

Meeting minutes for A&S Committee meeting 4/20/11

Present: Paul Karpuk (PK), Robbin Smith (RoS), Robert Wolff (RW), Louise Williams (LW), Mark Jackson (MJ), Nara Mijid (NM), Ivan Turnipseed (IT), Mary Erdman (ME), Jeff Thomas (JT), Shuju Wu (CEGJ), Xiabing Hu (CEGJ), Jerry Butler (JB), Betsy Dobbs-McAuliffe (BDM), Lisa Frank (LF), Carlotta Parr (CP), Lauren Perdue (LP), Tom Vasko (TV), Jakub Kazecki (JK), Adele Miller (AM), Cindy White (CW), Don Adams (DA), Reginald Simmons (RS), Steve Watton (SW).

Meeting called to order at 3:20pm.

Minutes from 3/16 meeting approved.

NEW BUSINESS

(2 -4) MJ moved to consider as package. Replacement of BIO 416 with BIO 530 and change in MS in Biological Sciences; Anesthesia. Passed as package.

(5) Presented by MJ. Change of requirements for Masters of Science in Biological Sciences; Health Science Specialization. Approved.

(6) COMM492. Presented by C W. Revival of former political communication class, formerly restricted to intern experiences within the state legislature, now being expanded to go beyond just the legislature. Approved.

(18) Presented by NM. ECON201 Change description to remove recommendation that ECON200 be taken prior to 201, which streamlines the program. Approved.

(21) ENGL298. Presented by PK. Restricted to majors and minors or permission of instructor, to ensure access for majors and minors. Approved.

(22,23) Moved as package by PK. Presented by PK. Split of ENGL362 into two separate courses; one for Greek Literature (ENGL363) and one for Latin Literature (ENGL364). Noted that I designation was being sought for both courses. Friendly amendment was passed to modify descriptions to specify that the courses cover Greek poetry and prose & Roman poetry and prose, respectively. Concern was raised (MJ) that students could potentially take ENGL362 and then receive credit for 363/364. PK did not see an issue, since ENGL362 is not likely to be taught again. PK will possibly move to delete ENGL362 at the main meeting. Items approved as package.

(24) Presented by PK. Changes in general prerequisites for ENG courses. Moved and approved.

(25) (ME) Addition of SOC478 to Minor in Polish Studies. Approved.

(26, 28) Presented by JT. Initially moved as package. SCI412: SCI 111 replaces ESCI as prerequisite, cycling changed.

Reflects change at program level . Only SCI111, no other ESCI. Question was raised whether requirement of PSY361 or 462 should be PSY362 or 462; needs to be clarified. Motion to sever items 26 and 28 was passed; motion to approve Item 26 made and passed. Item 28 deferred until main meeting.

(27) Presented by RoS. Changes to PS 448 to update and include a research capstone experience. Approved.

Engineering item. Represented by Tom Vasko. Moved as package to approve math/physics prerequisites across the ENG curriculum. Approved.

Meeting adjourned 4:30pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Watton, Secretary, Arts and Sciences subcommittee.