

UNIVERSITY SENATE

Thursday, October 15th, 2015 3:45 p.m. – Faculty House Agenda

A. Approve Minutes

1. September meeting minutes

B. Reports

- 1. Chair Kate Hudepohl
 - a. Senate budget October
- 2. Vice Chair Julie Shadoan
 - a. Faculty Mentoring Award Committee
- 3. Secretary Heidi Alvarez
- 4. Coalition of Senate and Faculty Leadership for Higher Education Molly Kerby
- 5. AAUP representative Margaret Crowder
- 6. Advisory:
 - a. Faculty Regent Barbara Burch
 - b. Provost David Lee
 - c. SGA President Jay Todd Richey

C. Committee Reports and Recommendations

- 1. Graduate Council: Kurt Neelly
 - a. May 2015 Report (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)
 - b. September 2015 Report (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)
- 2. Undergraduate Curriculum Committee: Liz Sturgeon (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)
- 3. Colonnade General Education Committee: Marko Dumancic (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)
- 4. Academic Quality: Jeremy Maddox (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)
- 5. Budget and Finance Committee: No report
- 6. Faculty Welfare and Professional Responsibilities: Patti Minter (Report posted; Endorsed by SEC)

D. Old Business

E. New Business

F. Information Items

- 1. President Ransdell Memo Regarding Confucius Institute
- President Ransdell Response to Prayer Policy Resolution
 a.SGA Prayer Policy Resolution endorsed by University Senate on May 14, 2015