University-Wide Impact Committee Minutes 01/15/15


Guest: Greg Robbins

I. Call to Order  The meeting was called to order at 9:40 am (quorum reached).

II. Old Business
A. Urban Affairs Minor
   Motion to Approve: K. Stiver, 2nd H. Lockwood (12 – 0 – 0)

III. New Business
A. Request from Accounting to Reduce the Number of Required Free Elective Credits for Business majors pursuing an Accounting Concentration from 12 to 6.
   After an RPP was submitted for Accounting, the new total was 127 credits. This RPP was not signed by administration because of the total was over 120. We hope to discuss with Accounting and the Administration how to best approach this issue.
   Motion to Table: H. Lockwood; 2nd D. Fairchild (11 – 1 – 0)

B. New Minor from WLL: Medical Spanish for Health and Human Service Professionals.
   Motion to Approve: L. Bower-Phipps, 2nd L. Kwak (11 – 0 – 0)

C. Statement about Independent Studies: See the attached document describing the history of this.
   There has been a trend where Independent Study proposals have been rejected by the Deans. With a push for students to graduate in 4 years, perhaps we should allow more independent studies, when appropriate. We are asking Provost Bergeron to consider this issue.

IV. Future Agenda Item
   Should we consider having transcripts note when a student receives an F in a course because of Academic Dishonesty?

V. Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 10:50 am.
Minutes submitted by Klay Kruczek.