

## UAC Report to Senate

May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

### Council Meeting and Chair-ship

- Last UAC meeting of year occurred on April 20<sup>th</sup>; some work continues through summer
- 2022-2023 UAC Chair Annette Richie stepped down, remains UAC member
- Zakhar Berkovich was nominated as UAC Chair for 2023-2024 and accepted!

### Committees

- Continuing Chairs include Brandon Lewis (**Academic Standing**), Damira Pon (**General Education**), Susanna Fessler (**Curriculum and Honors**), and Zakhar Berkovich (**Interdisciplinary Studies**). There is an opening for GEC co-chair from the teaching faculty for 2023-2024, with excellent candidates among the current roster (2 will be on sabbatical).
- GEC met last on 5/2 to finalize review of course proposals for Gen Ed qualification.
- CAS will continue to meet biweekly re petitions as necessary, as they have all year.

### Business Report Out

- UAC and GAC obtained SEC approval to bring the Bill – **Change to W and S/U Deadlines** to the 5/3 Senate meeting. The bill was passed unanimously in GAC and by all voting UAC members.
- C&H/UAC approved the Bill **Art History B.A. + Liberal Studies M.A.**, which is being presented by GAC at the 5/3 Senate meeting and is sponsored by GAC and UAC. C&H also reviewed a combined Art History B.A. 4+1 with Information Science M.S..
- UAC approved proposal of a 1-credit UUNI 120 academic success course for first-year students as presented by Student Engagement AVP Linda Krzykowski to UAC on 4/20
- UAC received 2 memos from CEHC regarding the new **Cybersecurity B.S.** being approved by SUNY and NYSED, with the same curriculum as existed in deactivated concentration (in B.A.).
  - (1) Two existing **4+1** programs and agreements transition to the new Major (B.S.):
    - (a) the Informatics B.S. and the Digital Forensics and Cybersecurity M.S. (Risk, Policy and Compliance and Health, Security, and Privacy concentrations)
    - (b) Information Science Master of Science Degree (MSIS). Articulation agreements that impacted the Informatics B.S. Cybersecurity concentration also transition to the new Cybersecurity B.S..
  - (2) The current Informatics B.S. **Honors** program will be transitioned to the new Cybersecurity B.S. with no changes. For all matters, the changes will be reflected in the 2023-2024 Undergraduate Bulletin and in university administrative systems.
- UAC **reregistration** review teams approved and forwarded proposals from East Asian Studies (Majors in EAS, Chinese, and Japanese) and Social Welfare.
- **Nursing B.S.** and **new Gen Ed program (DEISJ) implementation** steps are both underway in preparation for fall 2023 activation (scheduling, degree audits, coding, SLOs, apps...).

Thank you to all UAC, CAS, C&H, GEC, and IDS members and to University Senate leadership!