Approved via electronic vote on April 11, 2019

MINUTES

UWG Undergraduate Programs Committee Meeting

Dr. Jeffrey Zamostny, Committee Chair 11 April 2019 10:00AM – Nursing 200

- I. Call to Order
- II. Attendance

a. Members: Cynthia Wadlington (COE), Deon Kay (COSS), Donna Haley (Registrar), Ihor Pidhainy (COAH), Jeffrey Zamostny (COAH), Jill Drake (Academic Affairs), Michael Sinkey (RCOB), Nancy Capponi (TSON), Nguyen Hoang (COSM), Nick Sterling (COSM), Julia Chibbaro (for Twyla Perryman, COE)

b. Guests: Andrew Edelman (COSM), Duane Yoder (COSM), Jim Mayer (COSM), Lynn Pazzani (COSS), Megan Mayercik (COSM), Nancy Pencoe (COSM), Sharmistha Basu-Dutt (COSM), Shea Rose (COSM), William Kenyon (COSM)

- III. Call to Order
- IV. Approval of Minutes from 14 March 2019 Meeting APPROVED
- V. Program and Course Proposals

a. College of Arts & Humanities (COAH)

- 1. Program Proposals
 - a. Department of English

1. English, B.A.

Request: Modify (Requires ENGL 2001 in Core Area F)

(CHIP Information Item)

2. English, Secondary Education Track, B.A.

Request: Modify (Requires ENGL 2001 in Core Area F)

(CHIP Information Item)

- 2. Course Proposals
 - a. Department of English

1. ENGL 2001 Introduction to Literature

Request: ADD (new Core Area C2 course; required for English

majors) (CHIP Information Item)

b. Richards College of Business (RCOB)

1. Course Proposals

a. Department of Economics

1. ECON 4415 Health Economics

Request: ADD APPROVED

c. College of Education (COE)

d. College of Science and Mathematics (COSM)

1. Program Proposals

a. Department of Biology

1. Biology, Professional Preparation Track, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (indicates that BIOL 4727, 4728, and 4315 fulfill

the clinical biology sub-discipline requirement) APPROVED

b. Department of Computer Science

1. Computer Science, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401; offers MATH 2644 as an alternative for MATH 3003 in supporting courses for major) **APPROVED**

c. Department of Chemistry

1. Chemistry Minor

Request: MODIFY (Corrects an error regarding the total number of required credit hours in the catalog) **APPROVED. The committee** chair will add a note in Curriculog indicating that the second page of the attached file is to be disregarded, per the request of the originator.

2. Chemistry, Non-ACS Track – Business Option, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401)

3. Chemistry, Non-ACS Track – General Option, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (see item 2)

4. Chemistry, Non-ACS Track – Professional Preparation Option, B.S. Request: MODIFY (see item 2)

5. Chemistry, Non-ACS Track – Secondary Education Option, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (see item 2)

6. Chemistry, Pre-Professional Track, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (see item 2) **Items 2-6 were APPROVED as a block with a friendly amendment. The title of MATH 1401 in the prospective curriculum should be Elementary Statistics.**

d. Department of Geosciences

1. Atmospheric Science Certificate

Request: ADD APPROVED

Geology, Earth Science Secondary Education Concentration, B.S.
Request: MODIFY (replaces GEOL 2505 with GEOL 2202; indicates acceptable electives; replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401; allows for a maximum of one D in courses used to satisfy major)
Geology, Environmental Geology Concentration, B.S.
Request: MODIFY (replaces GEOL 2505 with GEOL 2202; adds CHEM 2411L and CHEM 2455 and 2455L as options; indicates acceptable electives; replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401)
Geology, Professional Geology Concentration, B.S.
Request: MODIFY (replaces GEOL 3053 with GEOL 4034; indicates acceptable electives; replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401)
Geography, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (replaces MATH 2063 with MATH 1401) Items 2-5 were APPROVED as a block with the following friendly amendments: (1) for Items 2-5, the title of MATH 1401 in the prospective curriculum should be Elementary Statistics; (2) for Item 2, the file attachment should be deleted and replaced with another removing the language about grade requirements. That change had been requested at an earlier level, but there was a problem correcting the attachments in Curriculog. (*N.B. The references to GEOL 2505 and 2202 in Items 2 and 3 above should reference GEOG 2505 and 2202. This was a mistake on the agenda on the part of the committee chair. The information is correct in Curriculog.)

