## Agenda Academic Council Meeting August 17, 2011 7:45 a.m., University Center 221

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Updates:
  - a. Working Group to Improve Student Academic Success (WGISAS)
    - 1) Revised Recommendation 12
    - 2) Early Alert mandatory at 5 weeks; optional at 3 and 8 weeks
    - 3) Encouraging Student Participation
  - b. Turnitin update
  - c. Name change contacts/projects/notifications/etc.
    - -website updates
  - d. Status of program review for AY 2011-12
  - e. IT training
  - f. HLC
    - 1) Graduate programming
    - 2) Criteria
    - 3) Approval of Certificate Programs HLC approval; Curriculum Committee (add information to its manual?)
  - g. Participation in Student Showcase 2012
- 3. New part-time faculty salary structure (highest degree earned)
  - a. Institutional Usage
  - b. Mandatory evaluations
- 4. Finals during finals week
- 5. Buses
- 6. Summer school course opportunities planning for summer 2012
- 7. Honors courses for spring

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Upcoming Activities/Due Dates:

September 2 – Faculty Professional Development Fund proposals due

September 7 – Next department head meeting