

**Florida Atlantic University
University Honors Council Agenda**

2 October 2026 8:30-10 am Remote: Zoom

1) Approval of Minutes of 17 April 2026 meeting (4 September 2026 meeting was cancelled)

2) UUPC Updates: (27 April 2026 meeting)

Approvals for the Wilkes Honors College:

- ECO 4053 H Philosophy and Theory of Markets. Change title and description of the course
- Changes to Anthropology Concentration and Minor
- Changes to Biological Anthropology Concentration
- Changes to Minor in French and Francophone Studies

UUPC Updates: (14 September meeting)

- No UHC business on their agenda

3) Senate Updates: (27 April 2026 meeting)

Approvals for the College of Education:

- Terminate Undergraduate Research Honors Program: Effective Integration of Educational Impact and Outcomes through Honors Elementary (EIEIO-ELEM Honors) and Secondary (EIEIO-Secondary Honors) Curriculum and Instruction

Approvals for the Wilkes Honors College:

- Remove prerequisite from POS 4609 H The Judicial Process
- Remove ARH 2050 H History of World Art I and ARH 2051 H History of World Art II from Group B Humanities
- Changes to Law and Society Concentration
- Changes to Interdisciplinary Ethics Minor
- Changes to Philosophy Concentration and Minor
- Changes to Political Science Concentration

Senate Updates: (14 September 2026 meeting)

Approvals for the Wilkes Honors College:

- ECO 4053 H Philosophy and Theory of Markets
- Changes to Anthropology Concentration and Minor
- Changes to Biological Anthropology Concentration
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4) Welcome all to new academic year and new members: Dr. Julie Earles, Associate Provost for Academic Affairs (Psychology) (ex officio); Dr. Joao Ricardo Faria, College of Business (Economics); Dr. Nancy Tille-Victoria, Harriet L. Wilkes Honors College (French and Spanish)

5) New Business:

From the WHC: (Chris Strain)

Eliminate duplicate degree options, since the BA and BS requirements were 100% identical (bundled):

- Biology
- Biological Anthropology
- Biological Chemistry
- Chemistry
- Data Science and Analytics
- Environmental Science
- Marine Biology
- Mathematics
- Neuroscience
- Physics
- Psychology

6) Fall 2026 Meetings: 30 October and 20 November **Spring 2027:** 22 January, 19 February, 19 March, 16 April

7) Updates University Honors Program: 264 incoming students; Total: 525 students; 91 Honors Compact Honors in the Major: **Spring: 49** and **Summer: 11**

8) Any other items?

9) Adjourn