e. Department of Mathematics

1. Mathematics, Accelerated Masters Track, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (modifies the B.S. in Mathematics to include an

Accelerated Masters Track) APPROVED

- 2. Course Proposals
 - a. Department of Mathematics

1. MATH 1401 Elementary Statistics

Request: ADD (to replace MATH 2063, as mandated by the BOR)

(CHIP Information Item)

2. MATH 2063 Introductory Statistics

Request: DELETE (to be replaced by MATH 1401, as mandated by

the BOR) (CHIP Information Item)

b. Department of Biology

1. BIOL 1015L The Unseen World of Microorganisms Lab

Request: DELETE (CHIP Information Item)

2. BIOL 4266 Molecular Ecology

Request: MODIFY (increases the number of credits hours from 3 to

4) APPROVED

3. BIOL 4425 Fire Ecology

Request: ADD

4. BIOL 4427 Conservation Ecology

Request: ADD Items 3 and 4 were APPROVED as a block. (*N.B.

The correct title for Item 4 is Conservation Biology. This was a mistake on the agenda on the part of the committee chair. The information is correct in Curriculog and the syllabus attached therein.)

5. BIOL 4441 Animal Behavior

Request: MODIFY (changes the number of credit hours; removes the course fee; modifies the course description)

6. BIOL 4445 Marine Biology

Request: MODIFY (see item 5 above) **Items 5-6 were APPROVED as a block.**

e. College of Social Sciences (COSS)

1. Program Proposals

a. Department of Criminology

1. Criminology, B.S.

Request: MODIFY (adds CRIM 4260 as option in Corrections and Social Services area; adds CRIM 3900 in Legal Studies area; creates a supporting courses category for the major) **APPROVED**

2. Prisoner Reentry and Community Corrections, Certificate

Request: ADD (includes CRIM 4260 and 4265 below) The item was

APPROVED as a block with courses 1-2 below.

- 2. Course Proposals
 - a. Department of Criminology

1. CRIM 4260 Prisoner Reentry and Community Corrections

Request: ADD

2. CRIM 4265 Crime and Social Inequality

Request: ADD **Items 1-2 were APPROVED as a block with the second program proposal above.**

f. Tanner Health System College of Nursing

g. Interdisciplinary Studies/Honors College

1. Course Proposals

a. Honors College

1. HONR 4385 Special Topics

Request: ADD (CHIP Information Item)

VI. Old Business

1. Approval of CPR evaluations.

The following reviews were APPROVED as a block: (1) BA International Economic Affairs, (2) BBA Accounting, (3) BBA Economics, (4) BBA Finance, (5) BBA Management, (6) BBA Management Information Systems, (7) BBA Marketing, (8) BS Economics.

The review of the CPR in Real Estate was APPROVED with the following concluding paragraph (to replace the concluding paragraph in the draft):

Based on the documented efforts communicated in the CPR to increase recruitment, enhance program quality, and develop a robust assessment process in the past five years, the program

appears to be viable provided that sufficient faculty lines are maintained. In the absence of sufficient faculty lines, the faculty reviewers would encourage RCOB to explore ways to maintain Real Estate offerings through measures such as a making the program a track of another major, or through merging with another major.

VII. New Business

1. Electronic approval of minutes for April 11, 2019. **The chair announced that minutes of the April 11 meeting would be put to a vote for approval via email prior to the end of the Spring 2019 semester.**

2. The chair inquired about new XIDS topics for first-year seminars for AY 2019-2020. There were questions as to why these had not been submitted for Senate Review.