



UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

May 9, 2011
Minutes

The University Curriculum Committee met in Cook Library's Room 507.

Present: Professor Cockey, Professor DiLisio, Ms. Duda, Professor Faulkner, Ms Fowler, Mr. Giordani, Professor Haines, Professor Lobel, Ms. Nolan, Professor Park, Professor Robertson, Ms. Sweeney, Ms. Woods, Professor Zimmerman

- 1) Review of Minutes of April 11, 2011: The minutes were expanded to include the receipt of the final copy of the changes to the Applied Math concentration. Ms. Sweeney moved that they be approved; Professor Faulkner seconded the motion, which carried 9 – 0 – 0.
- 2) Item 2 on the agenda was not addressed since it concerned a Masters in the Department of Art Education. It will be considered by the Graduate Studies Committee.
- 3) Proposed Changes in the Department of Art + Design, Art History and Art Education to the Program in Painting, Drawing, Printmaking Concentration – Dr. Stuart Stein. It is requested that the students in the BS concentration take Senior Project, which is their capstone course. One studio art electives would be eliminated to maintain the total number of units. Professor Faulkner moved and Professor Cockey seconded that the changes be accepted. It carried 10 – 0 – 0.
- 4) Proposed Changes in the Major in the Department of Accounting – Dr. Norma Holter. The Department would establish 3-2 and 4-1 accelerated Bachelors/Masters programs to encourage a seamless transfer of accounting students. Six units of 500 and 600 level courses can be counted towards both the undergraduate and graduate programs. Bob Giordani explained that the documentation needs to be rewritten to match other similar programs and a clean copy needs to be submitted to the UCC. Dr. Faulkner moved and Dr. Haines seconded that the proposal be tabled in anticipation of a committee e-mail vote when the changes are completed. The motion carried 9 – 0 – 0.

- 5) Program Change Proposal from Interdisciplinary Studies Program regarding the International Studies Major -- Dr. Matthew Durlington & Dr. Robert Rook. The proposal would drop their track structure of courses for an open pool of International Studies Electives. Many of the required track courses were not offered frequently enough to enable the INST students' timely graduation. Under the new program only 45 units will be needed. Mr. Giordani moved and Professor Cockey seconded that the change be adopted; the motion carried 9 – 0 – 0.

- 6) Program Change Proposal from the Department of Family Studies and Community Development – Dr. Lisa Martinelli. Appropriate courses were moved from track requirements to department core requirements to meet the MHEC definition of a track. Two track names have been changed; one course (FMST 2XX) added; two (ECED210 & ECED315) moved from required to recommended; and one removed (FMST497). It is recommended that those pursuing the Leadership in the Nonprofit Sector Track consider a minor in Business Administration. Mr. Giordani moved that approval be tabled pending a clean copy including adjustment of unit credits and Ms. Sweeney seconded the motion, which carried 9 – 0 – 0.

- 7) Date of next UCC Meeting: September 12, 2011

Respectfully submitted,
Ada Woods