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Subject: final exam scheduling of evening and weekend classes

Hi Dave,

If you visit http://www.uky.edu/Registrar/finals.htm, you will see two sets of final exam schedules: One for regular classes, and one for evening and weekend classes. The exams for E&W classes are schedule to begin on half-hours from 5:30 to 7:30 pm, meaning that many E&W final exams are scheduled at times that overlap with not one but two times for regular class final exams. This is not a problem if one assumes that the set of students who take E&W classes does not overlap with the set of students who take regular classes; however, this assumption is not correct now, and it will be even more incorrect in the future as the distinctions between regular classes, E&W classes, and distance learning classes diminish in importance.

I think it would be a good idea for the Senate Council to convene a discussion of final exam scheduling for E&W classes, and to find out if it is possible to schedule them in a way that is more consonant with the scheduling of final exams of regular classes.

-- Bob