COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVISING
Minutes of the Meeting for October 24, 2017

The committee met on Tuesday, October 24, 2017, at 11:15 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present: Anthony-Twarog, Bolden, Bradley, Daley, Elles, Fourny, Grund, Hileman, Johnson, LaPierre, Ledom, Maley, Schwien, Slusky, Watson-Thompson, Zazzali

Chair’s Welcome: In Professor Maude’s absence, Professor Elles called the meeting to order at 11:15 am.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the October 10, 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
   1. Nothing to report at this time

B. Curricular Changes/Degree Requirements/ KU Core Proposals
   1. Items for Full Consideration:
      Professor Elles presented the New Course proposals which also include a KU Core proposal. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

      New course and KU Core: LDST 520

      A motion was made to move forward the new course proposal and KU Core proposal for SLAV 320 with feedback to the department encouraging them to clarify the non-academic writing piece of the Goal. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

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

      KU Core nominations: CLSX 148, HA 311

      A motion was made to move forward the KU Core proposal for ANTH 449/BIOI 449/PSYC 449/SPLH 449, with feedback to the department regarding the incompatibility of KU Core goal 3 and goal 6. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

   2. Other Items:
      Professor Elles presented the CLAS BA proposal for ANTH 449/BIOI 449/PSYC 449/SPLH 449. A motion was made to approve the proposal. The motion was seconded and approved unanimously.

   3. Continuing KU Core Discussion:
      The committee discussed what role CUSA should serve in the review of KU Core proposals. A lengthy discussion ensued and it was determined that further discussion is needed. Several possible options were considered and the conversation will be continued at future CUSA meetings.

Adjournment 12:31 p.m.