**AUC Academic Policies Subcommittee**

**Meeting Minutes**

**December 8, 2020**

**PRESENT:**Mary Beth McKenzie, Pamela McCafferty, Nermin Bayazit, John Crawley, Rachelle Dermer, Walter Jeffko, Amy Kendrick, Mathangi Krishnamurthy, Laurie Link, Monica Maldari,
Irene Martyniuk, Abdel Mustafa, Ozge Ozay, Britton Snyder, Connie Strittmatter, Jiang Yu, Bill Cummings, Karina Bautista, Reid Parsons

**ABSENT:**

Sam Beauchamp, Sam Poole

**GUESTS:** Alberto Cardelle, Laura Bayless, Michael Nosek

Meeting was convened at 3:35 p.m.

**October 13 Meeting Minutes:**

Motion to Consider: Jiang Yu

Second: Abdel Mustafa

Discussion: None

Approved 18-0-1

**November 30 Meeting Minutes:**

Motion to Consider: Abdel Mustafa

Second: Jiang Yu

Discussion: None

Approved 17-0-2

**AUC #23:**

Motion to Consider: Abdel Mustafa

Second: Jiang Yu

Dr. Cardelle and Dr. Bayless spoke to the proposal. The proposers are asking AUC to recognize the Institutional Learning Priorities (ILP) as those of the institution. They are not seeking approval since the proposal does not present a curricular action or policy that departments or students need to follow but rather guidelines, similar to a strategic plan.

Questions: None

Unanimously approved 19-0-0

**AUC #24:**

Motion to Consider: Abdel Mustafa

Second: Mathangi Krishnamurthy

Dr. Cardelle spoke to the proposal which seeks a permanent change to the existing S/U grade policy in order to better address the needs of our students. The proposal would change the deadline for declaring an S/U grade from the Add/Drop deadline to the deadline to withdraw from a course. Also, the following language would be removed for students starting in the fall of 2021 as it no longer applies:

* Only one course in each liberal arts and sciences cluster may be taken S/U

No other change to the policy is being proposed.

Questions: None

Discussion: None

Unanimously approved 19-0-0

Motion to Adjourn: Jiang Yu

Second: Abdel Mustafa

Unanimously approved 19-0-0

Meeting adjourned at 3:51 p.m.