

<p style="text-align: center;">Meeting of the University Curriculum Committee February 8, 2005</p>
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Sheila Dickison convened the UCC at 1:30 p.m. in 226 Tigert Hall.

Members present: Sheila Dickison, Chair, Cammy Abernathy, Anthony Dasta, Mike Friel, Ken Gerhardt, Stephanie Hanson, Yumiko Hulvey, Barbara Korner, John Kranzler, Jane Luzar, Albert Matheny, Andy McCollough, Mike McKenzie, Karin Polifko-Harris, Steve Pritz, Lynn Romrell, Sandra Russo, Chris Sessums, Jim Thompson, John Wright

Guests: Vasudha Narayanan

1. **Approval of minutes of the January 11, 2005 meeting:** The minutes were approved.
2. **Proposed changes to minor in Dance:** Bobbi Korner brought proposed changes to the minor in Dance. The number of required credits remains unchanged. One required core course is being moved to the elective category and being replaced by a special topics course. The list of approved electives is being expanded. A motion to approve the proposed changes was made and seconded. Motion passed.
3. **Proposed Center for the Study of Hindu Traditions:** Vasudha Narayanan presented the proposed Center for the Study of Hindu Traditions. The mission is to provide an interdisciplinary forum to encourage research, teaching and public understanding of Hindu culture and traditions from transnational perspectives. A motion to approve the proposed center was made and seconded. Motion passed.
4. **Graduate School:** Ken Gerhardt presented the following information items.
 - Combined degree involving New College of Florida undergraduate program and UF graduate program
 - Change in M.S. with major in Business Administration, concentration in Real Estate and Urban Analysis to M.S. degree with major in Real Estate
5. **Proposed revision of undergraduate curriculum in Horticultural Sciences:** Jane Luzar introduced proposed revisions to the General Horticulture and Fruit and Vegetable Crop Production tracks. The proposed changes including renaming the tracks Horticultural Science and Horticultural Production, respectively. A motion to approve the proposed changes was made and seconded. Motion passed.
6. **Proposed revision of undergraduate curriculum in Geomatics:** Jane Luzar presented proposed revisions to the undergraduate curriculum in Geomatics. Changes include restructuring the math requirement, adding college-required courses in biology, economics and communications, and modification of course

requirements in business and forestry. A motion to approve the proposed changes was made and seconded. Motion passed.

- 7. Proposed revised academic calendars for 2005-2006 and 2006-2007:** Steve Pritz proposed revisions to the approved academic calendars for 2005-2006 and 2006-2007. Decentralized commencement ceremonies have led to conflicts with the Friday final exam day. The proposal calendars would end classes the Tuesday prior to exam week. Reading days would be moved forward to Wednesday and Thursday of that week. Final exams would begin Friday of that week and conclude the next Thursday. A motion to approve the proposed revised academic calendars was made and seconded. Motion passed.
- 8. Proposed new undergraduate and professional courses:** A motion to accept all proposed new courses was approved.
- 9. Notice of proposed changes to undergraduate and professional courses:** A motion to accept all proposed course changes was approved.
- 10. Notice of new graduate courses and course changes:** New courses and course changes from the Graduate Curriculum Committee were accepted.

The meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.