Florida Atlantic University University Honors Council

20 March 2020

Boca – GS 214B; Jupiter – HC 130

And remotely (call in/Web/text)

Minutes

Meeting started at 8:39 am (to adjust for all the remote connections)

Present: Fred Bloetscher; Mare Cudic; Charles Dukes; Michael Harrawood; Michael Harris; Mary Ann Leavitt;

Eric Levy; Diana Mitsova; Michelle Papania; Miguel Á. Vázquez

Absent: Gerald Sim

Ex-officio: Mary Ann Gosser (Chair); Ed Pratt, Donna Chamely-Wiik

Guest: Steven Caudill (Chair of Economics Department)

Minutes of 7 February 2020 meeting approved

1) UUPC Updates:

Items approved at the UUPC's 24 February 2020 meeting:

- **a.** Combined degree for WHC students with a BA or BS in Biological and Physical Sciences into an MS in Artificial Intelligence in the College of Computer Science and Engineering
- b. ASN 3606 H Intro to Asian Studies (remove WAC)

2) Senate Updates:

No honors-related items were entertained at the Senate's 24 February 2020 meeting.

3) New Business:

- a. The ECO 4935 RI H Senior Seminar in Economics new course proposal and the Honors in Economics Program (presented by E. Levy and Dr. Caudill) and its supporting documentation (application form + Honors distinction statement) were approved and a memorandum will be sent to the UUPC.
- b. The two combined degrees for WHC students with a BA or BS concentration in Math with a pathway to either an MS in Mathematics or in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (AMST) in the Department of Mathematical Sciences, Schmidt College of Science were also approved and a memorandum will be sent to the UUPC.
- **4)** Last meeting of the spring 2020 term. We will determine if we need to meet on 10 April. If so, we will do so remotely Boca GS 214B and Jupiter HC 130, call in / Web)

5) Adjourned at 9:22 am