

L&S College Curriculum Committee Minutes
February 24, 2022
2:00 PM
Hyland Hall 2305

CCC website (to be updated): <http://www.uww.edu/cls/curriculum-committee>
CourseLeaf: <http://www.uww.edu/acadaff/facstaff/courseleaf>

Voting members present: Paul Adogamhe, Louis Betty, Ellen Davis, Rocio Duchesne, Ted Gimbel, Deanna Guthrie, Heather Niemeier (David Havas), Wesley Hough, Paul House, Jonathan Ivry, Loren Wilbers (Leda Kanellakou), Nathan McGovern, Zach Oster, Adam Paddock, Sarah Hessenauer (Kristen Prock), Narendra Regmi

Voting members absent: Ellie Schemenauer

Non-voting members present: Angela Kopf Harlan, Chair, Susan Johnson, Deb Connelly, Annie LaValley, Sarah Heiden (Eric Passler), Student DAC representative, Mary Pratt, Secretary

Non-voting members absent: Peggy Strong

Angela Harlan called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM.

Approval of Minutes:

- A. Ellen Davis moved to approve the draft minutes from November 18, 2021 and December 2, 2021, seconded by Wesley Hough. No corrections, three abstentions, motion carried.

Announcements

B. Courses Numbered 291 and 296

1. If you think your department wants to offer a Travel Study (291) or Special Topics (296) in the future, please create these in CourseLeaf now if they do not already exist.
2. Encourage you NOT to use prereq's
3. All departments should reserve a 296 course
 - i. Please model after the 496 form for Special Topics Course by copying and pasting.
4. If you have both 296 and 496 please keep both to offer at the Freshman and Sophomore level, as well as the Junio and Senior level.
5. See Angela with any questions

Currency of Bulletin

C. Informational Items:

COMPUTER SCIENCE

- i. Course change: [COMPSCI 322: COMPUTER LANGUAGES AND COMPILERS](#)

SOCIOLOGY

- ii. Course revision: [SOCIOLOGY 393: RACE AND ETHNICITY BEYOND THE CLASSROOM](#)

WOMEN'S & GENDER STUDIES

- iii. Course revision: [WOMENST 320 LESBIAN STUDIES](#)

Proposals

D. COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCES

1. New course proposal: [LSINDP 101: INTRODUCTION TO HEALS](#)
2. New course proposal: [LSINDP 401: HEALTH AND LEADERSHIP SENIOR SEMINAR](#)

3. Program revision: [Health and Leadership Studies](#)
 - i. Sarah Hessenauer moved to approve D1-2, seconded by Paul House. Sarah explained the proposals.
 - a. D1-There was a need for an introductory course.
 - b. D2-This is a portfolio course at the end of the program.
 - ii. Change 25-character abbreviation. Angela will edit.
 - iii. A question was raised about staffing. Sarah stated support from the Dean.
 - iv. No further questions. Vote passed unanimously, none opposed, no abstentions.

D3

- i. Sarah moved to approve D3, seconded by Paul House. Sarah explained the proposal.
- ii. This is for AAS degree students transferring to UW-W.
- iii. Several suggestions were made for corrections and clarity, including adding the transfer credits from the AAS degree to the major. Angela will make these changes.
- iv. Two additional courses were suggested for elective and unique requirement areas, COMPSCI 180 Data Science for Everyone and POLISCI ???
- v. Question was raised about consultation with Biology given BIOLOGY 303 in the unique requirements. Angela will follow up.
- vi. There was a robust discussion of the impact this and other new programs have on staffing for general education. Angela will add a statement to the proposal. Reminder: What is written on the proposal matters in the future. If we say we will not need staffing, we will likely not get staffing in the future. We need to state, "This will increase enrollment" in order to have increased staffing. There was a suggestion to add a second box to CourseLeaf for staffing:
 - a. Affect staffing internally
 - b. Affect staffing outside the program
- vii. Wesley moved to table the proposal, seconded by Nathan McGovern. Vote passed unanimously with no abstentions.

E. COMPUTER SCIENCE

1. Program revision: [DATASCI: Data Science Minor](#)
 - i. Zach moved to accept E1, seconded by Ted. Zach explained the need to remove one unique requirement.
 - ii. There was discussion of a decline in experiential learning offerings in the college, which is not the direction we want to move.
 - iii. Vote: passed unanimously with no abstentions, no oppositions.
2. New course proposal: [COMPSCI 165: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTATIONAL THINKING](#)
 - i. Zach moved to bring the C2 proposal to the floor, seconded Wesley. Motion passed unanimously.
 - ii. Angela will attach the email consultation from Mathematics regarding the current computer lab shortage concern and add a statement addressing the issue to space and facilities.
 - iii. Vote: Motion passed unanimously with one abstention and none opposed.

F. ECONOMICS

1. Program revision: [EDBSECON: Economics Education \(BSE\)](#)
2. Program revision: [EDBSESCISCI SCISTECON1: Social Studies Broadfield-Economics](#)

I Emphasis (BSE)

- i. Narendra Regmi moved to accept D1-2, seconded by Nathan. Narendra explained the proposal modifications.
- ii. Vote: Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions and none opposed.

G. LANGUAGES & LITERATURES

1. Program deactivation: [LSBAENDL AENLPWBK: English-Professional Writing and Publishing Emphasis \(BA/BS\)](#)
 - i. Louis moved to accept G1, seconded by ted. Louis explained the proposal.
 - ii. Vote: Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions and none opposed.

H. SOCIOLOGY

1. Course revision: [SOCIOLGY 494: SEMINAR IN SOCIOLOGY](#)
 - i. Loren moved to accept H1, seconded by Zach. Loren explained the proposal.
 - ii. Vote: Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions and none opposed.

I. SOCIAL WORK

1. Program revision: [HUMANSERVS: Human and Social Services Minor](#)
 - i. Sarah moved to accept I1, seconded by Paul House.
 - ii. Sarah explained the proposal changes.
 - iii. Vote: No questions or comments. None opposed. Motion passed unanimously.

J. WOMEN'S & GENDER STUDIES

1. Program revision: [DIVLEADCRT: Diversity Leadership Certificate](#)
 - i. Sarah moved to accept J, seconded by Ted.
 - ii. Angela explained the proposal in Ellie's absence.
 - iii. Angela will update the Geography course number to 232 after verifying with Ellie.
 - iv. Vote: Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions and none opposed.

K. Discussion

1. Annie is working on changing pre-professional programs into pre-professional certificates.

L. Adjournment

1. Wesley motioned, seconded by Ted Gimbel to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 3:28 PM.

*Respectfully submitted,
Mary Pratt, CCC Secretary*