**The Council of Advisors**

**University of Dubuque Theological Seminary**

**Spring 2024 Meeting**

March 19, 2024 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

Agenda and Participants

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86851659584?pwd=dXBPU3hIV3B6b2dObHB2cGp2SktkZz09>

**9:00-9:10  Opening Devotions with Council of Advisors**

9:10-9:15    Catch up

9:15-9:30 Dr. Mark Ward

Transitions and COA Input for Trustees and Accreditation

9:30-9:50  Updates on Grants;

Overview of Plentiful Gifts Grant

9:50-9:55 Orientation to Discussion with Other UDTS Stakeholders

9:55-10:00 Break

***10:00 Discussion Partners Join***

10:00-10:50 COA Discussion

with alums, grant partners, faculty, staff, students

10:50-11:00 Break – *Discussion Partners depart with our thanks*

11:00-11:45 COA Summary of Reflections, Identification of Observations for Accreditation, Grant Stewardship and 2025 Curriculum Revision

11:45-12:00 Fall Meeting; Membership; Other Business

**12:00 Adjourn with Prayer**

Discussion Group Participants

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| Council | UD Students/Alums | Grant Partners | Faculty/Staff |
| Rev.Dr. Jonathan Brooks  Rev. Eric Hoey | Rev. Kimberly Brumm | EP Larry Beasley  Utica NY | Rev. Emily Blue  Rev. Dr. Bradley Longfield |
| Dr. Ricardo Cunningham  Rev. Shelli Latham  Rev. David Leistra | Connor Morrison  *student* | EP Rev. Dr. Jeff Japinga  John Knox  IA, MN, WI | Rev. Dr. Beth McCaw  Rev. Dr. Loren Shellabarger |
| Rev. Dr. Charles Packer  Rev. Dr. Grant VanderVelden | EP Rev. Ian McMullen | Rev. Dr. Gerry Krupp  NACCC | Dr. Mary Emily Duba  Rev. Samuel Felderman |
| Rev. Rachel Wann  Rev. Cathy Young | Rev. Timothy Polley  Marty Ellison  *student* | EP Rev. Dr. Seth Normington,  East Iowa  TBA | Dr. Lindsey Ward  Becky Shellabarger |