I.     Status of Minutes for October 11, 2019
II.    Discussion Items
   a.     Vice-Chair
   b.     Academic Renewal Policy
   c.     Academic Calendar- Email Laura
   d.     Dr. Frantz:
      i.     Transfer Course: Allowing a repeat from elsewhere to replace an equivalent
taken first at ISU
      ii.    ISU transfers credits but not grades. The issue is that students cannot exclude an
ISU course and grade by taking an equivalent course elsewhere and transferring
it to ISU. An example is the student who received an F grade in WXYZ 1111 at
ISU, then took the equivalent course from ABC College (regionally accredited)
and transferred it to ISU. It can meet the requirements for a general Education
Objective or a major requirement (or both), but the F on the transcript remains.
If the student had earned a D in the course, the D would remain in the GPA.
      iii.   Although we do not accept the grade for the transfer course, should we not
allow the ISU course (credit and grade) to be “excluded” in the GPA calculation?
      iv.    The Deans council members who voiced their views consider the transfer grade
as one that ought to replace the ISU grade automatically, so long as it comes
from an institution with which we have articulation agreements, otherwise it
should be evaluated via petition.