The American University in Cairo (AUC) Provost's Council March 16, 2023 Bacon Crary

Present:

Ehab Abdel-Rahman Provost John Meloy Dean, HUSS

John Swanson Special Advisor to the Provost

Yorgun Marcel Dean of Students

Lotfi Gaafar Dean, School of Science and Engineering

Aziza Ellozy Associate Provost – TLT

Zeinab Amin Associate Provost for Assessment and Accreditation

Ghada Elshimi Dean, Undergraduate Studies

Maha Mourad Associate Dean (Representing Sherif Kamel Dean, School

of Business)

Lamia Eid Interim Dean, Libraries and Learning Technologies Ahmed Abdel Meguid Associate Provost for Enrollment Management

Dina Adly Associate Provost, Sponsored Programs

Dina Abdel Fattah Assistant Professor and Chair School of Business (Guest)

Hoda Mostafa Professor of Practice and Director, CLT (Guest)

Sherine Mahfouz Manager, Academic Communications
Rachel Awad Senior Director, Academic Affairs Projects

Hend Elziki Director, Office of the Provost

Sherif El Sheemy AP for Faculty Affairs, Planning, and Budgeting

Regrets:

Noha El-Mikawy Dean, GAPP

Adham Ramadan Associate Provost, Research and Dean of Graduate Studies

James Ketterer Dean, School of Continuing Education

1. Approval of the Agenda

Agenda approved

2. Approval of the Full minutes of March 2, 2023

Minutes approved

3. Approval of the Online Minutes of March 2, 2023

Minutes approved

4. Planning for an Honor Code at AUC

A draft honor code and pledge are being worked on by the Senate Student Affairs Committee, in collaboration with the Office of the Provost and the Dean of Students. CLT ran a student focus group, and their input as well as that of the PC will be incorporated into the next draft. It will also be shared with the Academic Leadership Forum and the Senate.

5. Winter/Summer Courses

Background:

The Senate Chair and Vice Chair asked the Provost to review the summer and winter course offerings.

6. Discussion on the need for an AI Policy

Different faculty in the same departments' multisection courses are taking different positions on using AI tools. The discussion is about how to talk to students about what is an academic integrity violation when using AI.

7. Updated procedures for declaration in BUS majors

Provost Council members discussed the Current Declaration Criteria and the new proposal for Declaration Criteria.