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TO: Lee Bidwell, Faculty Senate Chair
FROM: Melissa Rhoten, EPC Chair
DATE: April 15, 2026
RE: Final EPC Report to Faculty Senate

Committee on Educational Policy (EPC) Final Report 2025-2026

The voting members of EPC for the 2025-2026 academic year were Melissa Rhoten (Chair), Erin Wallace (CGPS Curriculum Chair), Tom PlaHovinsak (CBE Curriculum Chair), Sara Miller (CEHHS Curriculum Chair), Adam Franssen (CCCAS Curriculum Chair), Scott Grether, Hannah Dudley-Shotwell, Shawn Smith, Bill Abrams, Amanda MacNeil, Erin Waggoner, Justin Jordan, and Tara McDaniel (OTP Representative). Ex-Officio (non-voting) members were David Shoenthal (SACSCOC/SCHEV Liaison), Susan Hines (Registrar), and Jesse McDaniel (administrative support).

The committee presented a total of 210 proposals to Faculty Senate this year, including 112 course proposals, 92 program proposals, and 6 policy proposals. In addition, the committee discussed revisions to the curriculum handbook and assisted colleagues with Curriculog.

I am honored to serve on and chair this committee. Thank you for the opportunity!

Respectfully,
Melissa C. Rhoten, Ph.D.
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