



INDIANA COMMISSION *for* HIGHER EDUCATION

AGENDA

Meeting of the Academic Affairs and Quality Committee

October 27, 2025

2:00 – 3:30 PM (ET)

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Meeting ID: 278 109 577 040 4 Passcode: j3jZ7Bi3

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Member	Appointed By	Term
Dennis Bland, Chair	All Members are Appointed by the Governor	July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2029
Kent Kramer		July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2029
Dan Peterson		July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2028
Dr. Edward Castronova		July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2027
Michael “Jud” Fisher		July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2027
Larry Garatoni		July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2026
Pepper Mulherin		July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2027

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CALL (317) 464-4400

- I. Information Items:
 - a. Info Item A: Academic Degree Programs Awaiting Action
 - b. Info Item B: Academic Program Actions Taken by Staff
- II. Selected New Degree Programs Awaiting Action
 - a. Bachelor of Science in Sports Media – *Indiana University Bloomington*
 - b. Bachelor of Science in Robotics – *Indiana University Bloomington*
 - c. Master of Science in Strategy in Security and Defense Technologies – *Purdue University West Lafayette*
- III. Updates
 - a. CHEDSS-Based Submissions of Routine Staff Actions and Program Proposals
 - b. Under-Threshold Degree Program Review Status

***The Academic Affairs and Quality Committee will meet
Monday, December 15, 2025 from 2:00-3:30 pm (ET).***

*****NOTE: There will be no November committee meeting.*****

- ***Proposals for new degrees and new credit-bearing certificates (13+ Cr Hrs) must be submitted not later than November 21 to be eligible for agenda consideration given the Thanksgiving Holiday.***
- ***Routine Staff Action requests must be submitted not later than December 8 to be eligible for agenda consideration.***