

**Council of Academic Deans Meeting
October 23, 2018**

Summary and Action Items

1. **August 2019 Calendar** – Mr. Gary Ray reviewed the August 2019 Calendar with the Council.
2. **Predatory Publishers** – Dr. Debbie Thorne discussed with the Council issues regarding predatory publishers. Dr. Thorne shared information from Cabells regarding best practices for identifying deceptive, fraudulent, and/or predatory practices.
3. **Faculty Qualifications System and SACSCOC** – Dr. Thorne reinforced with the deans the importance of faculty updating their vitas in the faculty qualifications system.
4. **Undergraduate Admissions Report** – Mr. Gary Ray provided the Council with the undergraduate admissions report.
5. **Graduate Admissions Report** – Dr. Andrea Golato provided the Council with the graduate admissions report.