

University Undergraduate Academic Council

Adams Center Conference Room

April 30, 2014

3:00-5:00 p.m.

Present: T. Baggs, M. Riggs, M. Atkinson, E. Brokaw, S. Lewis, P. Lakey, D. Pope, W. Willis,
D. Williams

Absent: D. Pemberton, E. Gumm

Ex-officios: N. Coates, D. Christianson

Guests: N. Shankle, L. Penya, P. Roggendorff, R. Ashlock, J. Dowdy, B. Crisp, C. Hutson

Meeting began at 3:00

- I. Approval of the minutes from 4.16.14
Motion to approve with noted corrections by Brokaw; seconded by Pope; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- II. Call to order and prayer

Information only items

- III. Vocational Ministry Title
- IV. Spanish Course numbers within the hundred

Action Items

- V. At the beginning of the meeting Ed Brokaw proposed the council approve all of the following:
- VI. Social Work 416 & 481 Capstone
- VII. Sociology 415 Capstone
- VIII. Foreign Language Code Change
- IX. POLS 499 Capstone
- X. BIBM Capstone Experience
- XI. BIBM 429 Change
- XII. Christian Ministry Concentration

- XIII. IS 405 Hour Change
- XIV. IS Degree Changes
- XV. COBA Degree Revisions
- XVI. COBA Admission Requirements
- XVII. Physics cross-listing course
- XVIII. Physics Degree Revisions

Motion to approve by Brokaw; seconded by Pope; all in favor; one abstention; motion passes;

There was discussion about considering a capstone proposal that had not been to the college council. There was a general agreement of the council that it did not matter if it had been to the college council.

Motion to approve by Brokaw; seconded by Lakey; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- XIX. SPAN 499 - New Course, Capstone

Paul took what was required for a capstone course and those became the signature assignments.

Motion to approve the course and capstone by Pope; seconded by Williams; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- XX. DBMM - MACM, MDiv

Chris Hutson presented the DBMM changes. This was tabled last year. The previous proposal asked for 21-24 double dip hours and this has been reduced to 12. This practice gives students undergraduate credit for taking graduate courses. The reduced time it takes to complete the degrees will be beneficial for students financially.

Motion to approve by Lakey; seconded by Baggs; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- XXI. XI. Remove Greek from BVMN

Decided to remove the Greek requirement to give more flexibility for each student. Now that the 6 hours of Greek has been removed students will take 12 hours of language.

Motion to approve by Lakey; seconded by Pope; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- XXII. XII. BMIS 270 – New Course

The department combined two freshmen level classes and created this sophomore level class.

Motion to approve by Pope; seconded by Williams; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

- XXIII. XVII. IT 105 - New Course
Motion to approve by Willis; seconded by Riggs; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXIV. XVIII. PHYS 203 - New Course, Natural Science Menu, Adding to IDSC
This course is particularly for elementary education majors.
Motion to approve by Willis; seconded by Pope; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXV. SPAN 290 Intermediate Conversation Lab
The department believed it was beneficial to turn this into a lab. This class is repeatable, giving the students a chance to meet the requirement. This is the only course that requires a faculty to have an overload.
Motion to approve by Brokaw; seconded by Williams; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXVI. SPAN 301 - Advanced Communication
Motion to approve by Williams; seconded by Brokaw; all in favor; one abstention; motion passes;
- XXVII. SPAN 305 - Immersion Communication
This course is offered in Montevideo. There was discussion on the overlap between 301 and 305.
Motion to approve by Brokaw; seconded by Williams; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXVIII. SPAN 310 - Spanish for Healthcare Providers
This course was placed at the 300 level because it would be hard for the university to compete with the cheaper 100 level online courses offered elsewhere.
Motion to approve by Wendell; seconded by Pope; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXIX. SPAN 345 - Culture of South American Southern Cone
This course will be taught in Uruguay.
Motion to approve by Brokaw; seconded by Williams; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;
- XXX. SPAN 365 - Survey of South American Southern Cone Literature
Motion to approve by Wendell; seconded by Pope; all in favor; none opposed; motion passes;

Meeting adjourned at 5:00