



UCC Meeting Notes

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Friday, December 6th, 2024
Via Zoom, 1:30 p.m.



Members Present:

Nora Corrigan
Rachel Damms
Sacha Dawkins
Kimberly Dorsey
Bob Fuller
Shannon Lucius
Bob Sample
Tara Sullivan

Ex-Officio Members Present:

Guests:

Brian Anderson
Valentin Bogdan
Kendall Dunkelberg

- I. Welcome
- II. Approval of November 2024 Minutes

The minutes from the last meeting were presented to the committee by Bob Sample. A motion to accept the minutes was given by Rachael Damms with a second from Kimberly Dorsey. The minutes were approved unanimously.

- III. Review of the Proposals
 - a. SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
 - i. Proposal Presenter: Bob Fuller
 - 1. Modifying an Existing Course, ED 204
 - This modification will allow for similar early childhood education courses from community college transfer students to count towards their teacher education degree.
 - 2. Modifying an Existing Course, ED 260

- This modification will allow for similar courses from community college transfer students to count towards their teacher education degree.

Kimberly Dorsey made the motion to approve the proposals. Rachael Damms seconded the motion and the proposals were approved unanimously.

3. Modifying an Existing Course, ED 361
 - A revision of the course description is required by the Mississippi Department of Education.
4. Modifying an Existing Course, ED 362
 - A revision of the course description is required by the Mississippi Department of Education.

Kimberly Dorsey made the motion to approve the proposals. Rachael Damms seconded the motion and the proposals were approved unanimously.

b. COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

- i. Proposal Presenter: Brian Anderson, Kendall Dunkelberg, and Valentin Bogdan
 1. Creating a New Course, EN 402
 - Creation of a new internship course specifically designed for the TESL Certificate/TESL Endorsement (K-12).

Bob Fuller made the motion to approve the proposal. Wesley Garrett seconded the motion and the proposal was approved unanimously.

2. Modifying an Existing Course, EN 410
 - Clarifying student requirements for successfully completing the course, as listed with the course description in the Bulletin.

Rachael Damms made the motion to approve the proposal. Kimberly Dorsey seconded the motion and the proposal was approved unanimously.

3. Modifying an Existing Course, FL 410
 - Clarifying student requirements for successfully completing the course, as listed with the course description in the Bulletin.

Nora Corrigan made the motion to approve the proposal. Rachael Damms seconded the motion and the proposal was approved unanimously.

4. Modifying an Existing Curriculum, TESL Cert

- Modification of the existing requirements for the TESL Certificate to add EN 402 TESL Internship and adjust the requirements to allow students to take two out of three requirements: EN 302, EN 305, or EN 402.

Wesley Garrett made the motion to approve the proposal. Kimberly Dorsey seconded the motion and the proposal was approved unanimously.

5. Creating a New Course, MUS 125B

- Applied brass lessons for non-majors and dual-enrolled students in trumpet, horn, trombone, euphonium, and tuba.

6. Creating a New Course, MUS 125C

- We are going to offer elective applied lessons in music composition aimed toward non-music majors and dual-enrolled students.

7. Creating a New Course, MUS 125W

- Applied woodwind lessons for non-majors and dual-enrolled students in flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone, and bassoon.

Nora Corrigan made the motion to approve the proposals. Rachael Damms seconded the motion and the proposals were approved unanimously.

The next meeting will take place on February 7, 2025, at 1:30 pm via Zoom.

Proposals are due to rsample@muw.edu by noon, Wednesday, January 29th