

**Council of Academic Deans Meeting
October 24, 2012**

Summary and Action Items

• **Curriculum Proposals:**

- Delete the Bachelor of Music major in Jazz Studies and add a Jazz concentration under the Bachelor of Music major in Performance
- Add Master of Science in Nursing major in Family Nurse Practitioner
- Delete the Master of Arts in Applied Geography major in Geography Land Management
- Delete the Master of Arts major in Health Psychology and add a Master of Arts major in Psychological Research
- Change the Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences major in Family and Consumer Sciences to a major in Consumer Affairs and change the minor in Consumer Science to Consumer Affairs

All proposals were approved.

- **Human Resources Liaison Meeting:** Several staff members from the Office of Human Resources provided the Council with updates and addressed questions for current, pending, and/or future HR policy and procedures.
- **Presidential Work Life Advisory Council:** Dr. Roseann Mandziuk provided the Council with an overview of the benefits of Bobcat Balance as well as an update of the work that the Work Life Council has been conducting.
- **Electronic Text Demonstration:** Dr. Debbie Thorne provided the Council with an online demonstration on how to use electronic textbooks as well as an Open Learning Initiative demonstration.
- **PPS 6.11 – Presidential Awards for Excellence in Service, Scholarly/Creative Activities, Teaching and Presidential Seminar:** Dr. Ron Brown asked the Deans if they wanted to follow the same procedure as the College of Fine Arts and Communication in respect to candidates having their nomination packets reviewed at the college level.
- **Campus Evacuation Procedures in the Event of a Bomb Threat:** Dr. Cynthia Opheim distributed a handout regarding the procedures in the event of a bomb threat.