Council on Academic Affairs

October 21, 2026

3-5 p.m.

4140 University Square South

AGENDA

1. Approval of the Minutes from the Meeting on October 7, 2026 – Professor Valarie Williams

2. Comments from the Chair – Professor Valarie Williams

3. Comments from the Vice Chair – Professor W. Randy Smith

4. Informational Items – Dr. Rob Griffiths

    - **Update to the Environmental Engineering Minor – College of Engineering**

    - **Update to the Additional Science Requirement for the Integrated Systems Engineering Program – College of Engineering**

    - **Update to the Landscape Architecture's Honors Studio Sequence – College of Engineering**

    - **Update to the Landscape Architecture Technical Elective – College of Engineering**

    - **Update to the Master of Systems Engineering Curriculum – College of Engineering**

    - **Revision to the Graduate Minor in Health Behavior and Health Promotion – College of Public Health**

    - **Revision to the BSPH / MPH Dual Degree – College of Public Health**

5. Proposal from Subcommittee B – Professors Gary Gao, Neal Hooker, and Christina Roup; Ms. Ericka Gunn; Ms. Raegan Wood

    - **Proposal to revise the College of Nursing's Honors Program – College of Nursing**

6. Proposals from Subcommittee D – Professors Valarie Williams and W. Randy Smith

    - **Proposal to establish a Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence in Medicine – Interdisciplinary Program**

    - **Proposal to establish a new track in Law, Policy and Management to the Master of Cybersecurity and Digital Trust – College of Engineering**

    - **Proposal to revise the Engineering Foundations First Year Coursework – College of Engineering**

    - **Proposal to revise the Horticulture Science AS degree, including a name change, and deactivation of the Agronomy AS degree – College of Food, Agriculture, and Environmental Sciences**

7. Proposals from Subcommittee A – Professors Wendy Bowles, Elliot Bendoly, Richard Finlay-Fletcher; Ms. Patricia Calderon Delgado and Mr. Nathan Snizik

    - **Proposal to establish a Computational Social Science Major program leading to the Bachelor of Science – College of Arts and Sciences**

    - **Proposal to rename the Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences as well as select programs – College of Arts and Sciences**

8. Adjourn