

FCAS CC Minutes/Wednesday, January 25, 2017

2:00-3:30 GHH 301

1. Committee Business

- minutes-taker—R Soto
- Present: Lori Lee Wallace, Renee Soto, Lauren Rossi, Adria Updike, Erin Tooley, Christine Fagan
- approve minutes of December 12, 2016—approve RS ET 4-0-1
- Next chronological Courses/Programs Pending in queue: Hist 339, BA in Public Rel., MATH MINOR, Bio 326, Bio 318, Math 342, BS in MATHEMATICS, Phys 370, Math 221, Bio 235
- Chair has question about HIST 339—committee agreed to move this course back to the HIST course program with the rest of the HIST courses, on hold with the HIST department, based on the conversation with the department in the fall and the state of the petition.
- Pre-reading information—clarification of how to use the google docs, removal of “bring to committee” column
- Awaiting changes to COMM 480
- REORG—FCAS CC Chair contact with Provost/ Vice Provost regarding the reorg, will the current FCASCC dissolve and be replaced by two new committees, one for SHAE, and SSNS, and how will the size, etc. of these new committees will be determined (by the Faculty Senate?). Question also raised regarding University Library presence on each committee.

2. Second Reading/Courses, Programs

(Petition/Nature of Proposal/Date Notified-Posted)

NA

3. First Reading/ Courses, Programs (Petition/Nature of Proposal/Date Notified-Posted)

BA Public Relations/ Modification, 5/3/2016—minor changes to major based on changing the name of the courses from COMM designation to PR. Committee requests proposer attach revised catalog copy as presented in attachment to COMM 220 to PR 200 attachment. Approved pending changes AU, ET, 5-0-0

BA Aquaculture and Aquarium Science/New Program, revised launch 11/16/2016

Committee requests proposer attach departmental sign-off

Committee requests proposer match course sequencing in curricunet with the attached proposal. For example, but not limited to:

- Committee requests changing the presence of “AQS 264L” to AQS 264 in course sequencing
- Committee requests updating course sequence within petition/ program sequence to match the indicated courses within the attached program description. (For example, changing Math requirements in course sequencing to reflect Math 124 or MATH/BIO 250, Bio 392/393 or AQS 318).
- It’s unclear if the proposal is for a 38 or 42 credit major (program sequencing within proposal versus attached documents).
- Committee requests clarification of double dipping among science majors other than Marine Bio
- Committee wonders about low-credit requirements and 2.5 GPA for entry and exit. Committee requests rationale.
- 2.5 GPA requirement appears as entry and exit as well as exclusively for the 4 required courses. Committee requests clarity and rationale.
- Adjust course sequencing to reflect MGMT 352 and not PA 352, as PA 352 is not listed in the current catalog
- Cannot list a specific PHYS 430 as a requirement. (Course offered outside of department and is variable topic and credit.) Please drop this as an elective.
- Please expand on the rationale for the second major requirement. The committee wonders if this requirement is necessary, when the university requires a core concentration. The committee wonders why not a BA in BIO with an AQS track, like Biochemistry, or a certificate in AQS.

LLWallace leaves at 3:20pm

Chair requests to extend at 3:30 for 15 minutes. 4-0-0

Request changes and continue first reading at next meeting. A Updike will contact proposer and invite proposer to attend next meeting.

Motion to adjourn 3:43pm.