

AGENDA
COMMISSION ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND POLICIES
SEPTEMBER 12, 2022
VIA ZOOM, 3:00 PM

Call to Order	Evan Lavender-Smith
Adoption of Agenda	Evan Lavender-Smith
Welcome and Remarks from the Chair	Evan Lavender-Smith

- Welcome and Self-Introductions
- Charge of the Commission for 2022-2023 Academic Year

Charge: To study, formulate, and recommend to the Faculty Senate policies and procedures concerning undergraduate academic matters. Areas for consideration include library resources, admissions, academic progress, degree requirements, the Undergraduate Honor System and study environment, including approval of changes to the Undergraduate Honor Code; In-Honors programs, undergraduate curricular standards and expectations, advising, and instruction; student honors and awards; financial aid, scheduling, and registration.

- Potential CUSP Topics for 2022-2023 Academic Year
 - Academic Policy Review, as needed
 - Library Resource, Update
 - W Grade Review Update
 - Canvas Grade Book Feature Overview

Announcement of approval and posting of minutes of: April 25, 2022 and electronic approval of the following:

- Pathways General Education Curriculum Review Committee Report (April 27, 2022)
- Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Report (April 22, 2022)

Minutes voted on electronically and posted to the Office of the University Registrar’s website.

- For information – CUSP Minutes from February 8, 2021 were amended to correct Degree designator for Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science to read “BSENS.”
- For information – The degree designator for the new Major Concentration/Option: Social and Political Justice (SPJ) presented on the “CUSP February 28, 2022 Minutes/UCC February 11, 2022 Report to CUSP” was incorrectly presented as “Degree: Bachelor of Arts in Political Science (BAPS).” The degree should have been stated as “Degree: Bachelor of Arts (BA).” By this notification, the Minutes have been amended to read:

Rename/Revised:

Effective Catalog 2022-2023

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences

Rename/Revised Major Concentration/Option: Social and Political Justice (SPJ) under Degree: Bachelor of Arts (BA), effective for student date of entry under UG Catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7086)

Report and Minutes from Commission and Committees/Sub-Committees

Committees

- Academic Support Committee Heather Gumbert
- Academic Policies Committee Keith Thompson
 - Minutes – April 6, 2022
 - Minutes – May 4, 2022
- Athletics Committee Heather Gumbert
 - Minutes – April 14, 2022
 - Minutes – May 5, 2022
- Commencement Committee Monica Kimbrell
 - Minutes – April 6, 2022
- Honor Council Drew Kellenberger
- Library Committee Steven Tatum
- Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Vacant
 - For information – Report – January 22, 2021 was amended to correct Degree designator for Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science to read “BSENS.”
 - For information – Minutes and Report – February 11, 2022 were amended to correct Degree designator for “Rename/Revised Major Concentration/Option: Social and Political Justice (SPJ) under Degree: Bachelor of Arts in Political Science (BAPS)” to read “Rename/Revised Major Concentration/Option: Social and Political Justice (SPJ) under Degree: Bachelor of Arts (BA), effective for student date of entry under UG Catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7086).”
- University Curriculum Committee for General Education Khanh Ngoc Tran

Constituent Reports

- Commission on Administrative & Professional Faculty Affairs Keri Swaby
- Staff Senate Vacant
- Faculty Senate Greg Novack/Cindy Wood
- Undergraduate Student Senate Vacant
- Graduate and Professional Student Senate Alice Fox

Other Business

For Information: Termination of Business Diversity Center by Pamplin College of Business and the Department of Management Rachel Holloway

Nominations/Review of CUSP Sub-Committee Chairs and Representatives For Academic Year 2022-2023 Evan Lavender-Smith

- Chair of Undergraduate Curriculum Committee and Vice Chair of CUSP – (1 Year Appointment – Appointee should be selected from College Faculty Representatives)
 - Previous UCC/Vice Chair of CUSP: Kerry Redican

Adjournment

Evan Lavender-Smith