



State University of New York College of
Environmental Science and Forestry
Academic Affairs Committee

Minutes for November 16, 2021 Meeting

Voting members present: Eddie Bevilacqua, John Farrell (for Kim Schulz), Robin Hoffman, Silje Kristiansen, Shijie Liu, Ruth Owens, Scott Shannon (for Joanie Mahoney) Wendong Tao, Fran Webster

Non-voting members present: Melanie Berger, Jeremy Coleman, Casey Duffy, Ashley Gouger, Beth Minard, Ann Moore, Leslie Rutkowski, Sue Sanford, Mary Triano, Erin Tochelli

1. Call to Order (Bevilacqua) **11:02 AM**
2. Approval of Minutes, by acclamation.
3. Administrative Approval:
EST 770 Regenerative Approaches to Sustainable Futures (10/22/2021)- title change/catalog description change
4. Old Business
 - Course Proposal Form
 - 2.1.3 needs a period.
 - Change title to Academic Affairs Committee
 - Glossary of terms (shared resources, acronyms for example).
 - Bylaw changes
 - Change to voting membership is now in effect
 - Need a rep from Interdisciplinary Programs
 - Web updates will be needed to reflect changes.
5. New Business
 - Several departments are planning multiple curriculum changes. Expect a busy spring for the Committee.
 - SUNY General Education changes were approved by SUNY BOT. Guidance should be provided to campuses in December
 - Kim Armani will be serving as Interim Dean of Grad/Assoc Provost of Instruction while search for Scott's replacement is conducted.

Adjourned 11:29 AM

Last meeting of semester:
Tuesday, December 14, 2021

Spring meeting dates:
Tuesday, January 25, 2022
Tuesday, February 22, 2022
Tuesday, March 22, 2022
Tuesday, April 12, 2022
Tuesday, April 26, 2022 (if needed)