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Presentation of Agenda and Introductions

Gayle Goudy (chair), Andrew Przeworski (secretary), Tom Carroll, Mary Jo Fairchild, Doug Friedman, Chad Galuska, Rick Heldrich, Gibbs Knotts, Nenad Radakovic, Lynn Cherry (ex-officio Provost), Mary Bergstrom (ex-officio; Registrar)

Proposal Representation

- Shawn Morrison, Department of French, Francophone and Italian Studies
- Godfrey Gibbison, School of Professional Studies
- Wayne Smith, School of Professional Studies
- Beatriz Maldonado Bird, International Studies
- Claire Curtis, Department of Political Science

Old Business

1. Results from Faculty Senate meeting on October 11, 2016

- a. Delete FREN 341 Phonetics and Advanced Language Study and make change to EDFF program: passed
- b. CSCI 281 Internship (new course): not passed due to SLOs
The FCC's role in assessing SLOs and course assessment methods (Cherry)

2. Pending FCC approval

- a. If the FCC approves the revised wording below, then the FCAS will submit it to the Senate on November 1 for a vote. (BIOL 381 Internship proposal pending result of P/F policy revision.)

No course taken on the pass-fail option may be used to satisfy the general education requirements nor be **taken toward applicable coursework** in one's major or minor fields, excluding EDEE 455, EDEE 457, EDEE 459, EDFA 440, and EDFA 460. If a student who completes a course under the pass-fail option later changes his/her major and that course is required for the major, he/she may petition the department for the course to be accepted.

- b. **French** (Blue: Rounds 1 & 2; Orange: Round 2)
 - i. Change **FREN 370** Studies in French and Francophone Literature and Film (title, description)
 - ii. Change **FREN 390** Special Topics in French and Francophone Studies (title, prerequisites)
 - iii. Change **FREN 435** Literature Voices of the 19th Century France (title, description, prerequisites)
 - iv. Deactivate **FREN 443** The Novel in France
 - v. Add **FREN 453** Voices of French-Speaking North America

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- vi. Add **FREN 454** Voices from the Maghreb and/or Sub-Saharan Africa
- vii. Add **FREN 475** Voices from Medieval and/or Renaissance France
- viii. Add **FREN 476** Voices from 17th and/or 18th Century France
- ix. Add **FREN 477** Voices from 20th and/or 21st Century France
- x. Add **FREN 481** Voices of French and/or Francophone Women Writers
- xi. Add **FREN 492** Special Topics in French and Francophone Literature and Culture
- xii. Change **FREN 490** Special Topics in French Literature and Culture (title, description, prerequisites)
- xiii. Change **FREN 491** Special Topics in Contemporary French and Francophone Literature and/or Culture (title, description, prerequisites)
- xiv. Change **FREN 496** (prerequisites)
- xv. Change **FREN 498** (prerequisites)
- xvi. Deactivate **FREN 431, FREN 432, FREN 434, FREN 437, FREN 443, FREN 451, FREN 452,** and **FREN 482**

New Business

1. FYI: Task Force for Undergraduate Major in General Studies Major

Brian McGee is assembling an *ad hoc* institutional committee chaired by Godfrey Gibbison to look into the possibility of a new undergraduate major in general studies or liberal studies, which would lead to the awarding of the Bachelor of Arts or the Bachelor of Science. This major could be entirely (or almost entirely) distance education. The committee's recommendation will be submitted in May 2017.

2. Consideration of Curriculum Proposals

Reminder: approved proposals forwarded to the Senate on October 20, 2016

- a. **BPS Hospitality Operations Management (Gibbison and Smith)**
- b. **INTL Concentrations (Bird)**
 - i. Add to INAS concentration: JWST 305, ARTH 231
 - ii. Add to INEU concentration: HIST 343, RUST 250, RUST 300
- c. **INST minor (Bird)**
- d. **POLI concentration (Curtis)**

Upcoming Business

1. Major GPA policy and calculation | FCC make comments before October 28

The FCAS unanimously voted to keep the Major GPA. Bob Mignone is heading a group to modify the language, which will be submitted to the Senate on 11/1. The FCAS has requested FCC feedback on the revised version, which will be posted to OAKS around Oct. 19. Please comment before Friday, October 28.

2. Next Meeting: Friday, November 18 from 3:00-5:00 pm in 201 Sterns