



# Undergraduate Studies Council

2025-26

# Action on Charge 1

Review, act, and vote on each undergraduate curriculum proposal

- Approved 25 program proposals (new, change, delete)

# Charges 2-4, 7

2. Coordinate with the Service-Learning Course Approval Committee
3. Create an Ad Hoc Committee charged with updating WMU's definitions of experiential learning and experience driven learning if necessary.

# Charges 2-4, 7

4. Consider how to integrate Service-Learning and Experiential Learning approaches at WMU.
7. Collaborate with the IEC and GSC to provide recommendations on how to best support faculty in global learning

# Action on Charges 2-4, 7

Replaced the Service-Learning Approval Committee with an Experiential Learning Committee to support:

- Experience-driven learning

- Service learning

- Global learning (w/IEC)

# Experiential Learning Committee

## **Elected**

A&S (Humanities)

Diane Riggs

A&S (Sciences and Mathematics)

A&S (Social Sciences)

Aviation

Business

Tim Buchanan

Education and Human Development

Engineering and Applied Science

Damon Miller

Fine Arts

Patricia Villalobos Echeverría

Health and Human Services

Mark Kelly

Unaffiliated Units

Sue Steuer



# Experiential Learning Committee

## **Advisory**

Strategic Initiatives

Sara Nelson

Marketing & Strategic Communications

Tony Proudfoot

## **Ex-Officio and Permanent**

USC Liaison

David Rudge

IEC Liaison

Joe Milostan

Instructional Design

Alyssa Moon

Instructional Design

Wendy Swalla

Career & Student Employment Services

Evan Heiser

## **Student Member**

Undergraduate Student



# Charge 6

Review and consider reducing credit hours to graduation from 122 to 120. Conclude the initiative by producing a report to the Executive Board or a Memorandum of Action.

MOA Passed USC in February



# Charge 5

Explore opportunities, threats, and challenges with respect to Artificial Intelligence as it relates to USC and communicate findings to the Academic and Information Technology Council and to the Executive Board.

Preliminary discussions at February Meeting



# Conclusion

It has been a productive academic year.



Questions?

