

Oakland University Senate

April 15, 2021

Meeting Location: VIRTUAL MEETING

Meeting Time: 3:10 p.m.

Please use the following link and dial-in information for the April 15, 2021 Senate meeting.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

All participants will join using the following Zoom Link (or dial-in information):

[https://oakland-edu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJlqcuggqz4jGNTu0amAypER--wethSrrC18](https://oakland-edu.zoom.us/j/91234567890)

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SECTION A: INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

A1. Graduate Program Modifications

A1a. SEHS - Special Education, Department of Human Development and Child Studies

The Special Education program area under the Department of Human Development and Child Studies is increasing the number of required credit hours by 1 for the following programs: M.Ed. in Special Education with a concentration in autism spectrum disorders, Graduate Certificate in Autism Spectrum Disorder Education, and Advanced Graduate Certificate in Autism Spectrum Disorder Education. The SE 6960 Practicum/Field Experience course is changing to 5 credits. This change is to comply with the credit distributions stipulated by the Michigan Department of Education/MARSE rules/regulations. (Darlene Groomes)

A1b. SBA - Split Existing Degree Program - MSITM / MSBA

Split the Business Analytics Concentration from the existing Master of Science in Information Technology Management (MSITM) program and create a separate program – Master of Science in Business Analytics (MSBA). Department of Decision and Information Sciences. (Vijayan Sugumaran)

A1c. SBA - Executive MBA

Reduce the number of topical courses to two and add a new course titled Leadership Feedback and Development to the leadership courses section of the curriculum. Specify that one of the topical courses will cover human resources management content. (Nivedita Mukherji)

A2. Undergraduate Program Modifications

A2a. CAS - Health Communication Minor

The Health Communication Minor is intended for any University student interested in advanced study of health communication. The minor prepares students for a variety of careers in the growing field of health communication. Typical job areas include health-related communication

for hospitals, geriatric care facilities, and non-profits such as the American Lung Association, or health communication positions within the Department of Health and Human Services (e.g., CDC, NIH, FDA). A professional health communication practitioner uses a variety of communication strategies, tactics, and media to increase awareness, improve knowledge, communicate outcomes, facilitate behavior change, prevent or impede the onset of disease, and develop environments that encourage and support positive healthy behaviors. Health communication programs take place in many settings, including schools, clinics, hospitals, workplaces, and community settings. (Robert Sidelinger and Jeff Youngquist)

A3. Service Learning Courses (Diane Baldwin and Kevin Corcoran)

Proposal to add a Service Learning Designation to sections of courses with a Service Learning component. This designation will allow the service learning courses to be on the student's official transcript.

A4. Special Guest President Ora Pescovitz

A5. Provost's Updates

SECTION B: ROLL CALL

SECTION C: APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES of March 18, 2021

SECTION D: UNFINISHED BUSINESS

D1. Motion from Graduate Council to approve a new Master's in Social Work Program

MOVED that the Senate approve a Graduate Council's new Master's in Social Work Program

Second Reading: Amenable, debatable and eligible for final vote at this meeting.

Comment: Proposed Master's in Social Work Program
Graduate Council Approval
University Assessment Committee Approval
Senate Planning Review Committee Approval
Senate Budget Review Committee Approval

Summary of Proposed Master's in Social Work Program - Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work (CAS) - The Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work and Criminal Justice is proposing a new graduate degree program- a Master of Social Work (MSW) program for a possible start of Fall 2022. This curriculum is designed in part to fulfill the curricular requirements associated with Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Core Competencies. Depending how students enter the MSW program there are two options for completing the proposed MSW degree: a traditional curriculum for students who do not hold a BSW, including 64 hours of coursework and 900 hours of field education, and an advanced

standing program for students who hold a BSW and meet additional criteria that requires 34 credit hours of coursework and 450 hours of field education. (Maria Beam & Joseph Shivley)

D2. Motion from the Graduate Council to modify the Graduate Certificate Minimum Credits Policy

MOVED that the Senate approve the updated policy

Second Reading: Amenable, debatable and eligible for final vote at this meeting.

Comment: Proposed Language Change

Summary:

Current Language - Graduate Certificate Minimum Credits (15 credits)

An *Approved Graduate Certificate* shall require no less than 15 graduate credit hours selected from those courses applicable to the graduate degree with which it is associated.

Proposed Language Change - Graduate Certificate Minimum Credits Approved by Graduate Council (12 credits)

An *Approved Graduate Certificate* shall require no less than **12** graduate credit hours selected from those courses applicable to the graduate degree with which it is associated.

SECTION E: NEW BUSINESS

E1. Procedural Motion to staff Senate Committee

MOVED that the persons listed be appointed to the committees or positions designated:

Comment: Full Senate Committee list including continuing members

Academic Computing Committee

2021 – 2023 Faculty Appointments

Jason Moore (SEHS)

Atiqul Mollah (SECS)

Maria Beam (CAS)

Yazan Roumani (SBA)

Taylor, Tracey (SOM)

Academic Conduct Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

Joy Jiang (SBA)

Lindsay Gietzen (SHS)

Douglas Gould (SOM)

Aldona Pobutsky (CAS)

Academic Standing and Honors Committee

2021 – 2023 Faculty Appointments

Nicole Mathew (CAS)

Jingshu Chen (SECS)

Hong Qian (SBA)

(University) Assessment Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

Jennifer Heisler (CAS)

Ed Rohn (SHS)

Shawn McCann (KL)

Mohammad Mahmoud (SECS)

Yun (Ellen) Zhu (SBA)

Austin Murphy (SBA)

Budget Review Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

Chaturi Edrishinha (SEHS)

Sumi Dinda (SHS)

Campus Environment and Development Committee

2021-2023 Faculty Appointments

Stanton, Steve (SBA)

Hernandez, Joanna (SON)

Hansen, Fay (CAS)

Committee on Faculty Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

2021 – 2023 Faculty Appointments

Bruce Charlesworth (CAS)

Katie Mysen (SON)

Danielle Ligocki (SEHS)

General Education Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

Long, Michael (SEHS)

Campoy-Cubillo, Adolfo (CAS)

Tang, Jing (SECS)

Rodriguez, Julia and Daniel, Dominique (KL) - Fall Sabbatical Replacement

Jusela, Cheryl (SON)

Honorary Degree Committee

2021-2024 Faculty Appointments

Brandon Gustafson (SBA)

Intercollegiate Athletics Committee

2021 – 2023 Faculty Appointments

Aloi, Dan (SECS)

McDonald, Fritz (CAS)

(University) Library Committee

2021-2023 Faculty Appointments

Daniel, Dominique (KL)
Ma, Marsha (Zexin) (CAS - HUM)
Eldredge, Cody (CAS - SS)
Zhu, Xie (SBA)

(University) Library Committee (continued)

2020-2022 Faculty Appointments

Nidiffer, Jana (SEHS) – new appointment filling a vacancy

Senate Planning Review Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

OPEN
Nehmer, Rob (SBA)

(University) Research Committee

2021-2023 Faculty Appointments

Arena, Sara (SHS)
Want, Xia (SECS)
Kranak, Michael (SEHS)

Student Academic Support Committee

2021-2024 Faculty Appointments

Tonui, Betty (CAS)
Diesbourg, Tara (SHS)
Dwyer, Erin (CAS)
Lauer, Nicholas (SEHS)

Teaching and Learning Committee

2021 – 2024 Faculty Appointments

Anasti, Theresa (CAS)
Mohiyeddini, Changiz (SOM)
Poly-Droulard, Lynda (SON)

University Committee of Undergraduate Instruction

2021-2024 Faculty Appointments

McGinnis, Deb (CAS-SS)
Jusela, Cheryl (SON)
Govind, Chabi (CAS – MS)
Stuaugle, Emily (KL)
Uhley, Virginia (SOM)
Ambika Bhargava (SEHS)

General Education Assessment Committee

2021-2024 Faculty Appointments

Laam, Kevin (CAS)

Kashiwagi-Wood, Akiko (CAS)

Kaiser, Angela (CAS)

SECTION F: GOOD AND WELFARE