

## UPAC Meeting – Notes

May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Welcome: Allison Ewing-Cooper

8:45 am to 9:05 am: **Major Exploration and The A Center, Executive Undergraduate Program:** Jackie Rindone and Kate Harris

The **A Center** focus on main campus students and includes:

- Major Exploration
- Pre-Health and Pre-Law Advising
- Internship Credit
- Diverse and Inclusive Advising
- Meet your Major Fair (Held in Fall Semesters)
  - o Exploring Virtual options for Fall 2020
- A Center Website Updating
  - o Resources for Family, Friends, etc.
  - o FAQs for Advisors, Faculty and Staff
- SERP 197P: Explore, Discover, Decide....Your Major
  - o 2 units major exploration course for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year students
  - o Offered Fall (online), Spring (in-person), and Summer (online)
- Pathways for Undecided Students
- Major Exploration Workshops
- Executive Undergraduate Program
  - o Dedicated Advisor
  - o Take TLS 100 Freshmen Course (1 unit – Fall of 1<sup>st</sup> semester)
  - o Specific program to help students acclimate to UA and explore major options

9:05 am to 9:20 am: **Wayfinders:** Chris Dziadosz and Roxie Catts

- Provide additional / on the fly advising for students at various campus locations and events
- Provided additional support to students during priority registration and transition to online Spring 2020 semester
- Reaching out to Incoming Freshmen for virtual events to help address concerns

9:20 am to 9:35 am: **Study Abroad & Transfer Credit:** Christy Ball, Lindsay Downs & Mariah Nunes

Study Abroad Office and Transfer Credit Office working together to reduce and streamline the process for determining credit during Study Abroad

- Students input courses into UAbroad application for transfer credit pre-approval
- Students and Advisors receive results of pre-approval from Transfer Credit Office

- Study Abroad Course Applicability to Degree Form
- Process for getting classes approved while abroad – Email: [INTLarticulation@email.arizona.edu](mailto:INTLarticulation@email.arizona.edu)
- Students also get email while abroad, to confirm they are in the correct study abroad courses that were articulated for them.
- UA Students in any study abroad program (whether through UA or not) are required to do the UAbroad application

9:35 am to 9:45 am: **Announce new UPAC Co-Chairs ARC Updates:** Allison Ewing-Cooper

- Congratulations to our new UPAC Co-Chairs:
  - o Sean Kramer-Lazar
  - o Megan Cunnington
- Enter events for UPAC Active Membership at website: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSemTDG1-FZweOYTNZOrrgazU7BNI-hSyluPOcXMAHxOfoPGGA/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSemTDG1-FZweOYTNZOrrgazU7BNI-hSyluPOcXMAHxOfoPGGA/viewform?usp=sf_link)

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