

Florida Atlantic University
9 October 2015
8:30-10 am
Boca Raton 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; 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

- 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 Descriptions and RI Compact (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 (not 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

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