

University Council Athens, Georgia 30602

EDUCATIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - 2012-2013

Dr. Rodney Mauricio, Arts and Sciences (Sciences), Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. Kari Turner

(also representing Forestry and Natural Resources)

Arts and Sciences - Dr. Francis Assaf (Arts)

Dr. Robert Moser (Arts)

Business - Dr. Elena Karahanna, absent

Education - Dr. Gayle Andrews, absent

Environment and Design - Mr. James Reap

(also representing Public Health, Social Work, and Ecology)

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Joan Fischer

Journalism and Mass Communication - Mr. David Hazinski

Public and International Affairs - Dr. Audrey Haynes

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Branson Ritchie

(also representing Pharmacy and Law)

Provost's Representative - Dr. Laura Jolly, absent, Dr. Ron Cervero substituting

Undergraduate Student Representative - Ms. Polly Turrentine

Graduate/Professional Student Representative – Mr. Jacob Holloway

Guest:

Dr. Jan Hathcote

The Educational Affairs Committee met on March 22, 2013, at 1:05 p.m.

Minutes of the November 12, 2012, meeting and the February 11, 2013, meeting were approved.

Dr. Rodney Mauricio updated the committee on the results of the Petitions Subcommittee meeting held since the last Educational Affairs Committee meeting. On March 18, 2013, 28 appeals were reviewed, 23 were approved and 5 were denied.

The committee requested that the Academic Advising Coordinating Council ask advisors across campus to remind undergraduate students that the PE requirement is separate from the minimum 120 hours need to graduate.

Dr. Mauricio is scheduled to meet with Janyce Dawkins of the Equal Opportunity Office to discuss the reporting duties of the committee regarding allegations of sexual assault and Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972.

The committee approved a proposal from the Registrar to revised the drop/add registration dates to allow the drop period to extend through midnight of the fifth class day (business days) for undergraduate and graduate

students for fall and spring semesters.

The committee briefly discussed a future proposal from the Registrar to revise the 2014-2015 Academic Calendar. The proposal will be reviewed by the Vice President for Instruction and the Provost before being considered by the committee.

The committee briefly discussed the withdrawal deadline and will continue the discussion at the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Rodney Mauricio

Chair, Educational Affairs Committee