

University of North Texas at Dallas  
Academic Council Minutes

October 23, 2018

**Voting Members in Attendance:**

Dr. Karen Shumway, *Dean, School of Business*  
Dr. John Gasko, *Dean, School of Education*  
Dr. Constance Lacy, *Dean, School of Human Services*  
Dr. Glenda Balas, *Dean, School of Liberal Arts & Sciences*  
Dr. Ali Shaqlaih, *Interim Dean, Graduate School*  
Felecia Epps, *Dean, College of Law*  
Dr. Iftekhar Amin, *Faculty Alliance Vice-Chair*  
Rian Wilhite, *Director, Academic Advising*  
Brenda Robertson, *University Librarian*

**Non-Voting Members in Attendance:**

Dr. Betty H. Stewart, *Provost and EVP for Academic Affairs*  
John Capocci, *University Registrar*  
Luis Franco, *University Director of Undergraduate Admissions*  
Dr. Dawn Remmers, *Assistant Provost*

**Other Attendees:**

Katrina Cornish, *Academic Scheduling Coordinator*

**Approval of minutes:**

*September 2018 Minutes approved with nine of ten voting. (closed)*

**Old Business**

*There being no Old Business to discuss, the Council moved on to New Business. (closed)*

All proposed changes are marked as such:  
New items are emboldened and underlined  
Deleted items are marked with a strikethrough line  
Justifications or clarifications are italicized.

## **New Business**

### A. New Graduate Curriculum Approval Process (*Graduate School*)

- *Curriculum items originate from a Graduate faculty member*
- *Approve by the dept. Coordinator and/or the Academic Dean.*
- *Review by school Curriculum Committee*
- *Review by Graduate Council **(Deadline is Feb. 1)***
- *Review by Academic Council*

*Additional Information: Please see attached document.*

*Motion passed with nine of ten voting. **(closed)***

### B. Program Changes (*School of Human Services*)

New DCCCD Pathway request, effective 2018-19 academic year  
Department: Human Services Management Leadership

*Additional Information: Please see attached document.*

*Motion passed with nine of ten voting. **(closed)***

New DCCCD Pathway request, effective 2018-19 academic year  
Department: Child Development Family Studies

*Additional Information: Please see attached document.*

*Motion passed with nine of ten voting. **(closed)***

## **Adjournment.**

Respectfully submitted.

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Executive Assistant to the Provost & Executive Vice President of Academic Affairs

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