

# Research Council Meeting

February 16, 2023 via Zoom

Attendees: Amy Deveau, Carol Brenner, Charles Tilburg, Cindy Steward, Elizabeth DeWolfe, Gwen Mahon, Ian Meng, Justine Bassett, Michele Polacsek, Nick Gere, Russ Ferland, Mohamed ElSalhy, Sally McCormack Tutt, Shelley Cohen Konrad, Stine Brown, Tom Meuser.

Absentees: Amy Keirstead, Bob Kennedy, Julie Peterson, Karen Houseknecht.

Guest: Mike Sheldon

## Strategic Plan refresh

**MSheldon:** After 5 years, UNE is refreshing the existing Strategic Plan for the next 5 years: A kickoff Meeting was held w/ Leaders of the Strategic Priority Oversight Committees about Review Workplan and Timeline for Refresh on February 13, 2023.

Now, in Spring 2023, there are two parallel processes happening this semester that we are asking your help with:

1. Updating the progress on the current strategic plan. (The latest updated table December 2021 will be shared.)
2. Refresh the language in the current plan.

Updates will be completed, compiled and forwarded to the Communications Department for inclusion in UNE Magazine Autumn 2023 by the end of April 2023. It will be presented to BoT in November 2023.

## Announcements – Updates:

**CBrenner:** “UNE COM Medical Student Research Honors Program & Distinction” in place now.