giles explained the policy revision.
  - b. Discussion ensued. *Proposal passed.*
- 3. Affiliate Organizations**
  - a. Parry-Giles explained the policy revision.
  - b. Discussion ensued. *Proposal passed.*
- 4. Interest Groups**
  - a. Parry-Giles explained the policy revision.
  - b. Discussion ensued.
    - i. Dana Cloud proposed an amendment to the proposal. Cloud Amendment.
      1. While interest groups of NCA may use its NCA funds and speech to support organizations, causes, and actions outside NCA..., (to be added at the beginning of the policy)
      2. Discussion ensued. *Amendment passed.*
  - c. Discussion continued. *A motion was made to send the policy to legal representation. Motion carried.*

From the request of some members of the LA, Vice President Jackson pledged to create a task force looking into convention vendors, contracts, and locations independent of the Convention Committee.

## 5. Doctoral Education Committee (DEC)

- a. Parry-Giles explained the policy revision.
- b. Discussion ensued. *Proposal passed.*

**2017 Committee on Committees Report:** Committee Chair Christina Beck announced the slate of candidates nominated by the committee.<sup>5</sup> *A motion was made by the Committee on Committees to adopt the slate of candidates as presented. Motion carried.*

**Adjournment:** President Hartnett adjourned the meeting at 9:48 a.m.

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<sup>5</sup> Legislative Assembly: Jessy Ohl and Alexis Johnson; Nominating Committee Chair: Rich West; Nominating Committee At-Large Member Elected by the LA: Jayne Cubbage; Nominating Committee for At-Large Positions: Jose Angel Maldonado, Nicole Files-Thompson, Kristen Everhart, Tracy Holden, John Nash, Tiara Na'puti, Melba Velez Ortiz, Erin Watley; Resolutions Committee: Denise Oles-Acevedo, Nicholas Zoffel; Resolutions Committee Extended Term: John Hooker, Helen Sterk; Resolutions Committee Chair: Leah Bryant; Convention Committee: Renee Dupree, Kenneth Lachlan; Teaching and Learning Council: Joseph P. Mazer, Susan Ward; Finance Committee: Raymie McKerrow; Publications Council: Cara Anne Finnegan, Tom Nakayama; Publication Council Chair-Elect: Kevin Barge; Research Council: Norah Dunbar, Tina Harris; Bernard J. Brommel Award Selection Committee: Andrew Ledbetter; Diamond Anniversary Book Award Selection Committee: Aisha Durham, Greg Wise; Donald P. Cushman Award Selection Committee: Kate Magsamen-Conrad, Kenneth Sibal; Douglas W. Ehninger Award Selection Committee: Lisa Corigan; Franklyn S. Haiman Award Selection Committee: Donna Pawlowski; Gerald R. Phillips Award Selection Committee: Stacy Smulowitz; Golden Anniversary Award Selection Committee: Donne Elkins, Kelly Happe, Lijiang Shen; Golder Anniversary Award Selection Committee Chair: Qingwen Dong; Karl R. Wallace Selection Committee: Karma R. Chavez; Leslie Irene Coger Award Selection Committee: Matthew Spangler; Lilla A. Heston Award Selection Committee: Alison Fisher Bodkin; Marcella E. Oberle Award Selection Committee: Jennifer Walton; Mark L. Knapp Award Selection Committee: Carol Bishop Mills, Amy Johnson; Mark L. Knapp Award Selection Committee Chair: Alan Sillars; Michael and Suzanne Osborn Award Selection Committee: Clover Backer-Brown; Professional Service Awards Selection Committee: Sarah Tracy, Timothy Sellnow, Sara Chudnovsky Weintraub; Professional Service Awards Selection Committee Chair: Sara Chudnovsky Weintraub; Stephen E. Lucas Award Selection Committee: Jeff Hall; Committee on International Discussion and Debate: Ruth Berman; Doctoral Education Committee: Amber Basu, Christina Foust; Narissra Punyanunt-Carter, Maria Venetis; Leather Fund Trustee Committee: Marilyn Young.

