

Council on Academic Affairs

July 23, 2026

10 AM – 12 PM

4140 University Square South

AGENDA

1. Approval of the minutes of the meetings on April 8, 2026; April 22, 2026; April 27, 2026; May 28, 2026; and June 11, 2026 – Professor Sue Sutherland
2. Comments from the Chair – Professor Sue Sutherland
3. Comments from the Vice Chair – Professor W. Randy Smith
4. ULAC Motions – Associate Dean Meg Daly
5. AI Fluency Update – Ms. Shereen Agrawal and Dean Norman Jones
6. Informational Items – Dr. Rob Griffiths
 - **Clarification on Certificate Types for the Navigating Social Identities, Power, and Difference Certificate and the Essential Russian Language and Culture Skills Certificate – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Update to Economics Embedded Literary Requirement – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Update to the K-12 Mild/Moderate Licensure-Only program – College of Education and Human Ecology**
 - **Update to the Environmental Engineering Program Revision – College of Engineering**
 - **Clarification on the Production Agriculture Minor – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
 - **Correction to the Animal Production and Management – Dairy specialization – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
 - **Update to the BS Pharmaceutical Sciences curriculum – College of Pharmacy**

- **Modality Clarification for the School Social Work Certificates – College of Social Work**
7. Creation of the Division of Nursing and Health Science (DNHS) in the College of Nursing – Professor W. Randy Smith
 8. Update on Criminal Justice Research Center – Professor W. Randy Smith
 9. Senate Bill 1 Low Enrollment Programs Deactivations and Waivers – Professor W. Randy Smith
 - **Proposal to deactivate the Composition major leading to the Bachelor of Music – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Proposal to deactivate the Health and Wellness major leading to the Bachelor of Science in Health and Wellness Innovation in Healthcare – College of Nursing**
 - **Waiver Submissions**
 - **Earth Sciences major leading to the Bachelor of Arts – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Geography major leading to the Bachelor of Science – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Jazz Studies major leading to the Bachelor of Music – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Music major leading to the Bachelor of Science – College of Arts and Sciences**
 - **Special Major leading to the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Fisher College of Business**
 - **Business Management major leading to the Associate of Applied Science – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
 10. Proposal from Subcommittee B – Professors Samantha Herrmann, Gary Gao, and Eugenia Romero; Ms. Ericka Gunn; Mr. Andrew Miles
 - **Proposal to establish a Biotech Science Major leading to the Bachelor of Science – College of Arts and Sciences**

11. Proposals from Subcommittee D – Professors Sue Sutherland and W. Randy Smith

- **Proposal to revise the German BA – College of Arts and Sciences**
- **Proposal to revise the Entomology BS AGR – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
- **Proposal to establish a Category 1b Undergraduate Academic Certificate in Environmental Assessment -- College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
- **Proposal to revise the Natural Resource Management BS ENR, including a name change to the program – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
- **Proposal to revise the Environmental Policy and Decision Making BS ENR, including a name change to the program – College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**
- **Proposal to revise the Graduate Student Handbook – Graduate School**

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