

**Ferris State University  
Academic Senate Meeting  
November 18, 2008 – 6:00 p.m.  
West Campus Community Center**

I. **Call to Order:** **President Griffin** called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

II. **Attendance:**

*Officers Present:* President Richard Griffin, Vice-President Michael Berghoef, Secretary Lucy Ngoh

*Senators Present:* Abbasabadi, Alspach, Beistle, Berghoef, Brandly, Cline, Cron, Drake, Goosen, Haneline, Hanna, D., Hansen, Isler, Jewett, Jorsch, Klatt, Lashaway-Bokina, LovstedNelson, Nagel, Purvis, Sanderson, Schmidt, Smith, Sun, Topcu, Weemaes

*Senators Absent:* Dakkuri, DeKoster, Ding (excused), Hanna, H., (excused), Kouider, Liszewski (excused), , McLean, Morcom, Nash, Papo, Smith, W., Thapa, Wellman

*Ex-Officio Members Present:* Interim Vice President Academic Affair Daniel Burcham

*Ex-Officio Members Absent:* Student Government President Amber Balmer

*Guests:* Don Flickinger, Roberta Teahen, Michael Cairns, Grant Snider, Kitty Manley, Gary Ovan, Jeff Carney, Sheila Mac Eachron, Susan Hastings-Bishop, Matt Waggenheim, Jim Bandstra, Fred Heck, Clare Cook, Roger Daugherty, Reinhold Hill, Matt Pinter, Mary Ann Heidemann, Bob Speirs, Donna Smith, Katherine LaPeitra, Bob Carter, Matt Yang, Dennis Smith, Ken Kuk, Trinity Williams, Ron Mehringer

III. **New Business**

A. **Academic Program Review Recommendations – Dr. Douglas Haneline**, Chair  
A complete Academic Program Review document is Attachment A of these minutes.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Jewett**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Nuclear Medicine Technology Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Nagel**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Career and Technical Education Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Hanna**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Training in Business and Industry Report. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Ngoh**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the academic minor in French program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Sanderson**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Theater Arts Minor program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Nagel**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Professional Golf Management Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Drake**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Computer Networks and Systems, Electrical/Electronics Engineering and the Industrial Electronics Technology Programs. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Drake**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Plastics Engineering and Plastics Technology Programs. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Ngoh**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Printing & Digital Graphic Imaging Technology, the Printing Management and the New Media Printing and Publishing Programs. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Nagel**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Rubber Technology and the Rubber Engineering Technology Programs. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Drake**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Welding Engineering and Welding Technology Programs. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Ngoh**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the General Education Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Nelson**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Business Administration Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Ngoh**, moved to accept and adopt the recommendation of the Academic Program Review Council for the Sociology Program. Motion carried.

**Senator Haneline, with support from Senator Sanderson**, moved to accept the General Recommendations of the Academic Program Review Council. Motion carried.

**IV. Adjournment - Motion to adjourn at 7:43 p.m.**

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Lucy Ngoh, Secretary

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Richard Griffin, President