

University of Central Arkansas
Council of Deans
Wednesday, September 13, 2023
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Wingo 213

MINUTES

1. Welcome: The Council of Deans met on Wednesday, September 13, 2023 at 9:00 am in Wingo 213. Provost Poulter presided and the following members were present: Stephen Addison, Victoria Groves-Scott, Michael Hargis, Chad Lairamore (for Nancy Reese), Patricia Smith, and Tom Williams. Guests: Joy Ritchey and Kim Ashley-Pauley

2. Guest Discussion

- a. Joy Ritchey, Director and Kim Ashley-Pauley, Research Compliance Officer, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs: Ms. Ritchey and Ms. Ashley-Pauley shared information regarding the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs and emphasized the importance of offering NARCAN training for faculty, staff, and students.

5. Discussion

- a. UCA Commitment/Department of Student Transitions: Members discussed how to support student and faculty development for underprepared incoming students.
- b. UCA Commitment/First year Core course data: Members discussed first year course data. Provost Poulter reshared the spreadsheet.
- c. Division Updates: Members shared information regarding their respective college.

6. Important Dates tltc 0 Tw 0 -1. E4 (ga)4