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### AGENDA

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#### MONDAY

**Date:** March 11, 2013  
**Time:** 8:00 A.M.  
**Room:** HR D

#### Public Hearing

HB 3272 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Establishes Oregon's Best and Brightest STEM Loan Forgiveness Program for certain students in science, technology, engineering or mathematics programs that are willing to commit to working in Oregon after graduation.

#### Public Hearing and Possible Work Session

HB 2636 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Establishes STEM Investment Council.  
HB 2970  
Directs Higher Education Coordinating Commission to develop standards related to requirements for associate transfer degree in specific areas of study, including business and engineering.  
HB 2979 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Establishes work group to study how to establish common course numbering system for lower-division undergraduate courses in Oregon public colleges and universities.

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