

**UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**April 21, 2025**  
**3:30 p.m.**  
**2420 North End Center and Zoom**  
**AGENDA**

**1. Announcement of the Order of Business**

**Tim Sands**

Items to be placed on the agenda must be submitted to the secretary at least ten days prior to the meeting date. Follow the procedures in Section 2(2) – University Council Bylaws, Article IX, Section 2(2-3).

**2. Announcement of approval and posting of minutes of April 7, 2025**

**Tim Sands**

These minutes have been voted on electronically and will be posted on the University web at [governance.vt.edu](https://governance.vt.edu)

**3. Unfinished Business**

**Tim Sands**

Commission on Graduate and Professional Studies and Policies  
CGPSP Resolution 2024-25B  
Resolution to Revise the Graduate Honor System Constitution

**Renée LeClair**

Commission on Undergraduate Student Affairs  
CUSA Resolution 2024-25A  
Resolution to Update CUSA Membership to Enhance Undergraduate Student Representation

**Aarav Parikh**

**4. New Business**

**Tim Sands**

Commission on Faculty Affairs  
CFA Resolution 2024-25K  
Resolution to Amend the Faculty Handbook to Codify Interest or Discipline-Based Faculty Organizations

**Justin Lemkul**

Commission on Faculty Affairs  
CFA Resolution 2024-25J  
Resolution to Integrate Chapter 12 into Chapters 2 and 5 of the Faculty Handbook

**Justin Lemkul**

Commission on Faculty Affairs  
CFA Resolution 2024-25H  
Resolution to Codify the Faculty Reconciliation Process within the Faculty Affairs Office

**Justin Lemkul**

Commission on Graduate and Professional Student Affairs  
CGPSA Resolution 2024-25B  
Resolution to Clarify Graduate Teaching Assistantships, Graduate Assistants, and Graduate Research Assistants Relationships with Students They Have Academic or Professional Supervision Over

**Rachel Maizel**

Commission on Graduate and Professional Studies and Policies  
CGPSP Resolution 2024-25C  
Resolution to Update the Graduate Catalog

**Renée LeClair**

Commission on Research  
COR Resolution 2024-25A

**Nicole Pitterson**

Resolution to Clarify Eligibility for Postdoctoral Associate Status

Commission on Undergraduate Student Affairs

CUSA Resolution 2024-25B

Resolution to Amend the Undergraduate Student Senate Constitution

**Aarav Parikh**

**5. Announcement of acceptance and posting of University Council Cabinet, Commission, and Committee Minutes**

**Tim Sands**

These minutes have been accepted for filing by electronic vote and will be posted on the University web. University Council By-laws require that policy items be brought forward in resolution form for University Council action.

**Commission on Faculty Affairs**

February 28, 2025

**Commission on Graduate and Professional Student Affairs**

February 12, 2025

**Commission on Outreach and International Affairs**

March 20, 2025

**Commission on Undergraduate Student Affairs**

March 19, 2025

April 2, 2025

**6. Adjournment**

**Tim Sands**