

Minutes
Undergraduate Programs Committee Meeting
Dr. Julia Farmer, Committee Chair
April 10, 2015
2:00 pm. – TLC 1200

I. Call to Order

II. Attendance

Members: Julia Farmer, Myrna Gantner, Hannes Gerhardt, Kim Green, Donna Haley, Angela Insenga, Paul Luken, Kathy Skott-Myhre, Lara Willox

Guests: Jim Mayer, Sharmistha Basu-Dutt

III. Approval of Minutes
Approved

IV. Approval of Agenda
Approved

Action Items:

V. Program and Course Proposals

A. College of Arts & Humanities

Course Proposals: None

Program Proposals: None

B. Richard College of Business

Course Proposals: None

Program Proposals: None

C. College of Education

Course Proposals: None

Program Proposals: None

D. Tanner School of Nursing

Course Proposals: None

Program Proposals: None

E. College of Science & Mathematics

Course Proposals:

1. CHEM 1151K
Chemistry
Request: Modify
Approved

Program Proposals:

1. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Chemistry
Chemistry
Request: Modify (Chemical/Bioengineering Option)
Approved
2. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Chemistry
Chemistry
Request: Modify (ACS Certified Option)
Approved
3. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Chemistry
Chemistry
Request: Modify (Biochemistry Option)
Approved
4. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Chemistry
Chemistry
Request: Modify (Preprofessional Option)
Approved
5. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Chemistry
Chemistry
Request: Modify (All options except Chemistry Option A and Biochemistry Option B)
Approved
6. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Geology
Geology
Request: Modify
Approved

F. College of Social Sciences

Course Proposals:

1. POLS 4516 American National Security Policy
Political Science
Request: Add
Approved with friendly amendment: condense course description
2. POLS 4515 Terrorism and Counterterrorism
Political Science
Request: Add
Approved with friendly amendment: condense course description and correct “wider range.”
3. POLS 4517 Global Human Rights
Political Science
Request: Add
Approved with friendly amendment: condense course description, correct “if a post-World War II phenomenon.”
4. POLS 4518 Arab-Israeli Conflict
Political Science
Request: Add
Approved with friendly amendment: condense course description
5. POLS 4519 Genocide
Political Science
Request: Add
Approved with friendly amendment: condense course description, remove rationale from course description.
6. EURO 3234 Introduction to the EU
Political Science
Request: Add
7. EURO 4130 EU Law and Legal Systems
Political Science
Request: Add
8. EURO 4160 Federalism and Multilevel Governance
Political Science
Request: Add
9. EURO 4230 Doing Business in the EU
Political Science
Request: Add
10. EURO 4630 Communications and Media

Political Science
Request: Add

11. EURO 4260 European Monetary Union
Political Science
Request: Add

12. EURO 4430 European Environmental Policy
Political Science
Request: Add

13. EURO 4530 European Social Policy
Political Science
Request: Add

14. EURO 4730 EU Foreign Policy
Political Science
Request: Add

15. EURO 4760 US-EU Relations
Political Science
Request: Add

16. EURO 4330 EU Science and Technology Policy
Political Science
Request: Add

17. EURO 4830 EU Studies Capstone
Political Science
Request: Add

EURO courses approved as a block via email.

Program Proposals:

1. Bachelor of Science with a Major in Political Science
Political Science
Request: Modify
2. Bachelor of Arts with a Major in Political Science
Political Science
Request: Modify

These program modifications were both approved via email.

Information Items:

1. Discussion: recap of Faculty Senate discussion regarding the Bachelor of Arts degree.

Those on the committee who had been at the Senate meeting agreed that no consensus was reached and that next year there would need to be discussions about process, terminology, and state-wide understandings about what certain types of degrees mean. Insenga mentioned that there are certain state-wide committees that discuss requirements for different degrees. She will look into these and other issues over the summer in preparation for taking over as UPC chair.