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Faculty Council Meeting Agenda

November 4, 2025

2:30pm-4:00pm

A300, Buffalo Bayou Room

Paul Mandell, Presiding Officer

Arpita Shroff, Associate Presiding Officer

Maria Benavides, Secretary

General Welcome & Introduction	Paul Mandell (5 min)
Approval of the Minutes	(5 min)
Robert's Rules of Order	Arpita Shroff (10 min)
Policy Updates	Judith Quander (10 min)
DocTract – Policy Review process	Christian Purdy (10 min)

Old Business:

2025 Faculty Handbook Taskforce	Pepper/Elking/ Akins/Benavides (5 min)
Faculty Ombuds Search Committee	Rountree/Zhang/ Perez/Petts (5 min)

Standing Agenda Items

Shared Governance Council Reports

• University Curriculum Council	Thomas/Henson/ Pakhrin/Moore (5 min)
• Faculty Affairs Council	Dowie/Albrecht/ Shoemaker/Fedell (5 min)
• Research & Innovation Council	Rufino (5 min)
• Policy Advisory Council	Rountree/Johnson/ Zhang/Benavides (5 min)

- Academic Affairs Council

Hiu/Petts/Sullivan/
Hussein/Mandell/Shroff (5
min)

New Business:

Other/Announcements

Public Comment/Open Forum:

Adjourn