

**ABILENE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY DALLAS
ACADEMIC COUNCIL**

June 21, 2021

3pm CST

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CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the ACU Dallas Academic Council was called to order at 3:05pm, on June 21, 2021, on Zoom video conference, by Dr. Nannette Glenn.

OPENING CEREMONIES

The invocation was given.

ROLL CALL

Members in attendance: Linda Gibson, Scott Self, Sara Salkil, Kathy Carroll, Meghan Hope, Nannette Glenn, Phil Vardiman, Chai Green, Karen Maxwell, Dena Counts

Members absent: Mark Phillips (excused), Joey Halbert (excused), Kipi Fleming (excused), Joe Feliciano, Beckie Weaver, Brenda McAdoo, Jason Morris

Guests present: Aubree Browning, Mindi Thompson, Joey Cope, Karen Witemeyer, Chris Riley, Jessica Smith, Rusty Kruzelock, Eric Gumm, Ben Ries

QUORUM

A quorum was present.

MINUTES

The minutes from May 17, 2021 were approved as presented.

INFORMATION

Karen Maxwell was welcomed as new program director of EdD. Mindi Thompson shared the GST programs: Masters of Divinity, Master of Christian Arts in Ministry, and Masters of Arts in Global Service are no longer required to attend 12 hours of face-to-face instruction.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **MS Precision Medicine**

Dr. Russell Kruzelock and Dr. Scott Self presented a new program application for MS in Precision Medicine.

Discussion:

Dr. Meghan Hope moved to approve the new program application for MS in Precision Medicine. The motion carried with 9 yes and 0 no votes.

2. **Graduate Certificate in Precision Medicine**

Dr. Russell Kruzelock and Dr. Scott Self presented a graduate certificate application for MS in Precision Medicine.

Discussion:

Dr. Dena Counts moved to approve the graduate certificate application for MS in Precision Medicine. The motion carried with 9 yes and 0 no votes.

3. **Graduate Certificate in Precision Medicine**

Dr. Russell Kruzelock and Dr. Scott Self presented a new course application for PCM 601.

Discussion:

Dr. Linda Gibson moved to approve the new course proposal for PCM 601. The motion carried with 9 yes and 0 no votes.

4. **Undergraduate Applied Communication**

Dr. Dena Counts presented a new prerequisite requirement for APCO 412 and APCO 465.

Discussion:

Dr. Scott Self moved to approve the new prerequisite requirement for APCO 412 and APCO 465. The motion carried with 9 yes and 0 no votes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Meeting

Next meeting will occur on 19 July, 2021 3pm Central. Submissions for business items on the meeting have a deadline of 13 July, 12 pm Central.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by the chair at 3:29 pm CST.

APPROVAL

Minutes approved this 19th day of July, 2021.

Joseph Halbert, Chair