



Senate Meeting
MS Teams

January 30, 2026
2 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Indigenous Land Recognition
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
 - 3.1. November 28, 2025
4. Business Arising from the Minutes
 - 4.1. Update on periodic evaluation of indigenizing PsyD Program (B. Russo)
 - 4.2. Printing issues (D. Piccitto)
5. Administration Updates
 - 5.1. President
 - 5.2. Vice-President Academic and Provost
 - 5.3. Vice-President Administration
6. Question Period
7. Committee Reports (Standing and Ad Hoc)
 - 7.1. Academic Policy and Planning
 - 7.1.1. Department Name Change (*for Approval*) (C. Dawson)
 - 7.1.1.1. Women's Studies to Women and Gender Studies
 - 7.1.2. Revision to Calendar text for Final Examination Policy, CAPP 2022-01 (*for Approval*) (S. Hale Wills)
 - 7.2. Graduate Studies Program and Policy (S. Trenholm)
 - 7.2.1. Education: TESOL (*for Approval*)
 - 7.2.1.1. New Course Proposal
 - 7.2.1.1.1. GTSL 6556/6557: Special Topics in TESOL

- 7.2.1.2. Change to Existing Course
 - 7.2.1.2.1. GTSL 6366: TESOL Practicum
 - 7.2.2. Communication Studies (*for Approval*)
 - 7.2.2.1. Changes to Existing Program
 - 7.2.2.1.1. Requirements for MA (Communication)
- 7.3. Undergraduate Curriculum (A. Card)
 - 7.3.1. Applied Human Nutrition (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.1.1. Changes to Existing Program
 - 7.3.1.1.1. Requirements for professional minor in Applied Human Nutrition
 - 7.3.2. Biology (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.2.1. Course Deletion
 - 7.3.2.1.1. BIOL 4400: Field Biology
 - 7.3.2.2. New Course Proposal
 - 7.3.2.2.1. BIOL 3300: Field Biology
 - 7.3.3. Business Administration and Political Studies (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.3.1. Course Deletion
 - 7.3.3.1.1. BUSI/POLS 3306: Government Administration and Accountability
 - 7.3.4. Child and Youth Study (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.4.1. New Course Proposal
 - 7.3.4.1.1. CHYS 3353: Practicum: Early Childhood 2
 - 7.3.4.2. Changes to Existing Program
 - 7.3.4.2.1. Requirements for practicum in BA (CYS)
 - 7.3.4.2.2. Requirements for concentration in Early Childhood Education and calendar description
 - 7.3.5. History (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.5.1. New Course Proposal
 - 7.3.5.1.1. HIST 4479: Seminar (World History)
 - 7.3.5.2. Changes to Existing Program
 - 7.3.5.2.1. Requirements for major, combined major, combined major with honours, honours degree and concentration
 - 7.3.6. Philosophy/Religious Studies (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.6.1. Course Deletions
 - 7.3.6.1.1. PHIL 2219/RELS 2219 - Does God Exist?
 - 7.3.6.1.2. PHIL 3301/RELS 3301 - God and Evil: The Current Debate
 - 7.3.6.1.3. PHIL 3351/RELS 3351 - The Nature of Faith
 - 7.3.6.2. New Course Proposal
 - 7.3.6.2.1. PHIL/RELS 3319 – The Meaning(s) of Life
 - 7.3.6.3. Changes to Existing Program
 - 7.3.6.3.1. Deletion of minor in Philosophy and Religion

- 7.3.7. Politics, Economics and Canadian Studies (*for Approval*)
 - 7.3.7.1. Changes to Existing Program (Canadian Studies)
 - 7.3.7.1.1. Changes to Canadian Emphasis Courses list
- 7.3.8. Changes (*for Information*)
 - 7.3.8.1. Biology
 - 7.3.8.1.1. New prerequisite and description for BIOL 4460 and 4461
 - 7.3.8.2. Child and Youth Study
 - 7.3.8.2.1. New course title for CHYS 2251
 - 7.3.8.2.2. New course title and prerequisites for CHYS 3351
 - 7.3.8.2.3. New course title and prerequisites for CHYS 3352
 - 7.3.8.2.4. New course title for CHYS 4451
 - 7.3.8.3. History
 - 7.3.8.3.1. New course titles for HIST 4480 and HIST 4481
 - 7.3.8.4. Mathematics and Statistics
 - 7.3.8.4.1. New prerequisite for MATH 2208
 - 7.3.8.5. Modern Languages
 - 7.3.8.5.1. Removal of prerequisite and new description for FREN 2254
 - 7.3.8.5.2. New prerequisite for FREN 3315
 - 7.3.8.6. Philosophy/Religious Studies
 - 7.3.8.6.1. New prerequisite and description for PHIL 3300
 - 7.3.8.7. Sociology/Anthropology
 - 7.3.8.7.1. New Cross-listing and prerequisites for SOAN 3651/CANA 3651
 - 7.3.8.7.2. New Cross-listing and prerequisites for SOAN 3652/CANA 3652
- 7.4. Nominations (M. McGonnell)
 - 7.4.1. Nominations for Senate Committee Vacancies (*for Approval*)
 - 7.4.2. Election of Senator to Presidential Evaluation Ad Hoc Committee
- 8. Other Reports
 - 8.1. FA President's Report on Board of Governors' Meeting (C. Barker)
 - 8.2. Students' Union (S. Zegarra)
 - 8.3. Strategic Plan (J. Dickinson)
- 9. New Business
- 10. Items for Communication (P. Crouse)
- 11. Adjournment