

ACADEMIC COUNCIL Minutes June 14, 2026

Present: Vicki Bingham, Joe Childs, Leslie Griffin, Kristen Land, Jeffrey Leffler, Tammy Prather, Fawn Ussery, Merideth Van Namen, Jon Westfall
Absent: Heather Miller

Guests: None

Call to order: The Academic Council held a special meeting to vote via email on June 14, 2026, starting at 1:59 p.m.

Agenda item	Comments/Discussion	Action taken	Responsible party
Approval of Agenda:	Dr. Leffler presented an agenda to approve proposed language for artificial intelligence usage by students to be included in the DSU syllabus template.		Jeffrey Leffler
Approval of Minutes:	N/A		
Discussion Items			

Provost's Updates	None		Leslie Griffin
Action Items: New Business Policies and Forms			
	<u>Course Fee Actions: College of Business and Aviation</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Jeffrey Leffler shared a taskforce created proposal of syllabus language for policies regarding student use of artificial intelligence in assignments to be included in the DSU syllabus template. 	Passed	Jeffrey Leffler

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proposed actions include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Propose language to include a three-tier identification of how artificial intelligence may be used in courses. Language will be added to the official DSU Syllabus template. <p>A motion was made by Dr. Jeffrey Leffler to approve the action and was seconded by Dr. Merideth Van Namen. All in Favor.</p>		
Policy Actions:	None		Jeffrey Leffler
Discussion	None		Leslie Griffin
Announcements:	None		
Adjourned:	11:59 p.m.		
Next Meeting:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next Meeting Date: Thursday, July 23, 2026, 8:30 am in the Janice Wyatt Conference Room 		