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Date:12 June 2020To:All Members of SenateFrom:Dr Tatjana Takseva, Chairperson of Senate

Re: <u>Senate Meeting – 19 June 2020</u>

There will be a Zoom meeting of Senate on Friday, 19 June 2020 at 2:00 P.M. Connection information below:

A G E N D A

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. <u>REPORT OF AGENDA COMMITTEE</u>

- 3. **PRESIDENT'S REPORT** Appendix A (10 min)
- 4. VICE-PRESIDENT ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH REPORT Appendix B (10 min)
- 5. <u>SMUSA PRESIDENT'S REPORT</u> Appendix C (5 min)
- 6. <u>**OUESTION PERIOD**</u> (length at the discretion of chair based on business volume)

7. <u>MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING</u>

- .01 Minutes of previous meeting of May 15, 2020, Appendix D1
- .02 Minutes of previous meeting of June 3, 2020, *Appendix D2*

8. <u>BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES</u>

- .01 Senate Committee on Learning and Teaching Recommendations for revisions to Senate Policy on the Academic Implications of Disruptions of University Business (deferred to July)
- .02 Senate Executive / Bylaws Committees revisions to section 5.2.11 Executive Committee (deferred to July)

9. <u>OUTSTANDING ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS AGENDAS</u>

.01 Continuing discussion on respectful behaviour on campus, and Code of Conduct enhancement.

10. <u>REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES</u>

- a) Academic Planning Committee
 - i. Chemistry Program Review documentation *Appendix E* – APC Notice of Motion, *Appendix F* - Recommendation-Comparison summary (includes Dean's response to ERC rpt), *Appendix G*- Self Study Report, *Appendix H* - Self Study appendices (H1-H4), *Appendix I* – Dean's Response to Self Study, *Appendix J* - External Review Committee's (ERC) Final Report, *Appendix K* -Department Response to ERC Report.

- ii. Computing Information Systems Program Review documentation *Appendix L* – APC Notice of Motion, *Appendix M* – Recommendation-Comparison summary, *Appendix N*- Self Study Report, *Appendix O* - Self Study appendices (O1-O5), *Appendix P* – Dean's Response to Self Study, *Appendix Q* - External Review Committee's (ERC) Final Report, *Appendix R* - Department Response to ERC Report, *Appendix S* – Deans Response to ERC Report / Dept Response.
- b) Academic Regulations Committee
 - i. *Appendix T1* ARC Notice of Motion, and *Appendix T2* Revisions to undergrad Academic Regulation #18 and graduate Academic Regulation #33 Academic Integrity.
 - ii. Appendix U1 ARC Notice of Motion, and Appendix U2 Revisions to undergrad Academic Regulation #11 and graduate Academic Regulation #31 - Academic Appeals.
 - iii. Appendix V1 ARC Notice of Motion, and Appendix V2 Revisions to undergrad Academic Regulation #10 and graduate Academic Regulation #26 (Special Examinations), undergraduate Academic Regulation 7h (Standing Required), and undergraduate Academic Regulation #8 (Tests, Examinations and Evaluations).
 - iv. Appendix W1 ARC Notice of Motion, and Appendix W2 Revisions to undergrad Academic Regulation #6 and graduate Academic Regulation #29 (Grade Point Average), undergraduate Academic Regulation #15 (Procedure for Changing Faculty), undergrad Academic Regulation #19 and graduate Academic Regulation #4 (Advanced Standing), and undergraduate Academic Regulation #20 and graduate Academic Regulation #13 (Transfer Credit Hours).

11. <u>**REPORTS OF AD-HOC COMMITTEES**</u> None.

12. <u>**REPORTS OF JOINT COMMITTEES**</u> None.

13. <u>NEW BUSINESS FROM</u>

- a) Floor (not involving notice of motion)
 - 1. Conferring the degrees and distinctions for the BNUZ students, enrolled in our joint Commerce program at Beijing Normal University in Zhuhai.
 - 2. Program Reviews and Impact of the Recently Implemented Moratorium on New Contracts (SMUFU CA Art. 23). Implications for sessional and part-time hiring?
 - 3. Discussion items concerning the impact of full online delivery on academic programming and integrity.
- b) Floor (involving notice of motion)
- c) Chair

14. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

Tatjana Takseva Chairperson of Senate

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