

# REGULAR MEETING OF THE UNIVERSITY FACULTY SENATE

March 4, 2019 – 104 Gore Hall

4:00 PM

February 21, 2019

TO: Senators and Executives

FROM: Lynnette Overby, Vice President  
University Faculty Senate

SUBJECT: Regular Faculty Senate Meeting March 4, 2019

In accordance with Section IV, paragraph 6 of the Constitution, the regular meeting of the University Faculty Senate will be held on Monday, March 4 at 4:00 p.m. in room 104 Gore Hall.

The Agenda will be as follows:

## **AGENDA**

- I. Adoption of the Agenda
- II. Approval of the Minutes: [February 11, 2019](#)
- III. Remarks: Provost Robin Morgan
- IV. Announcements: Senate President Chris Williams
- V. Consent Agenda: [Curriculog login with UD credentials and click on Agendas tab at the top](#)

### **Undergraduate Proposals**

#### **College of Agriculture and Natural Resources**

1. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on

Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Food science**

2. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **request to deactivate College Requirements in Applied Economics and Statistics effective fall 2020**

### College of Arts and Sciences

3. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the approved list of elective courses from other departments in the Department of Biological Sciences**
4. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Biological Sciences**
5. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BA in European Studies**
6. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Fashion Design and Product Innovation**
7. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Fashion Merchandising and Management**
8. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BA in French Studies**
9. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Japanese Undergraduate Certificate**

10. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Japanese Minor**
  
11. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Jewish Studies Minor**
  
12. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Jewish Studies Minor with Language**
  
13. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BA in Linguistics**
  
14. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BA in Mathematics**
  
15. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Mathematics**
  
16. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Energy and Environmental Policy Major Requirements**

#### [College of Business and Economics](#)

17. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on

Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **disestablishment of the Global Enterprise Technology Minor (GET)**

18. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Management Information Systems**
19. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Management Information Systems Minor**

### College of Earth, Ocean, and Environment

20. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Meteorology and Climatology**

### College of Education and Human Development

21. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BSEd in Elementary Teacher Education – Middle School English Concentration**
22. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the ETE Major Requirements**

### College of Engineering

23. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Chemical Engineering Electives**
24. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BCpE in Computer Engineering**

25. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BEE in Electrical Engineering**

### College of Health Sciences

26. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Applied Molecular Biology and Biotechnology**
27. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Health Behavior Sciences**
28. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Health Behavior Science – Health and Disability Concentration**
29. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the BS in Health Sciences – Occupational Therapy Track Concentration**
30. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Health Sciences Research Minor**

### Graduate Proposals

### College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

31. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the MS in Statistics**

### College of Arts and Sciences

32. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the MM Music – Conducting Concentration**
33. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the MM Music – Performance Concentration (Voice)**
34. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the MM Music – Teaching Concentration**

### College of Business and Economics

35. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Entrepreneurship and Innovation Graduate Certificate**
36. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Business Administration MBA**

### College of Health Sciences

37. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the MS in Athletic Training**
38. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Graduate Studies (Deb Jaisi, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education

(Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Clinical Health Coaching Graduate Certificate**

**VI. Regular Agenda:**

**A. Unfinished Business:** None

**B. New Business:**

**1. Academic Resolutions ([Curriculog login with UD credentials and click on Agendas tab at the top](#))**

[College of Business and Economics](#)

1. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Undergraduate Studies (Brian Hanson, Chair) with the concurrence of the Coordinating Committee on Education, (Matt Robinson, Chair) and the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **Disestablishment of the MS in Entrepreneurship and Design**

WHEREAS, the MS in Entrepreneurship & Design was approved for temporary status in 2014, and

WHEREAS, in Fall of 2018, the official enrollment for the MS in Entrepreneurship & Design was just 3 fulltime students, and

WHEREAS, University of Delaware graduate students will continue to have the opportunity to enroll in more than 15 graduate-level, ENTR-designated courses and pursue a graduate certificate in entrepreneurship regardless of the status of the MS, and

WHEREAS, future graduate offerings in entrepreneurship that are more responsive to market needs for non-residential professional education offerings are in the initial planning process, and

WHEREAS, the Lerner College Graduate Program committee has voted to disestablish the program, be it therefore

RESOLVED, that the Faculty Senate recommends disestablishment of the MS degree in Entrepreneurship and Design by September 1, 2020.

