



TO: All Full-time Faculty Members
FROM: Faculty Senate Agenda Committee
SUBJECT: Faculty Senate Meeting

The third meeting of the sixty-sixth Faculty Senate will be:

Date: Wednesday, October 7, 2026

Time: 11:45 AM to 1:25 p.m. ET

VIRTUAL MEETING via Teams

Please note, the meeting will be recorded for the purpose of taking notes. All Senators and Appointed Administrators have been sent an invite.

We ask all participants to start the meeting muted.

Supporting curriculum documentation is embedded in curriculum proposal name. Click on program name. You will be brought to Courseleaf.

I. CALL TO ORDER.

APPROVAL OF 9_23_26 MINUTES.

II. REPORTS

- A. SAC REPORT (PROFESSOR DEE SPENCER, DMSB).**
- B. PROVOST'S REPORT (INTERIM PROVOST THOMAS SHEAHAN).**
- C. QUESTIONS AND DISCUSSION.**
- D. CURRICULUM ITEMS:**

- 1. ACADEMIC PROPOSAL: UNIVERSITY GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE PROGRAM IN THE COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES (TEACHING PROFESSOR AND ASSOC. DEAN CORLISS THOMPSON)**

BE IT RESOLVED That the University establish the Master of Education in [Applied Education Research, MEd](#) (Online) in the College of Professional Studies as approved by the University Graduate Curriculum Committee 27 May, 2026 (15-0-0).

- 2. ACADEMIC PROPOSAL: UNIVERSITY GRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE PROGRAM IN THE COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES (ASSIST. DEAN OF DOCTORAL PROGRAMS SHANNON ALPERT)**

BE IT RESOLVED That the University establish the Master of Professional Studies in [Applied Professional Studies, MPS](#), (Primarily Online) in the College of Professional Studies as approved by the University Graduate Curriculum Committee 27 May, 2026 (14-0-0).

III. NEW BUSINESS

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