

AGENDA
MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE
THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT PEMBROKE

Tuesday, April 11, 2017, @ 3:30 P.M.
University Center – Room 233

Robert Arndt, ARTS (Chair)
Dorea Bonneau, (EDUC)
Mark Thompson, LETT (Secretary)
Rita Hagevik, NS&M
Pam Morgan, S&BS
Jesse Rouse, at-large
Joe West, at-large
Derek Oxendine Center for Student
Success

Nancy Crouch, AVC for Technology
Resources and Chief Information
Officer (Liz Cummings)
Dennis Swanson, Dean Library Services
Nicolette Campos, Accessibility
Resource Center
Michael Bernsten, Director Writing
Center
Nicholas Palmer, SGA Senator
Graduate Student Rep

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of the Minutes of the March Meeting
3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Reports
 - a) Accessibility Resource Center
 - b) Center for Student Success
 - c) Division of Information Technology
 - d) Mary Livermore Library
 - e) Writing Center
5. Old Business
6. New Business
 - a) Issue: Transfer students coming to UNCP have very limited choices when registering for courses in their first semester at UNCP. This applies to almost all transfers, including those needing to register for Gen Ed and major classes. Thus, it seems as they are starting off at a disadvantage academically. Often times the schedule is created by arranging random or unordered courses just to be able to have a full schedule that may also take place at a variety of times. I wonder if there is some strategic solution that could be implemented for transfers such as closing certain sections of Gen Ed courses to “reserve” seats for these students. Ideally, transfers coming in with an associate’s degree and/or those seeking courses in a major would also have more ideal options that just whatever sections may be open. As these students have chosen UNCP to continue their education and complete a degree, it seems UNCP should be more accommodating to ensure their success.

I did briefly discuss my observation with Derek Oxendine and some of his staff at the January transfer orientation.

7. Announcements

a) Next Meeting—September 12, 2017

8. Adjournment