

Meeting of the University Curriculum Committee
November 29, 2005

Sheila Dickison convened the UCC at 1:30 P.M. in 226 Tigert Hall.

Members present: Sheila Dickison, Chair, Cammy Abernathy, Thomasenia Adams, Elizabeth Bolton, William Chen, Tony Dasta, Ken Gerhardt, Stephanie Hanson, Bruce Haupt, Yumiko Hulvey, Jane Luzar, Albert Matheny, Andy McCollough, Mike McKenzie, Steve Pritz, Joanne Richard, Russell Robinson, Lynn Romrell, Sandra Russo, Jim Thompson, Hunter Williams, Caroline Wiltshire, John Wright

Guests: Tom Dana, Joanne Foss, Sharen Halsall, Kristen Kemple

1. **Approval of minutes of the September 27, 2005 meeting:** The minutes were approved.
2. **Academic Learning Compacts:** Joe Glover explained the process of creating the Academic Learning Compacts (ALCs) and provided an update. He thanked the UCC for its willingness to review the proposed ALCs at a future meeting.
3. **Proposed discontinuation of Secondary Proteach Education and General Education minors:** Thomasenia Adams proposed the discontinuation of the Secondary Proteach Education and General Education minors as part of the College of Education's effort to create a new minor which will provide UF students with more flexible options. A motion was made to approve the proposal. Motion passed.
4. **Proposed new Education minor:** Thomasenia Adams proposed a new minor in Education. The minor will replace the current Secondary Proteach Education and General Education minors and will give students more flexible options and access to a broad range of courses to address their interests and goals. A motion was made to approve the proposal. Motion passed.
5. **Proposed Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Studies:** Thomasenia Adams and Tom Dana presented a proposed Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Studies. Following some discussion a motion was made to approve the proposal as an exception to the A.S. policy. Motion passed.
6. **Proposed discontinuation of Health Education minor:** Bill Chen proposed the discontinuation of the Health Education minor. The growth of undergraduate majors in the college has made it difficult for majors to get their required courses. Elimination of this minor will create more availability for majors. A motion was made to approve the proposal. Motion passed.
7. **Proposed name change for Bachelor of Science in Applied Physiology and Kinesiology:** This item was tabled.

8. **Proposed name change for Bachelor of Fine Arts in Studio Art with Electronic Media:** This item was tabled.
9. **Proposed modification to International Humanitarian Assistance minor:** This item was tabled.
10. **Proposed changes to Food and Resource Economics minors:** Jane Luzar submitted proposed changes for three minors in Food and Resource Economics. Those minors are Agriculture and Natural Resources Ethics and Policy; Management and Sales; and Food and Resource Economics. A motion was made to approve the proposal. Motion passed.
11. **Proposed Bachelor of Arts option in Astronomy:** Yumiko Hulvey presented a proposal to add a B.A. option to the existing B.S. degree in Astronomy. The new degree would target a different audience, most significantly students interested in teaching science or math. A motion was made to approve the proposal. Motion passed.
- 12. Items from Graduate School:**
 - **Proposed concentration in Sustainable Architecture**
 - **Proposal to accept Fundamentals of Engineering exam in lieu of GRE for admission to non-thesis MS and Master of Engineering degree programs**These items were presented as information. There was no objection to either.
13. **Proposed academic calendars for 2007-2008 through 2010-2011:** Steve Pritz submitted prospective academic calendars for the years 2007-2008, 2008-2009, 2009-2010 and 2010-2011. A motion was made to approve the proposed calendars. Motion passed.
14. **Notice of proposed new undergraduate and professional courses:** A motion to accept all proposed new courses was approved.
15. **Notice of proposed changes to undergraduate and professional courses:** A motion to accept all proposed course changes was approved.
16. **Notice of new graduate courses and course changes:** none

The meeting adjourned at 2:35 P.M.