2. **Regular Resolutions** (*No curriculog login required*)

2. Recommendation from the University Faculty Senate Committee on Faculty Welfare and Privileges (John Madsen, Chair) for the **revision to the Faculty Handbook Section 3.1.1 Freedom of Inquiry & Expression** ([Attachment 1](#))

WHEREAS, section 3.1.1 of the Faculty Handbook asserts that members of the university community enjoy the freedoms of inquiry and expression, and

WHEREAS, section 3.1.1 should be clearer regarding the freedoms of inquiry and expression, and

WHEREAS, being clearer on the freedoms of inquiry and expression would result in 3.1.1 being better integrated with the rest of the Faculty Handbook; be it therefore

RESOLVED, that the Faculty handbook 3.1.1. be amended as in [Attachment 1](#).

3. Recommendation from the University Faculty Senate Committee on Faculty Welfare and Privileges (John Madsen, Chair) for the **revision to the Faculty Handbook Section 4.2.1 Academic Freedom** ([Attachment 1](#))

WHEREAS, academic freedom is indispensable to effective teaching, excellent research and scholarship, and shared governance, and

WHEREAS, section 4.2.1 is not as clear, or as inclusive on matters relevant to academic freedom as it should be, be it therefore

RESOLVED, that the revisions in [Attachment 1](#) be added to the Faculty Handbook, section 4.2.1.

4. Recommendation from the University Faculty Senate Committee on Faculty Welfare and Privileges (John Madsen, Chair) for the **revision to the Faculty Handbook Section 4.2.3 Distribution of Published Materials on Campus** ([Attachment 1](#))

WHEREAS, section 4.2.3 of the Faculty Handbook provides policies regulating the distribution of published material on campus, and



WHEREAS, the six policies enumerated in the section are not clearly presented, and

WHEREAS, section 4.2.3 does not presently provide a clear definition of “published material”, and

WHEREAS, clearly presenting the six policies and providing a clear definition of “published materials” would result in 4.2.3 being better integrated with the rest of the Faculty Handbook; be it therefore

RESOLVED, that the Faculty handbook 4.2.3. be amended as in [Attachment 1](#).

5. Recommendation from the Faculty Senate Committee on Academic Priorities and Presidential Advisory (Martha Buell, Chair) with the concurrence of the Executive Committee (Chris Williams, Chair) for the **revision to the Faculty Handbook Section 3.4 Academic Program Review concerning the use of Academic Analytics** ([Attachment 1](#))

WHEREAS, it is crucially important that all faculty members in an academic unit be able to verify easily all information about their own achievements in scholarship and those of their colleagues before such information is used to evaluate their academic unit in comparison with other academic unit; be it therefore

RESOLVED, that the following statement in [Attachment 1](#) be added to Section 3.4 (“Academic Program Review”) of the *University Faculty Handbook*:

“It is crucially important that all faculty members in an academic unit be able to verify easily all information about their own achievements in scholarship and those of their colleagues before such information is used to evaluate their academic unit. Therefore, neither Academic Analytics nor any other database which is not readily accessible by all faculty members at the University of Delaware shall be used in the evaluation of academic units, including as a component of the data used during an Academic Program Review process.”

**VII. Presentations:** None

**VIII. Introduction of New Business:**

Such items as may come before the Senate. (No motion introduced under new business, except a motion to refer to committee, shall be acted upon until the next meeting of the Senate.)