

## Faculty Senate Meeting

**DATE:** October 13, 2017  
**TO:** Members of the Faculty Senate  
**FROM:** Kat Walsh, Chairperson  
**SUBJECT:** Faculty Senate Meeting, October 3, 2017 at 4:05-5:45 p.m.  
Osburn Hall, Room 200/201

- I. Welcome/Introductions
- II. Minutes of the October 3, 2017 meeting
- III. Proposed Courses and Programs

### Consent Agenda New Course

- 1) **ESCI 345 Atmospheric Radiative Transfer (3 credits)** Quantitative description and analysis of atmospheric radiation and its interaction with atmospheric constituents and the land and ocean surfaces. Intended primarily for meteorology majors, although may be of interest to ocean science and coastal studies majors, physics majors, or others needing a comprehensive understanding of radiation and radiative transfer.

### Consent Agenda Course Changes

- 1) **ESCI 342 Atmospheric Dynamics I:** Update course description and add 1-credit recitation.
- 2) **ESCI 340 Physical Meteorology:** Change title and description. Some topics have been removed and will instead be addressed in a newly created course on radiative transfer.

### Consent Agenda Curricular Change

- 1) **B.S. Meteorology:** Update curriculum to provide additional options for some courses. Change curriculum to reflect course changes and add one additional newly-created course to the requirements.

*Please see the electronic proposals that are making their way through and offer feedback as needed/appropriate*

### Graduate Course Revision Proposal

- 1) **ACTE 635** Proposal to change the course title from “Instructional and Curricular Design for Online Teaching” to “Instructional and Curricular Design for Online, Blended and Customized Instruction.” Change in the course title will better reflect emergent trends. Drop prerequisites of ACTE 630, 632, 633 and 634 to increase scheduling ability.

- IV. **Report of the Faculty Senate Chairperson**
  - Meeting with Interim Chancellor

- October 23<sup>rd</sup> SMC 8:00-3:00 Social Justice Event (flyer will be posted) please try to come and encourage your students to come as well
- Something inspirational and encouraging.....☺

**Upcoming 2017 – 2018 Faculty Senate meetings:**

- November 7 and 21 (?), 2017
- December 5, 2017
- February 6 and 20, 2018
- March 6 and 20, 2018
- April 3 and 17, 2018
- May 1, 2018
- the June meeting will be announced in April, 2018

- IV. Report of the Student Senate President
- V. Report of the Graduate Student Association
- VI. Report of the Administrative Officers
- VII. Announcement of any new courses and programs or changes to existing courses and programs
- VIII. Reports of the Faculty Senate Standing Committees
- IX. Reports of the Faculty Senate Special Committees
- X. Faculty Emeriti
  - **Dr. Sandra Josephs Hoffman** (Department of Early, Middle and Exceptional Education)
  - **Dr. Donna Hooker Topping** (Department of Early, Middle and Exceptional Education)
- XI. Faculty Senate Committee Elections
- XII. New Business
  - Other announcements or guest reports
- XIII. Adjournment [and table/chair moving, please]