## Appendix A

### Meeting Attendance Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Kristen	Blinne	Activism and Social Justice Division
Lawrence R.	Frey	Activism and Social Justice Division
Michelle	Violanti	Aff, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Helen	Sterk	Affiliate, Association For Comm. Administration
Jimmie	Manning	Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Chad	Edwards	Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Deb	Ford	Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (K12 Rep)
Tracey	Quigley Holden	Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Rebecca M.	Townsend	Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Nyia	Lacey	Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
Susan	Tomasovic	Affiliate, National States Advisory Council
Kristy	Cates	Affiliate, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
		Affiliate, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Nina	Reich	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Colleen	McGoff	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Robert	Stockton	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
Justin	Boren	Affirmative Action & Intercaucus Committee
Nicole	Files-Thompson	African American Comm. & Culture Division
Heather	Harris	African American Comm. & Culture Division
Theresa	Donofrio	American Studies Division
		American Studies Division
Rukhsana	Ahmed	Applied Communication Division
Monica	Gallegos	Applied Communication Division
Stacy	Smulowitz	Applied Communication Division
Andrea	Carlile	Argumentation and Forensics Division
Stephanie	Wideman	Argumentation and Forensics Division
Rebecca	de Souza	Asian/ Pacific American Communication Studies Division
Lisa	Hanasono	Asian/Pacific American Caucus
Hsin-I Sydney	Yueh	Asian/Pacific American Comm. Studies Division
Suzy	Prentiss	Basic Course Division
Joshua	Westwick	Basic Course Division
		Black Caucus
Alice	Veksler	Caucus on LGBTQ Concerns
Jessica	Gasiorek	Communication and Aging Division
		Communication and Aging Division

Peter	Campbell	Communication and Law Division
Donald	Fishman	Communication and Law Division
Elena	Bessarabova	Communication and Social Cognition Division
Graham	Bodie	Communication and Social Cognition Division
Michael	Butterworth	Communication and Sport Division
Karen	Hartman	Communication and Sport Division
Aubrie	Adams	Communication and the Future Division
Roseann	Pluretti	Communication and the Future Division
John	Nicholson	Communication as Social Construction Division
Joy L.	Daggs	Communication Assessment Division
		Communication Assessment Division
Rachel	Furman	Communication Centers Section
P. Anand	Rao	Communication Centers Section
Leeanne	Bell McManus	Communication Ethics Division
Amanda	McKendree	Communication Ethics Division
Jeannie	Hunt	Community College Section
Nicholas	Zoffel	Community College Section
Dana	Cloud	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Lee	Pierce	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Kimberly	Moffit	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Michelle	Rodino-Colocino	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Lindy	Davidson	Disability Issues Caucus
		Economics, Communication, and Society
		Economics, Communication, and Society
D. Robert	DeChaine	Editor, Communication and Critical Cultural Studies
Jon	Hess	Editor, Communication Education
Tamara	Afifi	Editor, Communication Monographs
Deanna	Fassett	Editor, Communication Teacher
		Editor, Critical Studies in Media Communication
Paul	Siegel	Editor, First Amendment Studies
Todd	Sandel	Editor, JIIC
		Editor, Journal of Applied Communication
Mary	Stuckey	Editor, Quarterly Journal of Speech
		Editor, Review of Communication
		Elected, At-Large (2014)
		Elected, At-Large (2014)
		Elected, At-Large (2015)
Leslie	Ramos Salazar	Elected, At-Large (2015)
Courtney N.	Wright	Elected, At-Large (2015)
Jaime	Bochantin	Elected, At-Large (2016)
Vincent	Pham	Elected, At-Large (2016)
Desireé D.	Rowe	Elected, At-Large (2016)

Erin J.	Rand	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2014)
Bonnie	Wentzel	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2014)
Jessica	Kratzer	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2015)
Myra S.	Washington	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2015)
Patrick	Dodge	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2016)
Angela	Wilson	Elected, Legislative Assembly (2016)
Dakota	Horn	Elementary and Secondary Education Section
Anna	Wright	Elementary and Secondary Education Section
Don	Boileau	Emeritus/ Retired Member Section
Judith	Trent	Emeritus/ Retired Member Section
Bridie	McGreavy	Environmental Communication Division
Casey	Schmitt	Environmental Communication Division
		Ethnography Division
Jillian	Tullis	Ethnography Division
Angela	Corbo	Experiential Learning in Communication Division
Elizabeth	Tolman	Experiential Learning in Communication Division
Andrew	Ledbetter	Family Communication Division
Katheryn	Maguire	Family Communication Division
Suzanne	Enck	Feminist and Women Studies Division
Ashley Noel	Mack	Feminist and Women Studies Division
Lana G.	McDonnell	Feminist and Women Studies Division
		Freedom of Expression Division
Kevin	Johnson	Freedom of Expression Division
Andy	Boyan	Game Studies Division
Jorge	Peña	Game Studies Division
Shinsuke	Eguchi	GLBTQ Communication Studies Division
Kathryn	Hobson	GLBTQ Communication Studies Division
Stephenson	Beck	Group Communication Division
		Group Communication Division
		Health Communication Division
Anna	Kerr	Health Communication Division
		Health Communication Division
Norman	Wong	Health Communication Division
		Human Comm. and Technology Division
Brandon	Van Der Heide	Human Communication and Technology Division
Kevin	Wright	Human Communication and Technology Division
Kerry	Byrnes-Loinette	Instructional Development Division
Brandi	Frisby	Instructional Development Division
		International and Intercultural Comm Division
Ahmet	Atay	International and Intercultural Communication Div.
		International and Intercultural Communication Division
Lindsey	Aloia	Interpersonal Communication Division

Megan	Dillow	Interpersonal Communication Division
Kelly	McAninch	Interpersonal Communication Division
Jennifer	Theiss	Interpersonal Communication Division
Leandra	Hernandez	La Raza Caucus
Galina	Bolden	Language and Social Interaction Division
Paul	Denvir	Language and Social Interaction Division
Michael	Lechuga	Latina/ Latino Communication Studies Division
Olivia	Perez-Langley	Latina/ Latino Communication Studies Division
		Mass Communication Division
Narissra M.	Punyanunt-Carter	Mass Communication Division
Stanley	Tickton	Mass Communication Division
Stephanie	Klatzke	Master's Education Section
Andrea	Lambert-South	Master's Education Section
		NCA Educational Policies Board Director
Orlando	Taylor	NCA Finance Board Director
		NCA Finance Board Member
Ronald	Shields	NCA Finance Board Member
Ronald	Jackson II	NCA First Vice President
Christina	Beck	NCA Immediate Past President
Stephen J.	Hartnett	NCA President
Bonnie	Dow	NCA Publications Board Director
Mindy	Fenske	NCA Research Board Director
Star	Muir	NCA Second Vice President
Kent	Ono	NCA Second Vice President-Elect
Jonathan	Bowman	Nonverbal Communication Division
Ashley	Duggan	Nonverbal Communication Division
Sarah	Dempsey	Organizational Communication Division
Joann	Keyton	Organizational Communication Division
Laurie	Lewis	Organizational Communication Division
		Peace and Conflict Division
		Peace and Conflict Division
John (Jay)	Allison	Performance Studies Division
		Performance Studies Division
Pat	Arneson	Philosophy of Communication Division
Janie	Harden-Fritz	Philosophy of Communication Division
Kevin	Coe	Political Communication Division
Rebekah	Watson Gaidis	Political Communication Division
Ben	Warner	Political Communication Division
Lisa	Flores	Public Address Division
Lisa	Keranen	Public Address Division
Jennifer	Mercieca	Public Address Division
		Public Dialogue and Deliberation Division

