AGENDA

The 776th Regular Meeting of the Faculty Senate
will be held on March 8th at 3:30 p.m. in Herter Hall, Room 227.

A. ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Principal Administrative Officers
2. The Secretary of the Faculty Senate
3. The Chair of the Rules Committee
4. The Faculty Delegates to the Board of Trustees
5. The Representative of the Massachusetts Society of Professors
6. The President of the Graduate Student Senate
7. The President of the Student Government Association
8. The Student Trustee

B. QUESTION PERIOD

C. PRESENTATION: The Online Education Group, John Wells, Provost’s Office
(15 minutes; Questions and Discussion to follow)

[This can also be an occasion for thinking and asking about how the campus can and should respond to the rising interest in non-degree types of learning credentials, such as certificates and continuing professional education units.]

D. UPDATE: Strategic Planning and Accreditation, Nancy Cohen, Senior Planning Officer, Chancellor’s Office
(10 minutes; Questions and Discussion to follow)

E. NEW COURSES

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MOTION: That the Faculty Senate approve the courses ANIMLSCI 256, ANIMLSCI 402, BMED-ENG 230, JOURNAL 339, JOURNAL 495, STOCKSCH 268, UWW 377, ANTHRO 546, COMPSCI 655, LINGUIST 631, SCH-MGMT 681, SCH-MGMT 682, SCH-MGMT 683, SCH-MGMT 684, SCH-MGMT 685, SCH-MGMT 686, SCH-MGMT 687, and SCH-MGMT 711, as recommended by the Academic Matters, General Education and Graduate Councils.

F. NEW BUSINESS

1. Special Report from the Special Nominating Committee for Secretary of the Faculty Senate, as presented in Sen. Doc. No. 18-033.
   (As stipulated in the Bylaws, this report will be received at this meeting, and a vote will take place at the 777th regular meeting on April 12, 2018.)

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