

**WLU Board of Governors  
Academic Affairs & Student Life Committee**

January 27, 2026– 9:00 a.m.

Location: President's Conference Room  
Shaw Hall West Conference Room, 208 University Drive, West Liberty, WV 26074

**I. Call to order/Roll Call**

**II. Approval of Minutes**

- Academic Affairs & Student Life Committee Minutes of December 2, 2025

**III. Student Retention and Engagement Software**

- Full implementation in the Spring Semester

**IV. New program development includes:**

- Master of Arts in Counseling (in progress) approved by HEPC, submitted to HLC
- Bachelor of Applied Science (reintroduction under development, starting Fall 2026)

**V. Contribution Margin CLA**

- CLA Completed
- Distribution to Deans and Chairs

**VI. Program Review**

Focused Review – Submission Due Date Dec. 1

- Theater
- Communications
- Community Education
- Music
- Social Sciences
- Data Science
- Exercise Physiology M.S.
- Business Administration M.B.A.
- Speech Language Pathology M.S.

Five-Year Program Review – Submission Due Date Feb. 1

- Creative Art Therapy
- Chemistry
- Elementary Education
- Secondary Education
- Psychology
- MA Art Therapy

Monitoring Reviews – Submission Due Date Feb. 1

- Dental Hygiene AS/BS—Resubmission of supplemental assessment data
- English BA—Indirect measures and contribution margin
- Nursing BS—Assessment plan and contribution margin
- Pre-Professional Speech Pathology & Audiology BS—contribution margin
- Visual Communication BA—Assessment plan data

**VII. Spring 2026 Enrollment Update**

**VIII. Fall 2026 Update**

**IX. Spring 2025 Student Activities**

- Opening Weeks and Resource Fair
- Spring Planning

**X. Enrollment and Retention Initiatives**

- EAB Update
- Website Update

**XI. Arts Update**

- COLCA Open House
- Music Scholarship Auditions

**XII. Athletic Update**

**XIII. Community Connections**

**XIV. Other Discussion**

**XV. Adjournment**