

27 November 2023

TO: **WMU Essential Studies Course Review and Approval Committee Members:**
Kimberly Buchholz (substitute for Kate Thomsen); Kirsty Eisenhart; Beth Ernst; Dana Hammond; Mark Kelley; Matilda McLean
Advisory Members: Jaquelyn Bizzell; Jonathan Bush; Lisa DeChano-Cook; Nick Gauthier; Anthony Helms; Melinda Lockett; Randy Ott; Christine Robinson; Colleen Stano; Sharon VanDyken
Ex Officio: Sue Brodasky, Faculty Senate Administrator; Decker Hains, WMU Essential Studies Executive Advisory Committee Representative

FROM: Carol Weideman, Chair

**WMU Essential Studies Course Review and Approval Committee
REVISED AGENDA**

4 December 2023, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Acceptance of the Agenda**
3. **Approval of Minutes**
 - a. WMU Essential Studies Course Review and Approval Committee – 20 and 27 November 2023 Minutes
4. **Reports of Officers**
 - a. Chair Report – Weideman
 - b. Ex Officio Report – Hains
5. **Reports of University Representatives**
 - a. Curriculum Manager – DeChano-Cook
 - b. WMU Essential Studies Faculty Director – Bush
6. **Unfinished Business**
 - a. Curriculum Proposals
 - i. MGMT-2020 - MGMT 2020 - Leading in Business Orgs
 - ii. PHIL-3130 - Philosophy of Law
 - iii. PHIL-3340 - Biomedical Ethics
 - iv. PHYS-1040 - Introduction to the Sky and Solar System
 - v. PHYS-1060 - Introduction to Stars and Galaxies
 - vi. THEA-3480 - Embodying Wellness
7. **New Business**
 - a. Spring 2024 Overview – Bush
 - b. Process Improvements – Weideman
8. **Announcements**
9. **Adjournment**