

**MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY**  
**Office of the Provost**  
University Academic Senate Agenda  
November 17, 2008  
AMU Ballroom E - 3:00 – 5:00 PM

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- I. Call to Order. Invocation by Dr. Margaret Callahan
- II. Approval of October 20, 2008 Minutes *(Attachment II)*
- III. Chairperson's Report – Dr. William Thorn *(Attachment III)*  
The effects of gender on Salary-at-hire in the academic labor market (Dr. Peter Toumanoff)
- IV. Provost Report – Dr. John Pauly  
Presentation of U.S. Professor of the Year Certificate to acknowledge the nomination of Dr. Krista Ratcliffe.
- V. Report of Boards and Standing Committees
  - A. University Board of Undergraduate Studies – Dr. Christine Shaw / Dr. Margaret Bloom *(Attachment VA)*
    - 1. Termination of the following majors:
      - a. Broad Field Social Sciences, Major in History
      - b. Broad Field Social Sciences, Major in Political Science
      - c. Broad Field Social Science
      - d. Broad Field Social Sciences, Major in Sociology
      - e. Social Sciences
      - f. Interdisciplinary Major in Social Sciences

(Action: Presented as motions to approve termination of majors)
  - B. University Board of Graduate Studies – Dr. Edward Inderrieden / Dr. William Wiener *(Attachment VB)*
    - 1. Termination of Master of Arts in Teaching (Spanish) Degree  
(Action: Presented as motion to approve termination of degree)
    - 2. Establish following new certificates:
      - a. Post masters certificate – Adult Clinical Nurse Specialist
      - b. Post masters certificate – Gerontologist Nurse CNS

(Action: Presented as motions to approve new certificates)
  - C. Faculty Council – Prof. Edward Fallone  
Discussion on Grade Entry Deadline *(Attachment VC)*
  - D. Committee on Academic Policies & Issues – No Report
  - E. Committee on Faculty Welfare – Dr. Charles (Steve) Melching – No report
- VI. New Business  
Academic Year 2007-2008 Institutional Assessment Data Report – Dr. Margaret Bloom *(Attachments VI,A&B)*