

Curriculum Committee Meeting

Minutes

January 31, 2023

Present: Gary Morris, Dwight Heaster, Larry Baker, Jason Barr, Rico Gazal, Kevin Evans, Bob Hutton (proxy for Kaitlin Ensor), Schuyler Chapman, Cheryl McKinney, Sara Sawyer, Tim Konhaus, Rachel Adams

Absent: Jonathan Minton, Gerda Kumpiene, Kaitlin Ensor

Guests: Leisa Dean, Maureen Gildein, Connie Stout, Ann Reed, Kandas Queen

Approval of Minutes: Dr. Chapman motioned to approve the December 5th meeting minutes, Dr. Barr seconded. Mr. Baker, Dr. Evans, and Dr. Hutton abstained. Motion passed.

Committee Chair: Dr. Morris informed the committee that Dr. Sawyer would chair the committee through the rest of the academic year, due to Dr. Lang stepping down from his Department Chair appointment. Vice-Chair elections will be held at the next meeting

Old Business

Fine Arts Department Action

- Mrs. Stout stated the Pass Praxis Exam needed moved to the fall semester of the 3rd year on the BAED program
- Since students have the option to take Applied Instrument or Applied Voice each semester, “or Applied Voice” needs added to the plan of study
- Dr. Konhaus motioned to approve, including the changes discussed, Mr. Baker seconded. Motion passed.

RBA Action

- Dr. Chapman motioned to approve the minutes, Dr. Heaster seconded. Motion passed.

Catalog Cleanup

- Business Department:
 - Dr. Chapman motioned to approve the changes, Dr. Evans seconded. Motion passed.
- Land Resources Department:
 - Dr. Evans motioned to approve the changes, Dr. Konhaus seconded. Motion passed.
- GSC Courses:
 - Mr. Baker motioned to approve the changes, Dr. Konhaus seconded. Motion passed.

New Business

Education Department

- The credits for EDUC 203 are being changed from 2 to 3 credits. Due to this change, all Education majors had to be updated. Two majors (Chemistry 9-Adult and General Science 5-Adult) are at 121 hours
- The Health & Physical Education major is being reinstated

- Two courses need to be reactivated: EDUC 351 and PED 121
- This major will be a part of the new College of Health Sciences
- Learning objectives were updated on most courses
- Dr. Chapman stated that the objectives for the upper level courses don't match 300-400 level content. There is a typo on the 6th learning objective on the course outline for PED 333
- The department will look into updating objectives on the 300-400 level courses
- It was also recommended that the department look at learning objectives for PED 232 and PED 224, to see if the objectives could be stated more clearly so that it is apparent how the courses would be assessed

Adjournment: Dr. Sawyer adjourned the meeting at 1:11 p.m.

Ashley Nicholas

February 3, 2023