

AGENDA
KSU Faculty Senate Meeting
Tuesday, March 10, 2015, 3:30 pm
K-State Student Union, Big 12 Room

1. Call to Order (President Dave Rintoul)
2. Visit from Provost Mason (3:30-3:45)
Topic for Discussion: Budget and Funding of Faculty Salaries
3. Approval of February 10, 2015 minutes (3:46-3:47)
4. Approval of Consent Agenda – Fred Guzek (pages 2-3) – **Attachment 1** (3:48-3:49)
5. New Business (3:50-3:54)
 - A. Honorary Degree candidate
6. Report from Standing Committees and Student Senate (3:55-4:35)
 - A. Academic Affairs –Andy Bennett
 - B. Faculty Affairs – Betsy Cauble
 - 1) Proposed change to University Handbook, Section C10-C12 – Professional Titles of Practice – **Attachment 2**
 - C. Professional Staff Affairs –Danielle Brown
 - D. Student Senate – Abby Works
 - E. Technology – Don Crawford
 - F. University Planning – Barbara Anderson
7. Announcements / Old Business (4:36-4:45)
 - A. 2015 FS Elections in progress – final ballots in circulation
 - B. Report from Kansas Board of Regents meeting
8. Open discussion period for senators as needed (4:46-5:00)
9. Adjournment

Next meeting: Tuesday, April 14, 2015; 3:30 p.m., Union Big 12 room

**CONSENT AGENDA
ACADEMIC AFFAIRS**

1. Undergraduate and graduate course and curriculum changes (see attachment 1 for supplemental information):

UNDERGRADUATE

College of Human Ecology (approved by college on November 12, 2014)

CURRICULUM CHANGE

Department of Hospitality Management and Dietetics

Changes to the Didactic Program in Dietetics (B.S.)

College of Arts and Sciences (approved by college on February 5, 2015)

American Ethnic Studies

Changes:

AMETH 450 – ~~Comparative Ethnic Studies II~~. Comparative Ethnic Studies. K-State 8: ~~Aesthetic Interpretation~~; Human Diversity within the US; Global Issues and Perspectives

AMETH 550 – ~~Research Methods in American Ethnic Studies~~. Popular Paths to Knowledge. K-State 8: Empirical and Quantitative Reasoning; Social Sciences

Add:

AMETH 461 – Transformative Thought. K-State 8: Human Diversity within the US; Ethical Reasoning and Responsibility.

Dean of Arts and Sciences

Add:

DAS 195 – CAT Community Connections

Geology

Change:

GEOL 103 – Geology Laboratory. K-State 8: ~~Empirical and Quantitative Reasoning~~. Natural and Physical Sciences.

History

Add:

HIST 549 – Modern Africa from 1850; K-State 8: Global Issues and Perspectives; Historical Perspectives.

Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work

Add:

SOCIO 540 – Sexuality and Society; K-State 8: Social Sciences; Human Diversity within the US

CURRICULUM CHANGES

American Ethnic Studies

Changes to the American Ethnic Studies Minor

Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics

Changes to the BA in Biochemistry

Changes to the BA in Biochemistry, Medical Biochemistry Track

Biology

Changes to the Microbiology BA/BS

Geology

Changes to the Exploration and Environmental Geophysics Minor

Changes to the Geology BS/BA

Changes to the Geology Minor