

University Senate Meeting

November 3, 2025

3:15 pm

Hybrid

University Hall, Ruthven, Room 2000

Register for In-Person Attendance:

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Zoom:

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Agenda Items

Time	Topic	Action Item
3:15	Come to Order, Overview, Minutes, and Agenda	Approval
3:25	Motion 1: Motion to Make the Collegiate Travel Partners (CTP) Travel Service Optional <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Mark J. Kushner, William P. Allis Distinguished University Professor, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Chemical Engineering, Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences ● Additional Scheduled Speaker: Jesse Capecelatro, Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering and Associate Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
3:35	Motion 2: Resolution to End the “Pause” and Resume Gender Affirming Care, in Alignment with our University’s Values and the Mission of Michigan Medicine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Rafael Neis, Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature, Professor of History and Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Faculty Director of Arts Learning and Teaching, the Arts Initiative ● Additional Scheduled Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Shanna Kattari, Associate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work and Associate Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Anna Kirkland, Kim Lane Scheppele Collegiate Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, Professor of Sociology, Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health and Professor of Law, Law School 	
3:45	<p>Motion 3: Resolution to Reject Participation in the “Compact for Academic Excellence in Higher Education”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Julian Davis Mortenson, James G. Phillipp Professor of Law, UM Law School 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
3:55	<p>Motion 4: Resolution Demanding a Comprehensive Policy Addressing the Role of Generative Artificial Intelligence at the University of Michigan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Silke-Maria Weineck, Grace Lee Boggs Professor of Comparative Literature and German Studies, LSA 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
4:05	<p>Motion 5: Call to Restore Funding for Consulting for Statistics, Computing, and Analytics Research (CSCAR)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Brady West, Faculty Associate, Population Studies Center, Research Professor, Survey Research Center, Institute for Social Research, Adjunct Lecturer in Quantitative Methods and Social Sciences Program, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Research Professor, Biostatistics, School of Public Health ● Additional Scheduled Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Rachel Best, Associate Professor of Sociology and Director Graduate Studies, Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts ○ Abram Wagner, Assistant Professor of Epidemiology and Assistant Professor of Global Public Health, School of Public Health 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)

4:15	<p>Motion 6: A Resolution Asking the University to Invest the Necessary Resources to Make Our Digital Materials Accessible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Julie Boland, Professor of Psychology and Linguistics, LSA ● Additional Scheduled Speaker: Jamie L. Wraight, Lecturer IV in Social Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences and Letters, The University of Michigan-Dearborn 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
4:25	<p>Motion 7: Motion to Restore Fair Rules and Rule of Law to the University</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Scott Greer, Professor Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health ● Additional Scheduled Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Germine Awad, University Diversity and Social Transformation Professor, Professor of Psychology, Professor of Women's and Gender Studies and Associate Director, Global Islamic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts ○ Craig Smith, Senior Associate Librarian, University Library 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
4:35	<p>Motion 8: Resolution Regarding New H-1B Policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movant: Johannes von Moltke, Rudolf Arnheim Collegiate Professor of German Studies and Film, Television and Media, Acting Director, International Institute, Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures and Professor of Film, Television and Media, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts 	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
4:45	Motion 9: Statement Concerning the Presidential Search Committee	Electronic Voting Starts at 5:30 pm (Open for 72 hours)
4:55	Matters Arising	
5:00	Adjourn	