



6 January 2016

TO: Undergraduate Studies Council Members

Kelly Ackerson	James Cousins	Dianna Sachs
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JoAnn Atkin	Carla Koretsky	Delores Walcott
Kent Baldner	Marilyn Kritzman	Geoff Whitehurst
Lisa Coons	David Reinhold (for Provost Tim Greene)	

GUESTS: Megan Slayter, Chair, and Nina Nelson, Department of Dance
James Muchmore, Department of Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies
Edwin Martini, Associate Dean, Extended University Programs
William Rantz, Interim Chair, Department of Chemical and Paper Engineering
Heather Petcovic, Department of Geosciences
John Geiser, Chair, Committee to Oversee General Education

FROM: Marilyn Kritzman, USC Council Chair

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES COUNCIL
Tuesday, 12 January 2016, 3 to 5 p.m.
Faculty Lounge, Bernhard Center
PROPOSED AGENDA

Procedural Items

1. Welcome
2. Acceptance of the agenda
3. Approval of the minutes of 8 December 2015
4. Chair's Remarks – Marilyn Kritzman

Information / Discussion / Action Items

1. Review of Curriculum Proposals
 - a. Department of Dance [D11.15-16] Create online Undergraduate Certificate in Dance Studio Management – Nina Nelson and Megan Slayter
 - b. Department of Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies [CEHD 622] Eliminate the Elementary Minor for Speech Pathology and Audiology – James Muchmore
 - c. Extended University Programs [EUP 01-15] Establish an Accelerated JD Degree Program for University Studies majors – Edwin Martini
 - d. Department of Chemical and Paper Engineering [CEAS 15-002-CHP] Offer an Undergraduate Certificate in Paper Engineering – William Rantz
 - e. Department of Geosciences [CAS-16-74] Establish an Accelerated Graduate Degree Program in Geosciences (replaces CAS 15-105) – Heather Petcovic
2. Committee to Oversee General Education Rubric for Area II Humanities – John Geiser
3. USC General Education Revision Feedback

Other

Adjournment

Elected council members who cannot attend a meeting of the Undergraduate Studies Council are asked to send a substitute of their choice who also represents their respective college. Non-elected members are not restricted as to whom they may designate to substitute for them.