

RCOB Undergraduate Programs Committee
Minutes- March 22, 2016

Present: Jim Burton, Kim Green, Kasey Hannah, James Yoder, Linxiao Liu, Hilde Patron (Chair), Mimi Rickard, Mike Sinkey, Monica Smith, Diane Williamson, Mary Kassis

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM.

1. Minutes from the February 10 meeting were approved.
2. The committee discussed the revised rubric for learning goals LO1.1 and LO3.1.
3. The committee discussed and provided feedback on AOL reports LO2.1, LO2.2, LO2.3, and LO4.1.
4. Monica Smith gave the committee an update on the Leadership Academy and the First Year Experience. The Academy will launch Fall 2016. The committee needs to discuss the FYE.
5. The committee discussed the possibility of moving one ECON (2105 or 2106) out of Area F and to create a new 'mini-capstone' course to go in Area F. The course would be required of all BBA students. Some members of the committee felt that this would make the curriculum less flexible. We will gather feedback from faculty.
6. The committee discussed GPA and number of hours requirement for our majors (currently 2.0 GPA and 45 hours). Hilde will investigate what would be the impact on retention and progression of raising the GPA requirement.
7. The committee discussed Kim Green's Excel data and similarity of our curriculum and those of peers and aspirant schools. Jim Burton, Kim Green, Mike Sinkey, and Jim Yoder will investigate in more detail and report back at our next meeting.
8. Mimi Rickard, Linxiao Liu, Mike Sinkey, and Kim Green will serve in the scholarship committee.

The meeting adjourned at 10:50 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Hilde Patron