Minutes
Undergraduate Programs Committee Meeting
Dr. Camilla Gant, Presiding
February 16, 2012
2:00 p.m. - Campus Center 105

I. Call to Order

II. Attendance Roll

Members: Jon Anderson, Jean Cook, Maria Doyle, Camilla Gant, Donna Haley, Bill Kenyon, Paul Luken, Tami Ogletree (alternate for Jessica Bucholz), Faramarz Parsa, LaDonia Patterson, Rebecca Reynolds

Guests: Frank Butts, Dave Jenks, Heather Mbaye, Shea Rose, J.C. Seong, Amber Smallwood, Christopher Tabit, Andy Walter

III. Approval of Agenda

IV. Approval of November 17 & January 26, 2012 Minutes

V. Program and Course Proposals

A. College of Arts & Humanities

Course Proposals: No Agenda Items

Program Proposals: No Agenda Items

B. Richard College of Business

Course Proposals: No Agenda Items

Program Proposals: No Agenda Items

C. College of Education

Course Proposals:

1. PWLA 1600 - Personal Wellness
Request: Modify description; See attachment
Action: Approved

2. UTCH 2001 - Inquiry Approaches to Teaching
Request: Add; See attachment
Action: Approved
3. UTCH 2002 - Inquiry Based Lesson Design  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

4. UTCH 3001 - Knowing and Learning in Mathematics and Science Education  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

5. UTCH 3002 - Classroom Interactions  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

6. UTCH 3003 - Project Based Instruction  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

7. UTCH 3004 - Inclusive Secondary Mathematics and Science Classrooms  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

8. UTCH 4000 - Apprentice Teaching  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

Program Proposals:

1. Bachelor of Science in Recreation  
   Request: Terminate  
   Action: Terminate, pending verification of no current majors; otherwise suspend

2. Bachelor of Science in Secondary Teacher Education  
   Request: Terminate  
   Action: Terminate, pending verification of no current majors; otherwise suspend

D. School of Nursing

   Course Proposals: No Agenda Items

   Program Proposals: No Agenda Items
E. College of Science & Mathematics

Course Proposals:

1. GEOG 2503 - Cultural Geography  
   Request: Modify description  
   Action: Approved

2. GEOG 3405 - Geographies of Sustainability  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

3. GEOG 4253 - Seminar in Economic Geography  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

4. GEOG 4500 - Moral Geographies  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

5. GEOG 4643 - Seminar in Urban Geography  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

6. GEOG 4755 - GIS Database Design  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

7. GEOG 4757 - Programming and Customization in GIS  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

8. GEOG 4893 - Practicum in GIS  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

9. GEOL 3825 - Research Methods  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

Program Proposals:

1. Bachelor of Science in Earth Science/Secondary Education  
   Request: Modify; align program with UTeach requirements; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

2. Bachelor of Science in Geography  
   Request: Modify Area F, learning outcomes, concentrations; See attachment  
   Action: Approved
3. Bachelor of Arts in Geography  
   Request: Terminate; See attachment  
   Action: Suspend; current majors may complete program, new majors cannot enroll

F. College of Social Sciences

Course Proposals:

1. COMM 2110 - Intercultural Communication  
   Action: Forwarded to Gen Ed Subcommittee

2. POLS 4407 - European Environmental Policy  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

3. POLS 4408 - EU Science and Technology Policy  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

4. POLS 4411 - Federalism and Multilevel Governance in the EU  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

5. POLS 4412 - Democracy and the EU  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

6. POLS 4413 - Social Policy in Europe  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

7. POLS 4414 - History of European Integration  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

8. POLS 4507 - US-EU Relations  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

9. POLS 4508 - European Economic and Monetary Union  
   Request: Add; See attachment  
   Action: Approved

10. POLS 4509 - EU Law and Legal Systems  
    Request: Add; See attachment  
    Action: Approved
11. POLS 4510 - Foreign Policy and the EU
   Request: Add; See attachment
   Action: Approved

12. SOCI 4982 - Capstone: Internship
    Request: Add
    Action: Approved

13. SOCI 4983 - Capstone: Senior Thesis
    Request: Modify prerequisites, title
    Action: Approved

14. SOCI 4984 - Capstone: Senior Seminar
    Request: Modify prerequisites, title
    Action: Approved

Program Proposals:

1. Bachelor of Science in Criminology
   Request: Modify; delete pre-major criteria
   Action: Approved

2. Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communications
   Request: Modify pre-major criteria, FMA track, electives, degree type; See attachment
   Action: Approved

3. Department of Political Science & Planning
   Request: Add Minor in Public Administration; See attachment
   Action: Approved

4. Bachelor of Science in Sociology
   Request: Modify; expand capstone options
   Action: Approved

VI. General Education Committee Chair Updates - Dr. Maria Doyle stated that the Faculty Senate approved the proposed Critical Thinking overlay courses; and the courses are awaiting review by the BOR.

VII. XIDS Core Course Review Committee Chair Updates - Dr. Rebecca Reynolds stated that the committee was formulated based on recommended guidelines, and the initial meeting is scheduled for Feb. 22 with five course proposals on the agenda.

VIII. Shared Governance Procedures for Modifications to Academic Programs
      Dr. Camilla Gant reviewed the proposed shared governance document, and noted non-substantive suggested edits to forward to the Rules Committee.

IX. Meeting adjourned at 3:28 p.m.