

University of Central Arkansas
Council of Deans
Wednesday, August 16, 2023
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Wingo 214

MINUTES

1. Welcome: The Council of Deans met on Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 9:00 am in Wingo 214. Provost Poulter presided and the following members were present: Stephen Addison, Angela Barlow, Kurt Boniecki, Victoria Groves-Scott, Michael Hargis, Nancy Reese, Patricia Smith, and Tom Williams

1. Action Items

- a. June 14, 2023 Minutes: A motion by Stephen Addison and second by Patricia Smith was made to approve the minutes from June 14, 2023 as presented. The motion carried.
- b. Department of Philosophy and Religion Name Change: A motion by Kurt Boniecki and second by Nancy Reese was made to approve a proposal to change the name of the Department of Philosophy and Religion to the Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies. The motion carried.

2. Business: No business.

3. Discussion

- a. Graduate Class Enrollment: Members discussed graduate class enrollment.
- b. Division Updates: Members provided an update on their respective college.

4. Important Dates

August 20: Freshmen Convocation - 7:00 pm
August 23: Fall Convocation - 9:00 am
August 24: Classes Begin
August 30: COD Meeting - 9:00 am
September 7: University Announcement
September 13: COD Meeting-Joy Ritchey - 9:00 am
September 19: Campus Talk - X-period

Academic Affairs Initiatives

Diversity, Belonging, Inclusion, and Equity - Continuing project
Policy and Process Improvements - Continuing project
First-year Seminar Program - Continuing project

Summer School Guidelines – Continuing

With no further business the meeting adjourned at 10:45 am.