

COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVISING
Minutes of the Meeting for November 28, 2017

The committee met on Tuesday, November 28, 2017, at 11:15 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present: Anthony-Twarog, Atchley, Bolden, Daley, Grund, Johnson, LaPierre, Ledom, Maley, Olcott Marshall, Schwien, Slusky, Watson-Thompson

Chair's Welcome: Professor Anthony-Twarog called the meeting to order at 11:18 am.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the November 14, 2017 meeting minutes of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising. The motion was seconded and passed.

Dean's Office Update: No updates at this time.

CASS Office Update: No updates at this time.

Subcommittee Reports:

A. Policy and Awards Subcommittee

Professor Anthony-Twarog reported that the committee has been reviewing new certificate proposals and petitions.

B. Curricular Changes/Degree Requirements/ KU Core Proposals

A motion was made to amend the consent agenda rubric to add course number changes to the consent agenda for CUSA. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

1. Consent Agenda

Professor Slusky presented the Curricular Changes nominations included in the consent agenda.

A motion was made to approve the Curricular Changes in the consent agenda. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Curricular Changes for Approval:

Course Changes: BIOL 405, BIOL 507, BIOL 519, EURS 501, GERM 315, GERM 333, GERM 411, GERM 412, GERM 475, GERM 480, GERM 481, GERM 482, GERM 483, GERM 550, GERM 560, GERM 575, GERM 579, GERM 580, GERM 598, HIST 101, HIST 390, HIST 510, LING 415, WGSS 560/AAAS 560

Course Deactivations: ABSC 356, ABSC 433, ECON 497, EURS 505, EURS 506, EURS 508, EURS 509, FMS 414, GERM 136, GERM 316, HA 341, HA 498, HA 541, HA 548, HA 565, HIST 311, HIST 380, HIST 451, HIST 452, HIST 453, HIST 454, HIST 455, HIST 509, HIST 517/AAAS 517, HIST 523, HIST 533, HIST 582, HIST 602, HIST 629, HIST 653, HIST 654, HNGR 177, HUM 324, HUM 460, HUM 470, HUM 530, HUM 620, PHSX 623, SOC 420, SOC 530, SOC 572, SOC 598, SOC 622, SOC 672

Program Changes for Approval:

Change to existing Major: American Studies, BA/BGS
East Asian Languages and Cultures, BA
Economics, BA/BGS
European Studies, Co-Major
French, BA
German Studies, BA
History, BA/BGS
Human Sexuality, BA/BGS
Sociology, BA/BGS
Visual Art, BFA
Visual Art Education, BAE
Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, BA/BGS

Change to existing Minor: East Asian Languages and Cultures
Economics
European Studies
German Studies
History
Human Sexuality
Italian

Peace and Conflict Studies
Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

2. Items for Full Consideration:

Professor Slusky presented the curricular nominations for new courses. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

New Courses: ANTH 291, ANTH 325/WGSS 325, ANTH 431, ANTH 491, GERM 334,
GERM 336, GERM 350, HA 698, HIST 389, HIST 501, LDST 420, PSYC 321,
WGSS 111

A motion was made to approve the new course proposal for ECON 697 with the friendly amendment of moving the first sentence of the course description to the prerequisite. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Professor Slusky presented the nominations for program changes. A motion was made to approve the nominations for program changes. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Change to existing Major: Biology, BS

Change to existing Minor: Political Science

Professor Slusky presented the nominations for new programs. A motion was made to approve the nominations for new programs. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

New Degree: Environmental Studies/Urban Planning 4+1
History of Art 4+1 (East Asian)
History of Art 4+1 (European)
Molecular, Cellular, & Developmental Biology, BA
Molecular, Cellular, & Developmental Biology, BS

Professor Slusky presented the Course Change proposals which also include a KU Core proposal. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Course Change and KU Core: PORT 347

Professor Slusky presented the New Course proposals which also include a KU Core proposal. Professor Alison Olcott Marshall was in attendance to answer questions regarding GEOL 542. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

New course and KU Core: FREN 481, GEOL 542, HIST 110

Professor Slusky presented the KU Core proposals. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

KU Core nominations: ANTH 367, ANTH 604, PORT 216, PORT 611

A motion was made to table the KU Core nomination for PORT 108 pending a discussion with UCCC regarding language courses meeting goal 4.2

Adjournment 12:20 p. m.