Bernard Mair convened the UCC at 2:00 in 226 Tigert Hall.

**Members Present:** Margaret Carr, Paul Duncan, Stephanie Hanson, Christopher Janelle, Gillian Lord, John Mecholsky, David Pharies, Alison Reynolds, Mark Rush, David Sammons, Joseph Spillane, Catherine Striley, Collin Thompson, Elaine Turner, Hans van Oostrom, Michael Weigold

**Liaisons:** Timothy Brophy, David Julian, Steve Pritz, Venita Sposetti

**Guests:** Ann Greene, Iske Larkin, Martha Mallicote, Lee Morrison, David Ostroff, Christine Richmond, Patricia Woods

1. Approval of minutes of November 19, 2013 meeting
   - approved as written

2. Update from Faculty Senate
   - none

3. Proposed change to the critical tracking requirements in the Political Science major, effective Summer B 2014. Dr. Pharies presented this request to lower the critical tracking GPA requirements for the Political Science major. The proposal was approved.

4. Proposed changes to the Spanish major, effective Fall 2014. Dr. Pharies presented this request to modify the requirements for this major. The proposal was approved.

5. Proposed changes to the Interdisciplinary Basic Biological and Biomedical Sciences major, effective Summer B 2014. Christine Richmond presented this request for changes to the eight semester plan for this major. The proposal was approved pending clarification of the degree audit. One vote opposed.

6. Proposed changes to the Media and Society Track, effective Summer B 2014. Dr. Ostroff presented this request to increase the number of credits of approved electives from nine to twelve. The proposal was approved.

7. Proposed changes to the critical tracking requirements for the Public Relations major, effective Summer B 2014. Dr. Weigold presented this request to lower the critical tracking GPA for this major. The proposal was approved pending the addition of ECO213 to the list of seven critical tracking courses listed in the catalog.

8. Proposed changes to the Family, Youth and Community Sciences major, effective Summer B 2014. Dr. Turner presented this request to replace the list of
approved General Education Physical Science courses with language allowing students to select any Physical Science course. The proposal was approved.

9. Proposed termination of the BS in Statistics CALS, effective Fall 2014. Dr. Turner presented this request to terminate this major offered by the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences. It should be noted that this request does not affect the Statistics degree offered by the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. The proposal was approved.

10. Proposed changes to the Agricultural Education and Communication major, effective Summer B 2014. Dr. Turner presented this request to change the critical tracking requirements for this major. The proposal was approved.

11. Proposed new minor in Fine Arts, effective Fall 2014. A representative from Fine Arts was not present to present this request. The proposal was tabled for discussion at a future UCC meeting.

12. Items from the Academic Assessment Committee (information only)
   - Undergraduate ALC
     - Anthropology
     - Horticulture Science
     - Family Life Education Certificate
     - Special Education
     - Recreation, Parks and Tourism
     - Applied Physiology and Kinesiology
     - English
     - Business
     - Russian
     - Political Science
     - Theatre
     - Dance Performance
     - Theatre Performance
     - Health Education and Behavior
     - Plant Science

13. Items from the Graduate School (information only)
   - Proposal for a new, graduate-level interdisciplinary concentration in Climate Science offered through the School of Natural Resources and Environment
   - Proposal to change the name of the Master of Arts in Urban and Regional Planning to Master of Urban and Regional Planning
   - Proposal to terminate the EdS degree in Higher Education Administration
   - Proposal for changes in courses shared by MD/PhD programs
14. Notice of new graduate certificates (information only)
   - Science, Mathematics or Technology Teaching

15. Notice of proposed new undergraduate courses
   **Liberal Arts and Sciences**
   - SPN3XXX – Spanish for the Legal Professions – approved
   - ENC3246 – Professional Communication for Engineers – approved
   - PHI3XXX – Philosophy of Education – approved
   - INR4956 – Overseas Studies - denied
   **Journalism**
   - RTV3XXX – Electronic Media Practicum – approved

   **Fine Arts**
   - DIG3XXX – Digital Portfolio – approved
   - DIG3XXX – Applied Digital Media Protocols – approved
   - DIG3XXX – Theory of Digital Media Protocols – approved
   - DIG4XXX – Advanced Writing for Interactive Media – approved
   - DIG4XXXXC – Entrepreneurship in New Media – approved

   **Agricultural and Life Sciences**
   - ORH1XXX – Survey of Orchids – approved
   - ORH3XXX – Palm Short Course – approved

   **Design, Construction and Planning**
   - URP4XXX - Sustainable Urbanism in Europe - recycled

16. Notice of proposed changes to undergraduate courses
   **Liberal Arts and Sciences**
   - SPN4840 – Introduction to the History of the Spanish Language – approved
   - HUM1531 – Dynamic Creativity and Strategic Innovation – approved

   **Agricultural and Life Sciences**
   - AEC4065 – Issues in Agricultural and Life Sciences – approved

17. Notice of proposed new professional courses
   **Veterinary Medicine**
   - VEM5371 – Aquatic Animal Conservation Issues – recycled
   - VEM5372 – Aquatic Wildlife Health – recycled
   - VEMXXXX – Veterinary Practice Management Clerkship – recycled

   **Pharmacy**
   - PHA5XXX – Health Disparities in Medication Use – approved

18. Notice of proposed changes to professional courses
   - none

19. Notice of proposed new joint courses
   **Veterinary Medicine**
   - VME4016 – Manatee Health and Conservation – recycled
• VEM5373 – Manatee Health and Conservation – recycled

20. Notice of proposed changes to joint courses
   • none

21. Notice of proposed new 5000 level courses
   **Liberal Arts and Sciences**
   • ENC5319 – Scholarly Writing for Publication – approved

22. Notice of proposed new graduate courses (information only)
   • EEL6885 – Brain Machine Interface Engineering
   • ENV6XXX – Advanced Surface Hydrology
   • GEO6XXX – Spatial Networks
   • GMS6XXX – Foundations in Addiction and Substance Use Disorders
   • GMS6XXX – Addiction: Neuroscience and Trends
   • GMS6XXX – Addiction: Clinical Evaluation and Treatment Planning
   • GMS6XXX – Addiction: Counseling and Treatment Methods
   • GMS6XXX – Addiction: Referral and Service Coordination
   • GMS6XXX – Addiction: Professional and Ethical Responsibilities
   • VME6572 – Forensic Aspects of Agricultural Animal Welfare
   • VME6579 – Veterinary Forensic Radiology and Imaging
   • VME6571 – Forensic Applied Animal Behavior
   • VME6570 – Wildlife Conservation and Forensic Science
   • VME6573 – Wildlife Forensic Genetics
   • EAB6XXX – Experimental Psychopathology
   • GEB6212 – Professional Communication for Accountants

23. Notice of proposed changes to graduate courses (information only).
   • AEC6211 – Delivering Educational Programs in Agricultural Settings
   • DIG6973 – Research for Project in Lieu of Thesis
   • DIG6971 – Research for Masters Thesis
   • DIG6556C – Projection Design 2

Meeting adjourned at 2:57.