Undergraduate Curriculum Forum
MINUTES
Adanti Student Center, Room 301A
Thursday, May 10, 2012


I. The meeting was called to order at 8:54 a.m.
   ▪ Quorum (50% + 1) was reached at 8:57 a.m.

II. Announcements
   a. Committee Membership – WACC needs HHS representative – Steering Committee will appoint someone to this position. K. Lacey from Nursing willing to serve.
   b. Results of the All University Elections were:
      i. At-Large UCF Members: Erin Larkin and Scott Graves (3-year terms) and Rebecca Silady (2-year term)
      ii. LEPC Members: Dave Petroski (Arts & Sciences), Joe Fields and Mike Shea (at-large)

III. Approval of UCF minutes of April 26, 2012
   a. Minutes of April 26th approved with one abstention.

IV. Standing Committee Reports
   a. C. Simoneau thanked members for extra work the last few week to get the courses reviewed. Only three courses are pending. Thank you to Nicole Henderson for work on the FYE Program proposal.
   b. NMC
      i. Discussion of 5/3 and 5/7 meeting
         1. Motion to approve the following new and/or revised courses and new and/or revised programs:
            New Course Proposal
            1) INQ 390 – Peer Mentoring in the First-Year Classroom
            2) INQ 391 – Peer Mentoring Practicum
3) IDS 401W – Capstone Seminar in Interdisciplinary Studies

New Program Proposal
1) FYE Program - 3 abstentions

Revised Course Proposals 1 abstention
1) MAT 120 – College Algebra
2) ENG 317 – Cross-Cultural Literatures and Contexts
3) ENG 325 – English Medieval Literature
4) ENG 329 – Modern British Poetry
5) ENG 331 – British Novel to 1990
6) ENG 339 – Modern British Novel
7) ENG 342 – Shakespeare I: 1564-1601
8) ENG 343 – Shakespeare II: 1601-1616
9) ENG 344 – Shakespeare’s Contemporaries
10) ENG 360 – Early American Writers
11) ENG 361 – American Renaissance
12) ENG 362 – American Realism
13) ENG 366 – American Poetry
14) ENG 371 – Literature Into Film
15) ENG 380 – Chaucer
16) ENG 383 – American Women Writers
17) ENG 421 – Feminist Theory and Literary Criticism
18) ENG 423 – Contemporary African-American Novelists
19) ENG 424 – The Harlem Renaissance
20) ENG 428 – Victorian Age Literature
21) ENG 444 – 18th-Century British Literature
22) ENG 447 – American Drama
23) ENG 452 – Renaissance in England
24) ENG 453 – British Women Writers: 1600-1750
25) ENG 454 – 17th-Century British Literature
26) ENG 455 – 19th-Century British Literature: 1837-1900
27) ENG 458 – Romantic Poets
28) ENG 459 – British Drama
29) ENG 460 – Queer Theory
30) ENG 461 – The Beat Movement
31) ENG 462 – Gay and Lesbian Film and Literature
32) ENG 463 – 20th-Century American Novel
33) ENG 464 – American Modernism
34) ENG 465 – Postcolonial Literature
35) ENG 484 – Milton
36) ENG 486 – Seminar in American Literature
37) ENG 487 – Seminar in British Literature
38) ESC 200 – Principles of Geology
39) ESC 303 – Environmental Earth Science
40) ESC 311 – Mineralogy  
41) ESC 315 – Geomorphology  
42) ESC 421 – Marine Geology  
43) ESC 430 – Field Methods  
44) ESC 457 – Hydrology  
45) INQ 101 – Intellectual and Creative Inquiry  
46) PSC 200 – Political Change Conflict

Revised Program Proposals  
1) BS Athletic Training  
2) BS Business/Concentration: Management  
3) BA Anthropology  
4) BS Anthropology/Concentration: Biological Anthropology  
5) BS Anthropology/Concentration: Archaeology  
6) BS Anthropology/Concentration: Cultural Anthropology  
7) BS Anthropology/Concentration: Linguistic Anthropology  
8) BS Anthropology/Concentration: General Anthropology  
9) BS/BA Earth Science/Concentration: All  
10) BS/BA Liberal Studies/Concentration: IDS  
11) BS/BA Liberal Studies/Concentration: General Studies

New Minor Proposal  
1) Minor in English/Concentration: Literature, Creative Writing

2. Motion approved with abstentions as noted above.

ii. Minutes of 5/3 and 5/7 meeting received

c. NPIC
   i. Discussion of 5/2 meeting
      1. Reviewed Special Topics Courses:  
         1) HON 298 Sustainability: Food and Culture  
         2) PHI 298 Moral Machines  
         3) PHY 398 Astrophysics  
         4) EGR 398 Special Topics in Engineering
   
ii. Minutes of 5/2 meeting received

d. WACC
   i. Discussion of 5/3 meeting
      1. Motion to approve the following W-courses:  
         1) PHI 325 Bioethics of the Life Sciences (E. Cavallero)  
         2) CMD 461 Clinical Practice of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (K. Mabry)
3) ENG 218 American Experience in Literature (P. Petrie)
4) ENG 398 Literature of Reformation England (J. Dodson)
5) HIS 298 Apocalypse Then (M. McDaniel)
6) IDS 401 Capstone Seminar in Interdisciplinary Studies (I. Crawford)

2. Motion approved unanimously
ii. Minutes of the 5/3 meeting received

e. PRAC
   i. Discussion of 5/3 meeting
      1. Motion: to approve PRAC’s recommendation for continuing approval to the Mathematics Department
      2. Motion approved unanimously
   ii. Minutes of 5/3 meeting received

f. UWIC
   i. Discussion of 5/3 meeting
      1. Motion to approve the following 6 LEP courses and 1 LEP program:
         1) ART 106 Critical Thinking through Art (T1 CT)
         2) ESC 210 Principles of Astronomy (T2 TP)
         3) ESC 220 Physical and Chemical Oceanography (T2 NW 1)
         4) MAT 120 College Algebra (T1 QR)
         5) IDS 401 Capstone Seminar in Interdisciplinary Studies (T3)
         6) INQ 101 Intellectual and Creative Inquiry
         7) FYE New Program Proposal
      2. Motion approved unanimously - 1 abstention
   ii. Minutes of 5/3 received

g. LEPC
   i. Discussion of minutes from 4/25/12 and 5/2/12.
      1. Motion: To approve the two sets of minutes
      2. Motion approved unanimously
   ii. Minutes of 4/25/12 and 5/2/12 meetings received.

V. Old Business

VI. New Business
   a. Election of UCF Chair for 2012-2013 Academic Year
      i. Motion from Cindy Simoneau to nominate Marty Hartog
      ii. Seconded by Greg Adams
      iii. Approved unanimously
b. Agenda items for 2012-2013 academic year.

i. Pilot to begin in the fall to embed information literacy into courses. Pilot program will begin with 9 learning groups.

ii. Clarifying FYE as part of the LEP.

iii. Examine the Flow of Proposals documents.

iv. A concerned letter from exercise science going to senate regarding the motion about minor versus major revisions of the LEP.

v. Concern from Patty Kahlbaugh involving enrollment issues and scheduling of classes. Would changes in scheduling be attractive to students – M-W/ T-TH/F-Sat. Could be part of student survey. Council of Academic Chairs has discussed this. The Provost is in favor of a change and it is being discussed at SGO. How do we move forward with discussions at a more formal level.

vi. It was noted that Transfer Articulation Policy Committees will meet during the summer.

Meeting adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

These minutes are respectfully submitted by Kim Lacey.