

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

**HIGHER EDUCATION**  
**Senator Oelrich, Chair**  
**Senator Siplin, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Thursday, January 12, 2012**TIME:** 10:15 a.m.—12:15 p.m.**PLACE:** 301 Senate Office Building**MEMBERS:** Senator Oelrich, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Lynn, Negron, and Ring

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	<b>SB 532</b> Altman (Identical H 347)	College Credit for Military Training and Education Courses; Requiring the Board of Governors of the State University System and the State Board of Education to adopt regulations and rules, respectively, which enable United States Armed Forces servicemembers to earn college credit for college-level training and education acquired in the military, etc.  MS 12/05/2011 Favorable HE 01/12/2012 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
2	<b>SB 754</b> Wise (Identical H 705)	Educational Enhancement; Creating the Educational Excellence Endowment Fund within the Statewide Florida College System institution direct-support organization; requiring that the Statewide Florida College System institution direct-support organization administer the endowment fund; requiring that the direct-support organization deposit revenues from gaming taxes and fees and other grants, gifts, and bequests of money into the endowment fund; creating the Juvenile Justice Education and Training Endowment Fund within the direct-support organization for the Department of Juvenile Justice; requiring that the direct-support organization administer the endowment fund; requiring that the direct-support organization deposit revenues from gaming taxes and fees and other grants, gifts, and bequests of money into the endowment fund, etc.  HE 01/12/2012 Fav/CS GO BC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0

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3	<b>SB 828</b> Wise (Similar H 925)	Faith-based Postsecondary Institutions; Authorizing a faith-based postsecondary education institution to operate without obtaining a license if it submits an affidavit of statutory compliance oversight to the Office of Independent Education and Parental Choice within the Department of Education by a specified date each year; requiring that the Office of Independent Education and Parental Choice or its contracted agent publish the affidavit form and a list of all faith-based postsecondary education institutions that have submitted the affidavit on its Internet website; providing prerequisites for entering a degree program at a faith-based postsecondary education institution; deleting provisions that authorize a religious college to operate without governmental oversight under certain circumstances, etc.  HE 01/12/2012 Temporarily Postponed BC	Temporarily Postponed
4	<b>SB 832</b> Higher Education (Similar H 7017)	OGSR/Donor Information Direct-support Organization/University of Florida/Historic Preservation of the City of St. Augustine; Deleting the repeal of an exemption from public records requirements for information identifying a donor or prospective donor to the direct-support organization established to assist the University of Florida in the historic preservation of the City of St. Augustine; saving the exemption from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act, etc.  HE 01/12/2012 Favorable GO	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 0
Presentation on University Athletics			Presented
Other Related Meeting Materials			