

MINUTES
Undergraduate Council
April 7, 2022

The Undergraduate Council met in Wingo Hall 315 and via video conference.

Members participating included: Kurt Boniecki (Chair), Terry Johnson, Alex Chen, Susan Perry, Kristin Dooley, Suzanne Johnston, Jayme Millsap Stone, Alicia Landry, Brent Shires, Carl Frederickson, Ed Powers, Tom Snyder, and Vicky Summers (NV)

Members absent: Bernard Chen, Art Gillaspay, Shawn Charlton, Charles Wu, Aurora King, Neyla Palacios and Janet Filer

Guests: Leslie Gomes, Dylan McLemore, Jacob Held, and Donna Stephens

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 Department of Art and Design / BS and BA in Interior Design to update the supporting requirements from 6 to 9 hours by removing courses ART 1310 and ART 2312 and by adding courses ART 1220, ART 1230, ART 1280, IDSN 2212 and IDSN 2115. Dr. Snyder seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
2. Dr. Frederickson, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to recommend approval of two proposals from the Department of Film, Theatre and Creative Writing / Theatre program to remove the related language requirement (former BA special degree requirement) and to increase the total credit hour requirements from 43 to 49 by changing the elective hours from 9 to 15. Dr. Landry seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, 10 in favor and 1 abstention.
3. Dr. Frederickson, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Mathematics for new course MATH 1365 Mathematical Reasoning for Health Science Professions and a proposal from the Department of Student Transitions for new course UNIV 0365 Foundations of Mathematical Reasoning for Health Science Professions. Dr. Chen 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 LLLC/BA in Linguistics to add an option to the related language requirement. Dr. Shires seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
5. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of LLLC/Linguistics Minor to increase the total credit hour

requirement from 18 to 21, to remove PHIL 4330 from the list of electives, to reconfigure required and elective courses, and to add a related language requirement. Dr. Dooley seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.

6. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of two proposals from the Department of LLLC/TESOL Minor to add a related language requirement that does not count in the total hours of the minor, to remove CSD 2322 from the list of electives, and to remove WLAN 4315 from the list of required courses and replace it with LING 4361. Dr. Landry seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
7. Dr. Powers, on behalf of subcommittee two, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Psychology and Counseling for new course PSYC 3362 Intergroup Relations. Dr. Snyder seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
8. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of Teaching and Learning / Teacher Education for new course EDUC 4314 Methods of Teaching Career Development. Dr. Chen 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 Economics, Finance, Insurance and Risk Management for a new certificate program "Proficiency in Financial Literacy". Dr. Chen seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
10. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the Department of History for new course HIST 4307 Queer History of the United States. Dr. Stone seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
11. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the School of Communication/Writing to change the related language requirement by requiring six hours of language – foreign language, sign language, and / or programming language – or three hours at the 2000-level in a foreign language. Dr. Chen seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.
12. Mr. Johnson, on behalf of subcommittee three, made a motion to recommend approval of a proposal from the School of Communication / Writing to change titles of the Writing major to Writing, Rhetoric, and Information Design; the Professional Writing track and the Professional Writing minor to Technical and Professional Writing; and to change the prefix of courses in the Writing major from WRTG to WRID. Dr. Snyder seconded. No discussion. Motion passed, all in favor.

Information Items

1. From Biology: change BIOL 4195 course title from Biology Colloquium to Biology Capstone.
2. From LLLC/Linguistics Minor: add LING 3305 Morphology to the list of electives.
3. From LLLC/TESOL Minor: remove LING 2350 from the list of electives and change LING 4320 from a required to an elective course.
4. From Marketing & Management/Management Major and Minor: add CISA 4355 Project Management to the list of electives and to clarify the list of electives.
5. From Teaching & Learning/Middle Level Education: revise MSIT 4328 course description to include "course taken concurrently with MSIT 4311".
6. From Music: change MUS 3230 Form & Analysis I course description

Other Business:

Dr. Frederickson made a motion to change the starting time for the May 5th meeting from 1:40pm to 1:00pm due to finals week. Dr. Snyder seconded. Motion passed, all in favor.

Submitted on behalf of the Undergraduate Council,

Dr. Carl Frederickson