

UNIVERSITY SENATE REPORT

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Board of Trustees Meeting
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Highlights

Welcome, President Chiang and Provost Wolfe

Report from Purdue Student government about ongoing programming such as Ride Share partnership with Lyft to increase student safety

Update from previous Senate Action re: BMV relocation

Response from Representative Deery:

- Additional training of branch associates to support the needs of foreign nationals. The training will occur in early 2023 and again in the summer as a refresher for associates who work in the university community.
- Special event on Purdue's campus to benefit the international community with the BMV mobile branch. The mobile branch is staffed by BMV associates who can conduct the majority of BMV transactions from the convenience of campus.
- A BMV presence at student fairs and special events to provide education on required documentation.
- Additional promotion and continued availability of appointments to allow students and the local community to plan a trip to the agency with minimal inconvenience

Current Topics of Discussion

- Consideration of DEI as a potential Embedded Outcome
- Response from West Lafayette Senate to comments from Chancellor Keon at PNW
- Updates to Academic Regulations re: Probation, WF Grade, and Stylistic consistency

