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Wednesday, October 03, 2012
Room 2-31, South Academic Building
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

OPENING SESSION

Presenter(s)

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| 1. Approval of the Agenda | Bill Connor |
| 2. Approval of the Open Session Minutes of September 5, 2012 (to be distributed) | Bill Connor |
| 3. Comments from the Co-Chair | Bill Connor |

DISCUSSION ITEMS

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| 4. Availability of Data on Grading Patterns (no documents) | Bill Connor
Ada Schmude |
| 5. Universal Student Ratings of Instruction (USRI) – Continuing Discussion (no documents)
(Note: Members are asked to bring to this meeting the ‘Evaluation of Teaching at the University of Alberta/Report of the Sub-committee of the [GFC] Committee on the Learning Environment’ forwarded by the GFC CLE Coordinator to the Committee for review on September 14, 2012. In addition, Dr R Milner, GFC CLE member, has provided an updated version of the summary document on USRIs she shared at the GFC CLE meeting of September 5, 2012—this document is included herein for the information of members.) | Bill Connor |
| 6. GFC Committee on the Learning Environment (CLE) Subcommittee on Attributes and Competencies Report: Update (no documents) | Nathan Andrews
Dustin Chelen |
| 7. Joint Subcommittee on the GFC Committee on the Learning Environment (CLE)/Teaching, Learning and Technology (TLAT) Council Fostering Pedagogy of Technology Report: Update (no documents) | John Boeglin |
| 8. Working Group on Online Course/Teaching Evaluations: Update (no documents) | Scott Delinger |

STANDING ITEMS

Should any member have questions regarding the activities of any of the following committees, they are asked to contact University Governance at least two business days prior to the meeting so that arrangements can be made to allow for an informed discussion.

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| 9. GFC Academic Planning Committee (APC) Update (no documents)
(To access information relevant to this committee, see:
http://www.governance.ualberta.ca/en/GeneralFacultiesCouncil/AcademicPlanningCommittee.aspx) | Bill Connor |
| 10. GFC Academic Standards Committee (ASC) Update (no documents) | Bill Connor |

(To access information relevant to this committee, see:
<http://www.governance.ualberta.ca/GeneralFacultiesCouncil/AcademicStandardsCommittee.aspx>)

11. GFC Facilities Development Committee (FDC) Update (no documents) Bill Connor
(To access information relevant to this committee, see:
<http://www.governance.ualberta.ca/GeneralFacultiesCouncil/FacilitiesDevelopmentCommittee.aspx>)

12. Teaching, Learning and Technology (TLAT) Council Update (no documents) Bill Connor
(To access information relevant to this committee, see:
<http://www.provost.ualberta.ca/en/CommitteesandTaskForces/TLAT.aspx>)

13. Question Period

INFORMATION REPORTS

14. Items Approved by the Committee by E-Mail Ballots (non-debatable) Bill Connor

No items to date.

The following items were sent to members between meetings. Any member wishing to debate an item must contact University Governance at least two 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.

15. Information Items Forwarded to Committee Members Between Meetings Bill Connor

➤ Evaluation of Teaching at the University of Alberta/Report of the Subcommittee of the [GFC] Committee on the Learning Environment [CLE] - For Your Review [E-Mailed to Members on September 14, 2012]

CLOSING SESSION

16. Next meeting date: Wednesday, November 07, 2012 Bill Connor

17. Next General Faculties Council meeting date: October 29, 2012

Documentation was before members unless otherwise noted.

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Presenters:

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John Boeglin Chair, Joint Subcommittee on the GFC Committee on the Learning Environment/Teaching, Learning and Technology Council Fostering

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Dustin Chelen	Pedagogy of Technology Co-Chair, GFC Committee on the Learning Environment Subcommittee on Attributes and Competencies
Bill Connor	Vice-Provost (Academic Programs and Instruction) and Co-Chair, GFC Committee on the Learning Environment (and Chair, GFC Academic Standards Committee)
Scott Delinger	Information Technology Strategic Initiatives Officer, Office of the Provost and Vice-President (Academic)
Ada Schmude	Associate Registrar and Director of Enrolment Services, Office of the Registrar