

BSS Department Meeting Agenda
Thursday, March 27, 2014
12:00 - 1 p.m. - Room 411

Welcome – Kevin White

1. Action: Approval of Minutes 1-23-14

1 Division Keeping & Discussion:

- Welcome new faculty: Dohna Rasmussen (Sociology)
- Hiring Committees Updates: Sociology—hired Dohna Rasmussen, Geography, Psychology, and Political Science
- 2 year scheduling plan—almost completed
- Book orders: in advance to link ISBN number to course selection
- Full/Part-time Evaluations—and professional duties—for the Spring
- Mentorship Program for new/Part-time faculty
- AGS Awards ceremony
- Development of Department Policies:
 - i. Teaching schedules; Distance Education; Doubles, Triples, & Quads; Class selection process; Dept. hiring interviews

2 Updates:

- Disciplines: what's happening in your discipline/area?
- AD Degree for Transfer and Program Pathways –Refine in Spring, deploy in Fall
- Changes in the Psychology ADT
 - i. Statistics
 - ii. Research Methods
- Program Reviews
- Campus Hour/Professional Development – Master calendar
- Distance Education – BSS courses underdevelopment

- 3 Discipline/Area Meetings: plan to meet and develop SLO timeline & activities

- 4 Other items:

Next meeting: April 17th Please commit our last meeting to your Academic calendar

For the good of the order: