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To: Vancouver Senate

From: Agenda Committee

RE: Topics of Broad Academic Interest, 2010-11

The Agenda Committee has received five (5) submissions in response to the May 2010 call for Topics of Broad Academic Interest. The Committee is currently in the process of following up with proposers and identifying appropriate next steps toward developing these topics for possible discussion by Senate.

At the May 2010 Senate meeting, the Agenda Committee acknowledged the awkward timing of a summer call for submissions, and agreed to consider how best to reach members of the university community. Following further discussion, the Committee recommends that submissions be accepted on an ongoing, year-round basis. A notice to this effect will appear shortly on the Senate website at www.senate.ubc.ca/vancouver.

As per the usual practice, the Agenda Committee will consider how best to proceed in response to each new submission and will report to Senate as appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair