

PRESS RELEASE

DATE: May 5, 2005
FROM: Faculty Senate Office, University of Massachusetts Amherst
SUBJECT: Upcoming Faculty Senate Meeting
MONDAY, MAY 16, 2005, 3:30 p.m., CAMPUS CENTER AUDITORIUM

- **Address by Senator Stanley Rosenberg
(Questions and Discussion to follow)**

- **Special Report of the Academic Matters Council and the General Education Council concerning The Application of General Education Requirements to Returning Students
(John Jenkins and John McCarthy, Chairs, respectively)**
- **Special Report of the Program and Budget Council and the Research Council concerning The Creation of the MassNanoTech Institute (William Richards Adrion and David Ostendorf, Chairs, respectively)**
- **Special Report of the Academic Priorities Council and the Graduate Council concerning a Clinical Nursing Leadership (CNL) Concentration within the existing School of Nursing Master of Science Degree Program (Seshu Desu and D. Anthony Butterfield, Chairs, respectively)**
- **Special Report of the International Studies Council concerning The Auroville, India Program in Sustainable Practice sponsored by Living Routes (Donal Carbaugh and Chris Roberts, Co-Chairs)**
- **Special Report of the International Studies Council concerning The Findhorn, Scotland Program in Sustainable Practice sponsored by Living Routes (Donal Carbaugh and Chris Roberts, Co-Chairs)**
- **Special Report of the Health Council concerning Campus Violence (Robert Sinclair, Chair)**
- **Special Report of the Research Council concerning Procedures for Dealing with Charges of Misconduct in Research and Scholarly Activities at the University of Massachusetts Amherst (David Ostendorf, Chair)**
- **Final Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Coordinating Functions and Responsibilities of the International Programs Office (Philip Nasca, Chair)**
- **Special Report of the Rules Committee concerning The Establishment of an Ad Hoc Committee on Campus Communications (Richard Bogartz, Chair)**
- **Special Report of the Academic Matters Council concerning Academic Regulations Updates (John Jenkins, Chair)**
- **Special Report of the Committee on Committees concerning Nominations to Faculty Senate Councils and Committees (Arthur Kinney, Chair)**

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- **Special Report of the Committee on Committees concerning Membership to the Academic Honesty Board (Arthur Kinney, Chair)**
- **Special Report of the Rules Committee concerning Bylaw Changes (Third and Final Reading) (Richard Bogartz, Chair)**
- **2004-2005 Annual Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Online Learning (Marilyn Billings and Sara McComb, Co-Chairs)**
- **Approval of new courses by the Academic Matters Council (John Jenkins, Chair)**
JUDAIC 363 “Negotiating Religion and State: Jewish Secularism and the Emergence of European Modernity” 3 credits, JUDAIC 373 “Jewish Travelers and Travel Liars: Exploration and Imagination, Ancient to Modern Times” 3 credits, JUDAIC 376 “Post-Holocaust Thought” 3 credits, JUDAIC 383 “Women, Gender, and Judaism” 3 credits, and PLSOILIN 285 “Sustainable Living” 3 credits
- **Approval of a new course by both the Academic Matters Council and the Graduate Council (John Jenkins and D. Anthony Butterfield, Chairs, respectively)**
ENVIRSCI 555 “Environmental Toxicology in Context” 3 credits
- **Elections: Presiding Officer of the Faculty Senate and Faculty Delegate to the Board of Trustees**

- **Remarks by the Chancellor, Provost, other administrative officers and leaders of other campus governance units (Questions)**
- **For more information, contact Ernest May, Secretary of the Faculty Senate**