Undergraduate Curriculum Council February 3, 2006 Minutes

Members Present

Members Absent

Rochelle Hughes, Chair
Dionne Fortenberry, V-Chair
Golda Vandiver
Barbara Hunt
Rex Bruington
Carla Lowery
Rebecca Kelly
Robert Manning
Pat Dennis
Lisa Powers

Ex-Officio Present

Ex-Officio Absent

Cay Lollar Sam Gingerich Pat Donat Bobby Fuggit

Guests

Mark Bean

The Undergraduate Curriculum Council met on February 3, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. in the Welty Boardroom. The minutes of December 2, 2005, were approved as presented by a unanimous vote.

University Administration Actions

Dr. Limbert approved the Council Actions from the December meeting concerning the following:

- Proposal to Add New Course PHL 305 Nursing Ethics
- Proposal to Change Course Name
 - o FLS 101 Elementary Spanish to Spanish I
 - o FLS 102 Elementary Spanish to Spanish II

- o FLS 201 Intermediate Spanish to Spanish III
- o FLS 202 Intermediate Spanish to Spanish IV
- Proposal to Modify an Existing Curriculum
 - o Mathematics Teacher Certification
 - Physical Sciences Teacher Certification
 - o Biology Teacher Certification

College of Nursing and Speech & Language Pathology

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Curriculum
 - o BSN
- Proposal to Add New Course NU 230 ECG Interpretation (Online)
- Proposal to Add New Course NU 107 A-E Clinical Competency Course

University Courses

• Proposal to Modify an Existing Course - UN 101 – Add Prerequisite

Council Actions

College of Arts & Sciences

- Proposal to Change Course Name
 - o FLS 101 Elementary Spanish to Spanish I
 - o FLS 102 Elementary Spanish to Spanish II
 - o FLS 201 Intermediate Spanish to Spanish III
 - o FLS 202 Intermediate Spanish to Spanish IV

The Spanish proposals were approved at the December meeting.

- Proposal to Change Course Name
 - o FLF 101 Elementary French to French I
 - o FLF 102 Elementary French to French II
 - o FLF 201 Intermediate French to French III
 - o FLF 202 Intermediate French to French IV

Barbara Hunt made the motion to accept the proposal to change the course titles; Pat Dennis seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course HIS 328
 - o From "Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages"
 - o To "Rise of Christianity and the Fall of Rome, 200-1000"
- Proposal to Delete an Existing Course HIS 470 The Renaissance: Defining the Problem

These proposals were carried over from the December 2005 meeting. Dr. Michael Burger was unable to attend this meeting and will present these two proposals at the March meeting. Committee Members are reminded to bring the supporting documentation for these proposals from the December meeting.

- Proposal to Change Course Name EN 409
 - o From "Adolescent and Children's Literature"
 - o To "Literature for Adolescents and Older Children"

Pat Dennis made the motion to accept this proposal; Carla Lowery seconded and it was passed unanimously.

College of Business

 Proposal to Delete an Existing Course – BU 302 Supervisory Management

There is little demand for this course as it is not part of the business curriculum and it is no longer required for Culinary Arts majors.

Golda Vandiver made the motion to accept this proposal; Barbara Hunt seconded and it was passed unanimously.

College of Education & Human Sciences Health & Kinesiology

Mark Bean presented the following proposals to the Committee:

 Proposal to Modify an Existing Curriculum – Delete Sports Management

The program has low enrollment and the department no longer has resources to support it.

Cay Lollar made the motion to accept this proposal; Rebecca Kelly seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Curriculum - Exercise Science

This involves changing the major courses and adding additional course requirements. Dionne Fortenberry asked approximately the number of additional students to take Microbiology. Dr. Bean guessed about 20 a year.

Barbara Hunt made the motion to accept this proposal; Golda Vandiver seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Curriculum -- Pre-Physical Therapy

These changes reflect the changes in admissions requirements for the PT School at the University of Mississippi Medical Center. The new curriculum reduces the amount of specific prerequisites from approximately 60 hours to 20 hours.

Rebecca Kelly made the motion to accept this proposal; Carla Lowery seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course Physiology of Exercise w/lab HK 361
- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course Physiology of Exercise lab HK 361L

This change involves moving the requirements from a 3 hour lecture and a 1 hour lab to a 4 hour lecture course and a 0 hour lab. The change will ensure that the courses are taken concurrently. The council recommended changing the requirements from "6-10 hours of Science" to "6 hours of Science" with a listing of suggested courses to make the science requirements clear.

Cay Lollar made the motion to accept the modification to HK 361 and HK 361Ls; Barbara Hunt seconded and they passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course – Anatomical Kinesiology HK 390

This course will require HK 160 as a pre-requisite, as it will provide a more in-depth understanding of the principles of strength training.

Cay Lollar made the motion to accept this proposal; Carla Lowery seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course – Biomechanics HK 408

Currently there is not enough time to conduct lab activities as needed. In addition, the added lab activity does not warrant a change in the number of credit hours or the addition of a separate lab. This change will add one contact hour per week for lab activities.

This proposal does not require a vote and if for information only.

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course – Nutrition & Physical Activity in Weight Management HKC 247/FN 247

This course will no longer be accepted as one hour of HKC credit. It is a 3 hour course that does not have a physical activity component. The course description will change.

Rebecca Kelly made the motion to accept this proposal; Barbara Hunt seconded and it was passed unanimously.

Cay Lollar recommended that this request be submitted to the Core Curriculum Committee.

 Proposal to Offer a New Course – Advanced Exercise Physiology w/lab HK 461

Adding this course will increase the quality of our Exercise Science degree and allow our students to be competitive in this field.

Barbara Hunt made the motion to accept this proposal; Carla Lowery seconded and it was passed unanimously.

- Proposal to Offer a New Course – Thesis in Exercise Science HK 490

This will enable the students to learn the process of conducting research. Cay Lollar suggested the word "thesis" be changed to "research" to avoid any potential confusion as to this being an undergraduate course.

Barbara Hunt made the motion to accept this proposal with a change in course title from "Thesis in Exercise Science" to "Research in Exercise Science"; Golda Vandiver seconded and it was passed unanimously.

Culinary Arts

Rebecca Kelly presented the following proposals:

- Proposal to Modify an Existing Course – Business Skills in the Culinary Arts CA 410

Dr. Jim Fitzgerald has elected to postpone the modifications of CA 410 until a later date.

 Proposal to Modify an Existing Course – Culinary Venture Marketing CA 364

The changes to this course involve removing CA 361 Accounting and Finance for culinary Ventures as a pre-requisite. The information covered in CA 364 does not include accounting or financial information.

Rebecca Kelly made the motion to accept this proposal; Barbara Hunt seconded and it was approved by a unanimous vote.

Old Business

Changes to the website are needed. Lisa will look into this and contact Stephen Taylor, the webmaster.

New Business

Rochelle noted that the policy review for UCC was approved by Dr. Limbert and it is online for the Committee's review. The UCC will begin operating under the new policy effective immediately.

Adjournment

Rochelle Hughes adjourned the meeting

The next meeting will be Friday, March 3, 2005, at 2:00 p.m. in the Welty Board Room