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FROM: Faculty Senate Office, University of Massachusetts Amherst
SUBJECT: Upcoming Faculty Senate Meeting, November 3, 2011, 3:30 p.m., Herter Hall 227
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- Address by Robert L. Caret, President, University of Massachusetts (Questions and Discussion to follow)
- Special Report of the Academic Matters and Graduate Councils concerning An Accelerated Option for the Master’s Degree in Economics (John Jenkins and Linda Griffin, Chairs, respectively)
- Special Report of the Academic Matters and Graduate Councils concerning An Accelerated Master’s Option – Master in Public Policy (MPP) (John Jenkins and Linda Griffin, Chairs, respectively)
- Special Report of the Academic Matters and Program and Budget Councils concerning a Change to the Bachelor of Business Administration Core Requirements and Accompanying Revision to the Finance and Operations Management Major (John Jenkins, Chair, Academic Matters Council and John McCarthy and Anurag Sharma, Co-Chairs, Program and Budget Council)
- Special Report of the Graduate and Program and Budget Councils concerning Changes to the Master of Science in Public Health (Linda Griffin, Chair, Graduate Council, John McCarthy and Anurag Sharma, Co-Chairs, Program and Budget Council)
- Annual Report of the University Relations and Advancement Council (Joseph Bartolomeo, Chair)
- Special Report of the Rules Committee concerning Bylaw Changes (Joseph Bartolomeo, Chair) 
  *(This is the last of three readings of the motion. It will be voted on at this meeting.)*
- Resolution supporting the Berlin Declaration on Open Access to Knowledge in the Sciences and Humanities
- Approval of new courses by the Academic Matters and Graduate Councils (John Jenkins, Chair, Academic Matters Council and Linda Griffin, Chair, Graduate Council)

*(Remarks by the Secretary of the Faculty Senate and other administrative officers and leaders of other campus governance units (Questions).*