

Academic Standards Council
Agenda for Friday, 18 March 2022, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Zoom Meeting

Attendance:

Absent but Excused:

Recording Administrative Assistant: Ann Medinger

1) Repeating Courses

Please review suggested revision to ISU policy on repeating courses, drafted by Curt Whitaker and Joann Trimmer. Revised language here attempts to observe concerns voiced at our last meeting within the parameters of ISU's Banner system. (action item; vote needed)

2) Credit for Military Service and Joint Service Transcripts (JSTs)

Please review revised copy to our undergraduate catalog on credit for military service and JSTs, drafted by Office of the Registrar. The revisions do not change existing policy but only add more detailed explanation; no vote is therefore needed. Further revisions to language on the Registrar's website regarding this issue will be forthcoming at a subsequent meeting. (discussion item)

3) Certificates at ISU and Elsewhere

Please read email thread from Lyle Castle and Joann Trimmer to become familiar with some issues pertaining to certificate programs, and review as well the links on "Examples of Certificate Programs at Some Neighbor/Peer Institutions." This issue is a large one that Academic Affairs and the Registrar's Office have asked us to look into to provide guidance. We will begin a discussion that will thus most likely continue into next school year. When our meeting has finished, I will ask those of you who are interested to stay after for a few minutes to sketch out how we can gather further information. (discussion item)

4) Turnitin Plagiarism Service

Blake Beck, Director of Educational Technologies and eISU, will address the group regarding recent developments with ISU's subscription to the Turnitin plagiarism detection service. (discussion item)