

not easy. "There was a lot of indignation in the office (Tuesday). I had over 30 phone calls to this office demanding that we take some sort of militant stance," Hughes commented. "I think that we had the right to be real indignant about it...but we're dealing with someone who had good intentions."

Hughes added that he hopes mediation will help "build alliances" within the minority community. "I think its important that he (Hintsala) understands that his role as minority affairs coordinator is to emphasize the positive aspects between all the different minorities; that he really works

towards getting us together and be a real vital force," Hughes said.

According to Hughes, Brooks will be sending the minority affairs coordinator's job description to the different minority student unions for input. Currently, the job description does

not specify which groups the coordinator does and does not work with.

"What we really want is to be fair and also to minimize any sort of view of factional infighting among minority groups," Hughes said. "The thing to do is to give everyone a

chance to sit down and communicate...I think the end result is going to be really positive."

In Monday's Emerald, Hintsala said that being gay or lesbian is a matter of choice, as opposed to being a member of a racial or religious minority.

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