

Academic Standards Council

Agenda for Friday, 17 February 2023, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

HyFlex Meeting: Room 102 (Administration Building) and Zoom

1) Second Bachelor's Degree

Please review in Box the revised copy on the question of second Bachelor's degrees, with edits in response to our discussion from the ASC January meeting. If you have objections to any of these edits, please email me by the close of the business day on Wednesday, 15 February, so that I can try to address them in advance of our meeting on Friday. Our meeting this week will be our last opportunity to approve new policy on this issue for the 2023 catalog. (action item)

2) Challenge Exams

Please review in Box existing policy on challenge exams and a suggested additional sentence to this policy. Existing policy was written three years ago by Curt Whitaker in consultation with Jessica Winston, Chair of English and Philosophy. Subsequent experience with the policy suggests some clarification with regard to the testing timeline is needed. As with Agenda Item #1, if you have objections to this addition to policy, please email me by the end of the business day on Wednesday, 15 February, so I can try to address them before the meeting. This meeting will be our last opportunity to adjust policy for the 2023 catalog. (action item)

3) Certificates

a) Website

Please review in Box suggested paragraph to be added to the [ISU Certificates Webpage](#). The language here is meant to be student-friendly; a more bureaucratic, third-person version of the paragraph will be suggested for placement in the ISU undergrad catalog. (discussion item)

b) Certificate Policy Comparisons

Please review in Box the links on certificate policies at various institutions. These restrictions on certificates are examples of potential policies we discussed during our meeting in January. When you click on the given links, scroll down to where the type of certificate restriction is stipulated. (discussion item)