

Florida Atlantic University
9 October 2015
8:30-10 am
Boca – GS 214B and Jupiter – SR 275
Agenda

1) **Approval of Minutes** (28 August 2015 meeting)—sent electronically prior to meeting

2) **Welcome new member(s)**

Arts and Letters: Dr. Tom Atkins, Theater and Dance Department

Science: Dr. Mare Cudic, Chemistry

2) **Update on items sent to Senate:**

The following courses were approved: PHI 2010; PHI 3660; PHI 3633

3) **Update on items sent to UUPC and Steering:**

The proposal from the School of Urban and Regional Planning for Honors in the Major in their

Admissions requirements for UHP and W

- GPA: 4.0
- SAT: 1740 (this was changed from the proposed 1700 to 1740 because that is the equivalent to a 26 ACT)
- ACT: 26

5) **New Business:**

a) Presentation and discussion of Guidelines for Research and Inquiry Intensive (RI) Course Description and RI Compacts. (Dr. Donna Chamely-Wiik)

- Difference between RI designation and Honors designation
- Potential multiple designations within the institution (Honors, WAC and RI)
- How could we handle already approved honors courses and programs re RI designation (Fast tracked in any way?)
- Document review and UHC endorsement

b) UHP's 1930 courses and the common IFP curriculum (Dr. M. A. Gosser Esquilín)

http://www.fau.edu/uas/pdf/2015_2016/2015_2016_IFP_Curriculum.pdf

Use existing Honors courses to renumber existing UHP courses (e.g., ARH 2000 or MUL 1000)

http://www.fau.edu/honors/forms/core_revised.pdf

And as the Honors Coordinator, request departments to propose Honors courses that do not exist at the WHC (e.g., FIL 2000 Film Appreciation) and would come through UHC

6) **Other Business:** meeting dates for 2015-2016: Fridays 8:30-10 am, 20 November, 15 January, 12 February, 18 March, and 15 April

7) **Adjourn**