



University Council

Educational Affairs Committee 2021-2022

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences – Jason Peake- present

Arts and Sciences – Samantha Joye- present

Jean Martin-Williams- present

Business – David Mustard- present

Annette Poulsen (chair)- present

Education – Laura Bierema- present

Engineering – Sudhagar Mani- present

Environment and Design – Rosanna Rivero- present

(also representing Public Health and Social Work)

Family and Consumer Sciences – Alex Anderson- present

Forestry and Natural Resources – Puneet Dwivedi- present

(also representing Ecology)

Journalism and Mass Communication – Bartosz Wojdyski- present

Pharmacy – Ewan Cobran- present

(also representing Veterinary Medicine and Law)

Public and International Affairs – Daniel Hill- present

Provost- Jack Hu- substitute Rahul Shrivastav- present

Undergraduate Student Representative – George Moore- present

Graduate/Professional Student Representative – Sarah Burns- present

Guests: Phillip Griffeth

William Vencill

The Educational Affairs Committee met on September 27, 2021, at 3:30 p.m. online via Zoom.

The minutes of the March 22, 2021, meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Chair Annette Poulsen reported that since the last EAC meeting, the Petitions Subcommittee reviewed 86 student appeals. Of those appeals, 68 were approved, 17 were denied, and one was tabled.

Chair Poulsen provided a brief update on items that were considered by the EAC during the last academic year, including a new proposal for a new Policy 4.06-06, University-sponsored activities. Chair Poulsen asked for anyone interested in serving on a subcommittee to revise the wording of this proposal to let her know.

The committee briefly discussed that revisions to the Academic Honesty Policy that will be sent to the committee from the Office of Academic Honesty for its consideration at the committee's October 18 meeting. The results of the McCabe Survey will also be discussed at the meeting.

The committee next had an in-depth, open discussion with Vice President for Instruction Rahul Shrivastav concerning issues and challenges related to instruction during the pandemic for the fall 2021 semester and the spring 2022 semester.

The meeting adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Annette Poulsen, Chair
Educational Affairs Committee

cc: Provost S. Jack Hu
Dr. Rahul Shrivastav