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Michael	Kent	Public Relations Division
Damion	Waymer	Public Relations Division
Bernadette	Calafell	Rhetorical and Communication Theory Division
Lisa	Corrigan	Rhetorical and Communication Theory Division
Kristen	Hoerl	Rhetorical and Communication Theory Division
Anna M.	Young	Rhetorical and Communication Theory Division
Becky L.	DeGreeff	Spiritual Communication Division
		Spiritual Communication Division
Anna-Carrie	Beck	Student Section
Nicholas T.	Tatum	Student Section
Patricia	Friel	Theatre, Film and New Multi-Media
John	Soliday	Theatre, Film and New Multi-Media
Ross	Brinkert	Training and Development Division
		Training and Development Division
Lora	Cohn	Undergraduate College and University Section
Kathleen	Edelmayer	Undergraduate College and University Section
Eric	Jenkins	Visual Communication Division
Denise	Oles-Acevedo	Visual Communication Division
Michelle	Calka	Women's Caucus

## Appendix B

### Meeting Attendance Saturday, November 18, 2017

Kristen	Blinne	Activism and Social Justice Division Activism and Social Justice Division
Linda	Jurczak	Aff, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Helen	Sterk	Affiliate, Association For Comm. Administration Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Chad	Edwards	Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Deb	Ford	Affiliate, Central States Comm. Assoc. (K12 Rep)
Tracey	Quigley Holden	Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Rebecca M.	Townsend	Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep) Affiliate, Eastern Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
Susan	Tomasovic	Affiliate, National States Advisory Council
Kristy	Cates	Affiliate, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
Nakia	Welch	Affiliate, Southern States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Nina	Reich	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (4 Yr College Rep)
Colleen	McGoff	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (CC Rep)
Robert	Stockton	Affiliate, Western States Comm. Assoc. (K-12 Rep)
Justin	Boren	Affirmative Action & Intercaucus Committee
Nicole	Files-Thompson	African American Comm. & Culture Division
Heather	Harris	African American Comm. & Culture Division
Theresa	Donofrio	American Studies Division
Meryl J.	Irwin	American Studies Division Applied Communication Division
Monica	Gallegos	Applied Communication Division
Stacy	Smulowitz	Applied Communication Division
Andrea	Carlile	Argumentation and Forensics Division
Stephanie	Wideman	Argumentation and Forensics Division
Rebecca	de Souza	Asian/ Pacific American Communication Studies Division
Lisa	Hanasono	Asian/Pacific American Caucus
Hsin-I Sydney	Yueh	Asian/Pacific American Comm. Studies Division
Suzy	Prentiss	Basic Course Division
Joshua	Westwick	Basic Course Division
Reynaldo	Anderson	Black Caucus
Alice	Veksler	Caucus on LGBTQ Concerns
Jessica	Gasiorek	Communication and Aging Division Communication and Aging Division
Peter	Campbell	Communication and Law Division Communication and Law Division

Elena	Bessarabova	Communication and Social Cognition Division
Graham	Bodie	Communication and Social Cognition Division
Michael	Butterworth	Communication and Sport Division
Karen	Hartman	Communication and Sport Division
Aubrie	Adams	Communication and the Future Division
Roseann	Pluretti	Communication and the Future Division
John	Nicholson	Communication as Social Construction Division
Joy L.	Daggs	Communication Assessment Division
		Communication Assessment Division
		Communication Centers Section
P. Anand	Rao	Communication Centers Section
Leeanne	Bell McManus	Communication Ethics Division
Amanda	McKendree	Communication Ethics Division
Jeannie	Hunt	Community College Section
Nicholas	Zoffel	Community College Section
Dana	Cloud	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Casey Ryan	Kelly	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Kimberly	Moffit	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Michelle	Rodino-Colocino	Critical and Cultural Studies Division
Lindy	Davidson	Disability Issues Caucus
		Economics, Communication, and Society
		Economics, Communication, and Society
D. Robert	DeChaine	Editor, Communication and Critical Cultural Studies
Jon	Hess	Editor, Communication Education
		Editor, Communication Monographs
Deanna	Fassett	Editor, Communication Teacher
		Editor, Critical Studies in Media Communication
Paul	Siegel	Editor, First Amendment Studies
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