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UA35 Provost's Office

Series 2 Committees

Subseries 1 Academic Council

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Biographical/Historical Note: Established April 28, 1965, the Academic Council serves as an advisory body for the Provost's Office. The Council meets monthly through the school year and is responsible for establishing curriculum policies for the university upon the recommendations of College Curriculum Committees, the Graduate Council, the Rules, General Education and Academic Requirement committees. Its goals include:

1. To recommend to the University Administration and the Board of Regents academic policies pertaining to the curriculum and scholastic regulations.
2. To review all proposals relative to the curriculum of the university forwarded to it by duly established college and university-wide curriculum committees.
3. To initiate studies and policies pertaining to the curriculum, scholastic regulations, or other matters referred to the Council by the President, the Vice-President for Academic Affairs, or the Council of Academic Deans.
4. To refer to the duly constituted academic committees, the Council of Academic Deans, or to special sub-committees of the Council assignments relative to academic affairs within the purview of Council authority.
5. To recommend the addition of new majors, minors or degree programs at the undergraduate or graduate levels to the President and to the Board of Regents for approval.

Description: Meeting minutes of the Academic Council. Meeting agendas are typically arranged as follows:

- I. Disposition of minutes
- II . Report from the Chair
- III. New Business
 - A. Committee Reports
 - B. Graduate Council
 - C. Course proposals
- IV. Other Business

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Description	Academic Affairs (WKU) Biology (WKU) Curriculum Committee (WKU) Geography & Geology (WKU) Graduate Council (WKU) Nursing (WKU) Physics & Astronomy (WKU) Ogden College of Science & Engineering (WKU)			Subjects	Meetings Curriculum
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Description	Academic Affairs (WKU) Agriculture (WKU) Curriculum Committee (WKU) Finance & Administration (WKU) Folk Studies & Anthropology (WKU) Geography & Geology (WKU) Graduate Council (WKU) Modern Languages (WKU) Music (WKU) Sociology (WKU) Theatre & Dance (WKU)			Subjects	Meetings Curriculum
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Description	Academic Affairs (WKU) Accounting (WKU) Biology (WKU) Communication (WKU) Curriculum Committee (WKU) English (WKU) Graduate Council (WKU) Modern Languages (WKU) Philosophy & Religion (WKU)			Subjects	Meetings Curriculum
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Description	Academic Affairs (WKU) Biology (WKU) Communication (WKU) Curriculum Committee (WKU) Economics (WKU) Folk Studies & Anthropology (WKU) Graduate Council (WKU) Honors College (WKU)			Subjects	Meetings Curriculum

	Industrial Technology (WKU) Theatre (WKU)				
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Description	Academic Affairs (WKU) Art (WKU) Curriculum Committee (WKU) Educational Administration, Leadership & Research (WKU) English (WKU) Graduate Council (WKU) Health & Human Services (WKU) Journalism & Broadcasting (WKU) Mathematics (WKU)			Subjects	Meetings Curriculum

Modern Languages (WKU)
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Psychology (WKU)
Sociology (WKU)

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