# **Provost Stand-up Meeting Minutes**

Monday, October 9, 2023

**Microsoft Teams** 

8:15 am – 8:30 am

# I. Provost Donna Arnett

• Welcome

### II. Rex Tolliver, Marc Shook, and Lisa Jerald

• Student Affairs and Academic Support

#### III. Shout-out for academic excellence

- Today, I would like to recognize Veterans and Military Services for their outstanding work in supporting the university's veteran and military student population.
- The South Carolina Department of Veteran Affairs recently awarded the University of South Carolina with the Gold Award, its highest level of recognition for colleges and universities throughout the state that demonstrate a commitment to serving their veteran and military populations.
- The Gold Award is part of the Department of Veteran Affairs' statewide Military Academic Recognition Program, which highlights colleges and universities that go above and beyond in their service to veterans and military populations, and the university stands out for its long list of accolades acknowledging our commitment to these groups. The Student Veterans Association recently awarded us the Chapter of the Year, and Military Times ranked our school Best for Vets.
- I would like to thank Jared Evans, Executive Director of Military Engagement and Veterans Initiatives, and the rest of the staff in Veterans and Military Services and the Office of

the Registrar for their tremendous work in creating a strong, supportive environment for veterans and military-affiliated students at the University of South Carolina.

# Fall Meeting Topics

October 23<sup>rd</sup> – Ann Vail – Graduate School November 6<sup>th</sup> – Jeff Perkins – Future facilities plan November 20<sup>th</sup> – Lara Lomicka Anderson- Faculty Principals Spotlight December 4<sup>th</sup> – Derrick Meggie and Craig Parks – Legislature update