

APPROVED MINUTES

University Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

103 Humanities and Social Sciences Building

I. Call to Order

In attendance: Ali, Cussen, Deckert, Fair, Freda, Garrow, Greenawalt, Hess, Killam, Lewis, McDevitt, Pararai, Racchini, and Sechrist and Wachter.

Excused: Clewell, Mocek, and Pistole

Absent: Maticic

On a Freda/McDevitt motion, the minutes from April 5th were approved as corrected with the new numbers for the APMU courses.

II. Co-Chairs Report

--An additional correction was noted for the March 22nd minutes for NURS 330 it should read "Add 'an evidenced based . . .'"

--The Sociology course is back on today's agenda because the committee had specifically asked for how each objective would be measured, which they did not do.

--The co-chair invited the four new members of the committee for 2016-17 to attend next week.

III. Liberal Studies Committee Report: No report

IV. Items for Review/Possible Action:

- a. 15-141 ENGL 208 Introduction to Film, distance education
 - Prefer to have "an appropriate video streaming source" rather than only referring to Netflix.
 - On a Pararai/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was provisionally approved. Deckert abstained.
- b. 15-152 PHYS 260 Introduction to Nanoscience and Technology, distance education
 - Course title is incorrect it is really Introduction to Nanoscience and Technology
 - Needs to address how each individual objective will be accomplished via distance education.
 - On a Racchini/Deckert motion, the proposal was returned. Freda abstained.
- c. 15-153 IFMG 460 Analysis and Logical Design, distance education
 - How will student's achievement be evaluated needs to be addressed in the section where each individual objective via distance education is addressed.
 - Rational: have/has been.
 - Achievement #1: on vs. in.
 - On a Deckert/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- d. 15-74b ANTH 490 Applied Spatial Methods in Archaeology, new course
 - Course Description: Provides students with (remove the)
 - LO#2: Determine rather than Critique.
 - LO #4: Design rather than be able to process.
 - On a Greenawalt/Deckert motion, the proposal was provisionally approved. One abstained.
- e. 15-78a Bachelor of Arts – Anthropology/Archaeology Track, program revision
 - Change title of 490 to revised title.
 - On a Wachter /Fair motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- f. 15-96b SOC 410 Men and Masculinities, new course
 - Prerequisite needs to be more specific. Could be SOC knowledge area since it is a specific list. PSYC 101, SOC 151, or permission by instructor.
 - On a Fair/Racchini motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- g. 15-123 BS Computer Science/Software Engineering track, program revision
 - Section B: Students in any computer science track

- [When this was entered in the Senate agenda multiple errors were noticed In the Upper-level Electives section where course numbers and prefix listed in the catalog were missing, the numbers for the minors were incorrect and this is now mentioned in the rational, the Economics minor is now 18cr, and the Information Assurance Minor was corrected to its new name.]
 - On an Ali/Wachter motion, the proposal was approved.
- h. 15-125 Minor – Spanish, program revision
- Section F: Title of minor should be above the minor and 18 on the new side.
 - On a Fair/Freda motion, the proposal was provisionally approved. Killam abstained.
- i. 15-140a HIST 339 Jihad and the Origins of Islamist Movements in the Middle East, new course
- Agree with LS comments, except overlap.
 - Title suggestion: Extremists rather than Jihad?
 - Catalog Description: Keep second paragraph, eliminating the first paragraph.
 - i. Examines the concept ... analyzes the history..
 - Move some of the eliminated catalog description to the rational.
 - [While entering into the Senate agenda realized that the last line of these descriptions should be the statement that appears in most crosslisted courses.]
 - On a Fair/Lewis motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- j. 15-140b HIST 433 China 1300-1800: The Late Imperial Age, course title change (was Bandits and Poets: The Social and Cultural History of Late Imperial China)
- New title should be in the header.
 - Correct current course title.
 - On a Deckert/Fair motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- k. 15-140c HIST 434 Modern China 1800-present, course title change (was History of Modern China: From the Opium Wars to Present)revision
- On a Wachter/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was approved.
- l. 15-140d HIST 436 Japan 1500-1850: Early Modern Japan, course title change (was Geisha and Samurai: The Cultural and Social History of early Modern Japan)
- On a Wachter/Fair motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- m. 15-140e HIST 437 Modern Japan 1850-present, course title change (was History of Modern Japan: From the Floating World to the Present)
- On an Ali/ Garrow motion, the proposal was approved.
- n. 15-128a Certificate in China Studies, new certificate
- Do not need cr in 15 cr in total number of credits.
 - Order of courses in alpha order.
 - Does footnote 1 needs to be moved to core courses?
 - Footnote statement about of Chinese needs to be clearer.
 - Rational for Senate: Japan needs to be China.
 - On a Freda/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was provisionally approved. One abstained.
- o. 15-128b Certificate in Japan Studies, new certificate
- Order of electives.
 - Cr at top.
 - Remove colons from 383.
 - Delete old title
 - Check course titles that changed.
 - Order of courses in alpha order.
 - Does footnote 1 needs to be moved to core courses? Could language courses be as or, or, or.
 - On a Pararai/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- p. 15-128c Certificate in Middle Eastern Studies, new certificate
- Remove colons from all courses.

