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MEETING OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE — NOVEMBER 11, 2026

Action Requested: Consider approval of the recommendations of the Academic Affairs Committee from the meeting on November 11, 2026.

1. SUI New Program: Bachelor of Applied Professional Studies in Applied Health Studies
2. UNI New Program: Bachelor of Applied Professional Studies
3. UNI New Program: Bachelor of Arts in Human Services
4. UNI Program Change: Bachelor of Arts in Family and Lifespan Development
5. UNI Program Change: Bachelor of Science in Geography and Geospatial Science
6. UNI Program Termination Requests:
    a. Bachelor of Arts in Gerontology
    b. Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Resource Management
    c. Bachelor of Arts in Geography
    d. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Biomedical
    e. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology
    f. UNI Program Termination: Master of Arts in Women's and Gender Studies
7. ISU Program Termination Requests:
    a. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Physics
    b. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Astrophysics
    c. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Condensed Matter Physics
    d. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in High Energy Physics
    e. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Nuclear Physics
    f. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Biophysics
    g. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Earth Science
    h. Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Toxicology
    i. Doctor of Philosophy in Wind Energy Science Engineering and Policy
    j. Master of Engineering in Energy Systems Engineering
    k. Bachelor of Arts in Environment Studies (secondary major only)
8. SUI Honorary Degree Requests:
    a. Mr. Simon Estes
    b. Mr. Dana Kolpin