UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

OPEN SESSION AGENDA

Thursday, October 17, 2013 2-31 South Academic Building (SAB) 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

OPENING SESSION		Presenter(s)
1.	Approval of the Agenda	Bill Connor
2.	Approval of the Open Session Minutes of September 19, 2013	Bill Connor
3.	Comments from the Chair (no documents)	Bill Connor
<u>ACTIO</u>	ON ITEMS	
4.	Items Deemed Minor/Editorial	Bill Connor
	The Following Proposal(s) are Deemed Minor/Editorial (GFC ASC's Terms of Reference (Mandate) (3.A.i and iii)) by the Vice-Provost (Academic Programs and Instruction) and Chair, GFC ASC, and are APPROVED UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY FROM GFC IN A SINGLE OMNIBUS MOTION.	
	Any member wishing to debate a proposal must contact University Governance at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting to request that the item be placed on the Agenda as a separate item.	
	4A. Faculty of Education: Proposed Changes to Existing/Approved Admission/Transfer and Academic Standing/Graduation Requirements	
	4B. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry: Proposed Changes to Existing Re-examination Requirements	
	4C. Office of the Registrar: Course Approvals for October, 2013	
	4D. Faculté Saint-Jean: Proposed Changes to Existing Admission/Transfer Requirements	
	Motion: To Approve with Delegated Authority (Omnibus Motion)	
5.	Proposed Revisions from the Office of the Registrar to Section 13 of the University Calendar (Language Proficiency Requirements – English Language Proficiency (ELP) and Spoken English Requirements)	Lihong Yang
	Motion: To Recommend to the GFC Academic Planning Committee	
6.	Proposed Changes to University Calendar Section 23.3 (Attendance)	Nat Kav Ada Ness
	Motion: To Recommend to the GFC Executive Committee	Brad Hamdon Wade King

DISCUSSION ITEMS

7.	External Programs for Review and Programs in Progress on Campus: Standing Item (no documents)	Bill Connor Kathleen Brough	
INFORMATION REPORTS			
8.	Items Approved by the GFC Academic Standards Committee by E- Mail Ballots (non-debatable) (no items to date)	Bill Connor	
	The following items were sent to members between meetings. Any member wishing to debate an item must contact University Governance at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting to request that the item be placed on the Agenda as a separate item. This will allow for an expert to attend the meeting to speak to the item.		
9.	Information Items Forwarded to Committee Members Between Meetings (no items to date)	Bill Connor	
10.	Question Period		
CLOSING SESSION			
11.	Next meeting date: Thursday, November 21, 2013	Bill Connor	
12.	Next General Faculties Council meeting date: Monday, October 28, 2013	Bill Connor	

Documentation was before members unless otherwise noted. Notes to members: N/A

Meeting REGRETS to: Prepared by: Posted online for Members: University Governance	Andrea Patrick, Assistant GFC Secretary, apatrick@ualberta.ca, 780-492-1937 Garry Bodnar, Coordinator, GFC Academic Standards Committee October 10, 2013 www.governance.ualberta.ca
Presenter(s):	
Bill Connor	Vice-Provost (Academic Programs and Instruction) and Chair, GFC Academic Standards Committee
Kathleen Brough	Portfolio Initiatives Manager, Office of the Provost and Vice-President (Academic)
Brad Hamdon	University General Counsel
Nat Kav	Associate Dean, Faculty of Agricultural, Life and Environmental Sciences (ALES)
Wade King Ada Ness Lihong Yang	Advisor, Safe Disclosure and Human Rights Associate Registrar and Director of Records Assistant Registrar (Admissions), Office of the Registrar

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