

MINUTES  
Undergraduate Council  
March 3, 2022

The Undergraduate Council met in Wingo Hall 315 and via video conference. Members participating included: Kurt Boniecki (Chair), Terry Johnson, Art Gillaspay, Alex Chen, Susan Perry, Kristin Dooley, Suzanne Johnston, Jayme Millsap Stone, Alicia Landry, Brent Shires, Carl Frederickson, Ed Powers, Charles Wu, Tom Snyder, Aurora King, Neyla Palacios and Vicky Summers (NV)

Members absent: Bernard Chen, Shawn Charlton, and Janet Filer

Guests: Leslie Gomes and Clay Arnold

Dr. Boniecki called the meeting to order at 1:40 pm

Action Items:

1. Dr. Frederickson, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Office of the Provost for a new baccalaureate general degree requirement for first-time undergraduate students that offers three Mathematics Pathways and a 1000-level MATH prerequisite for all 2000-level introductory statistics courses. Dr. Wu seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
2. Dr. Frederickson, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Office of the Provost for new undergraduate mathematics, reading, and writing placement policies. Dr. Snyder seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
3. Dr. Frederickson, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the College of Business / all BBA degree programs to add a first-year survey course BUAD 1300 Introduction to Business as a required course in the Business Foundation for students seeking BBA degrees thereby increasing the Foundation credit hours from 30 to 33. Dr. Snyder seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
4. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Film, Theatre, and Creative Writing to change the course level of Film Theory FILM 3315 to FILM 4315. Dr. Landry seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
5. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of two proposals from the Department of Political Science/International Studies (BA) program: (1)

to modify the related course requirement for the major by moving the foreign language requirement within the major to the related course requirement category and to reduce the total credit hour requirement for the major from 36 to 33; and (2) to remove the foreign language requirements and increase the concentration requirements from 9 to 12 credit hours in the minor. Dr. Landry seconded. Discussion followed. Would this change allow a student to get a BA in International Studies without any foreign language? Dr. Arnold was present to answer the question and said no, and that this change was facilitated for students who double major. Motion passed, all in favor.

6. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Political Science / Political Science (BS) program to revise the program in order to accommodate the university's removal of the special degree requirements and to meet the requirement that the BS program differ substantially from the BA in units offering both degrees. The proposal will change the total credit hours from 36 to 42, add 3 hours in experiential learning and require 24 hours at the 3000 level or above in political science electives. Dr. Landry seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
7. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Computer Information Systems & Analytics to change bulletin language to disallow earning the General Business minor concurrent with any degree offered by the College of Business. Dr. Frederickson seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
8. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of three proposals from the Department of Computer Information Systems & Analytics to: (1) change MIS/CISA 3382 from a three-hour course to variable length course 3V82 (1-3 hours); (2) change MIS/CISA 4382 from a three-hour course to variable length course 4V82 (1-3 hours); and (3) to change the prefix for QMTH 2330 to CISA 2330 and retire the QMTH prefix. Dr. Shires seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
9. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Computer Information Systems & Analytics to alter the current selective and elective options for the CIS (traditional) BBA. The change will require students to take at least one 4000-level, advanced-topic course. Dr. Gillaspay seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.

#### Information Items

1. From Accounting: add prerequisite of MIS 1300 or CSCI 1300 to ACCT 3311.
2. From Accounting: add prerequisite of MIS 1300 or CSCI 1300 to ACCT 3315.
3. From Accounting: add prerequisite of MIS 1300 or CSCI 1300 to ACCT 4316.

4. From Computer Information Systems and Analytics: nonsubstantive editorial change for the Bulletin of course description MIS 4381 Data Mining and Applied Analytics.
5. From Computer Science and Engineering/Computer Science: add prerequisite of Junior or Senior status to CSCI 4315 Information Security.
6. From Computer Science and Engineering/Cybersecurity: change prerequisites as follows:
  - For CSEC 3300 Introduction to Number Theory and Cryptography remove CSCI 2330
  - For CSEC 3320 Computer Forensics add CSCI 4305
  - For CSEC 4320 Ethical Hacking remove CSCI 3330, CSCI 3335, CSEC 2300, PHIL 3320, PHIL 3325 and add CSCI 4305, CSCI 4315, CSCI 4321
  - For CSCI 4330 Software Security remove CSEC 3320 and add CSCI 4315
7. From LLLC/BA Linguistics: change LING 4345 course title from Morphology and Syntax to Syntax.
8. From Film, Theatre, and Creative Writing: delete the BS in Film
9. From Film, Theatre, and Creative Writing: add prerequisite of FILM 3350 to FILM 4315.
10. From Mathematics: update course description for MATH 3352 to include "MATH 3351 or admission to Middle Level or Special Education Teacher Education program".
11. From Mathematics: update course description for MATH 4310 Geometry and Measurement Topics for Elementary Teachers.
12. From Mathematics: revise course description for MATH 3351 Number Systems: Integers.
13. From Political Science/Political Science BA Program: change the BA foreign language requirement from a special degree requirement to a related course requirement.

Submitted on behalf of the Undergraduate Council,

*Dr. Carl Frederickson*