

**Florida Atlantic University  
University Honors Council**

23 February 2018

8:30-10:00 am

Boca – GS 214B and Jupiter – SR 200

**Agenda**

**1) Approval of Minutes** of 26 January 2018 meeting

**2) UUPC Updates:**

- A) ART 3654C H Intro to Programming for Visual Art (approved at UUPC's 29 January 2018 meeting)
- B) ART 4645C H Electronic Objects for Art (approved at UUPC's 29 January 2018 meeting)
- C) IDS 3187 H Law in the Real World (approved at UUPC's 29 January 2018 meeting)
- D) PHI 3655 H Ethics in Business, Government and Society (for the UUPC's 26 February meeting)

**3) New Business:**

- A) Honors in Sociology (New Program Proposal- revised version) Guest: Dr. Ann Branaman (Chair, Sociology Department)
  - 1 PDF Honors in Sociology Packet (7 pages) with the following documents
    - a. Program's description (Proposal)
    - b. New course proposal SYG 4915 (DIR in Sociology mentioned in the program proposal)
    - c. New course proposal SYG 4972 Honors Thesis in Sociology
    - d. Signature page
- B) Max Planck Honors Program (New Program Proposal) (3 PDFs with the following documents)  
Guest: Ms. Michelle Cavallo (Director, Academic Programs in Biology)
  - PDF MPHP Proposal (22 pages)
  - PDF Catalog Changes (23 pages—FYI but not part of UHC's discussion)
  - PDF 15 New Course Proposals (49 pages) and it includes the following courses
    - 1. BSC 4842 Scientific Communication
    - 2. PCB 4066 Advanced Genetics
    - 3. PCB 4162C Adv Cell Imaging for Neuroscientists
    - 4. PCB 4701C Advanced Physiology
    - 5. PCB 4956 Advanced Scientific Writing
    - 6. PSB 4003 Introduction to Neuroscience Research
    - 7. PSB 4112C Adv Techniques in Neuroscience
    - 8. PSB 4902 Alternative Capstone
    - 9. PSB 4910 Honors Mentored Lab Research
    - 10. PSB 4916 Directed Independent Research
    - 11. PSB 4922 Symposium Presentation
    - 12. PSB 4931 Special Topics in Neuroscience
    - 13. PSB 4932 Max Planck Seminar
    - 14. PSB 4951 Journal Club in Neuroscience
    - 15. PSB 4970 Honors Thesis
- C) Change Program Request for Honors in Urban and Regional Planning and Urban Design Program  
1 PDF (16 pages) with the following documents:
  - a. Rationale for changes
  - b. Title change URP 4978 to RI: Planning Capstone
  - c. New course proposal: URP 4924 and syllabus

**4) Announcements:**

Next meeting, Friday, 6 April 2018 (8:30-10:00 am)

**5) Adjourn**