- Correct “??” or remove courses with ??.
 - PLSC 384 not 348.
 - History of the Islamic ... for HIST 330
 - Title needs to match proposal for 339.
 - Choice of holding proposal or remove RSLT class until approved, since there are enough courses. Can revise afterward.
 - Why was a language not included? Why not Arabic? To be like other tracks.
 - Suggest adding certificate information in last paragraph in Asian Studies narrative.
 - On a Lewis/Deckert motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- q. 15-129 CDFR 427 Administration of Human Service Programs, course title change (was Administration of Child Development Centers), course revision, catalog description change
- New title at top
 - Very brief course outline. Add more detail.
 - Reformat outcomes. Need Students will be able to:
 - Catalog description. Need verb for start of description.
 - On a Greenawalt/Cussen motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- r. 15-131 KHSS 325 School and Community Health, catalog description change, modify prerequisites
- On a Cussen/Lewis motion, the proposal was approved. Racchini abstained.
- s. 15-132 SPAN 340 Hispanic Cultures into the 19th Century, course title change (was Hispanic Civilization Through the 19th Century), catalog description change, course revision
- Do you still need a prerequisite, SPAN 230?
 - Dash at end of objectives.
 - On a Greenawalt/Deckert motion, the proposal was approved. Killam abstained.
- t. 15-144 SPAN 260 Introduction to Hispanic Literature, SPAN 330 Advanced Spanish Composition, SPAN 404 Advanced Spanish Grammar, catalog description change
- On a Fair/Racchini motion, the proposal was approved. Killam abstained.
- u. 15-133 BIOL 479 Neurobiology of Addiction, new course
- Delete first sentence of catalog description. Do not need comma before and in last sentence.
 - On a Fair/Deckert motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- v. 15-149 BIOL 469 Circadian Rhythms and Sleep, new course
- Remove brackets.
 - Catalog description. Introduces ... in first sentence instead of studies.
 - On a Fair/Garrow motion, the proposal was provisionally approved.
- w. 15-134a MATH 309 Discrete Mathematics, course number change (was 219)
- Add a line in rational so that programs that are affected can automatically be changed.
 - On a Deckert/Racchini motion, the proposal was approved.
- x. 15-134b MATH 341 Differential Equations, course number change (was 241)
- Add a line in rational so that programs that are affected can automatically be changed.
 - On a Fair/Killam motion, the proposal was approved.
- y. 15-148 MATH 460 Technology in Mathematics Instruction, modify prerequisites, catalog description change
- Change the title to Mathematics to match the catalog and remove the brackets
 - On a Deckert/Racchini motion, the proposal was approved.
- z. 15-135 KHSS 480 Professional Issues in Athletic Training, modify prerequisites, catalog description change
- Change to KHSS if you want.
 - [When entering this into the Senate Agenda it was rewritten to begin with active verbs, which cut out a number of words in the description.]
 - On a Fair/Greenawalt motion, the proposal was approved. Racchini abstained.

The meeting adjourned at 5:50 p.m.
Respectfully submitted by Justin Fair