

Minutes  
University Honors Advisory Council  
10 September 2014

Present: Beckmann, S.; Belasen, A. (by phone); Bell-Scriber, M.; Crk, I.; Hecht, K.; Shustrin, K.; Smallman, L.; Springer, C.; Tucker, C.; Ware, K.; Ruckh, E. (chair)  
Absent: Berger, C.; Dudley, M.; Roucka, T.; Voss, E.  
Guests: Caveny, I.; Toberman, I.; Strasen, C.

I. Announcements

II. Approval of Minutes of 27 August 2014

Hecht motioned approval; Springer seconded. Motioned passed unanimously.

III. Advisory Item: Modified Admissions Process and Timeline for Honors Program

Overall, the Council thought that the various revisions to the application procedures were sound. The Council suggested discussed the possible implications of a deadline for applications for the program. Revision regarding the essay questions were suggested. Suggestions for revisions were made regarding the application form and the evaluator form. The director made all of the suggested revisions. The director forwarded the revised application material to the Director of Admissions and the Vice Chancellor Enrollment Management later in the week and they are in the process of being put up.

IV. Director's Presentation of Honors at SIUE

The director began his presentation about reforming the honors program.