

Excludes motions to approve agenda and minutes.

08/21/2019

- [No motions.]

09/04/2019

- MOTION made that the Registrar recognize the policy concerning which disciplines are eligible as a minor for the Bachelor of Science degree on the Degree Audit, as delineated in previous student handbooks, to wit:  
    “The science fields are biology, chemistry, environment science, engineering, natural resources management, geology, computer science, mathematics, physics, psychology, and sociology/anthropology.”  
    (See 2003-2005 Undergraduate Catalog, page 257.)  
Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.

09/18/2019

- MOTION made to approve program revision. Seconded. Vote unanimous. Motion passes.  
[School of Education program revision (Curriculum and Instruction)]

10/02/2019

- MOTION made to approve new program proposal. Seconded. 15 ayes. 1 abstention. Motion passes.  
[Department of Anthropology – Professional Online MA in Cultural Resource Management (CRN)]

10/16/2019

- MOTION made to forward the following recommendation to the VPAA and Registrar.  
    “The Academic Affairs Committee recommends that retroactive adds be treated as instructor permission adds for one additional week, i.e. up to 1 November 2019.”  
Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.

11/06/2019

- [No motions.]

11/20/2019

- MOTION to table Number 6, Item #1. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Special Education – Delete Special Education Certificate]
- MOTION to approve all four proposed changes. Seconded. Unanimous vote.  
Motion passes.  
[Department of Forestry – FORS 3100 – revision, FORS 4020 – revision, FORS 4100 – revision, FORS 4920 – revision]
- MOTION made to approve all three proposed changes. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Music – New courses]

12/04/2019

- Motion made to accept the program review. Seconded. Motion revoked after discussion.  
[First Year Experience]
- MOTION to make the following recommendation:  
The Academic Affairs Committee (AAC) recommends that a new director of Highlands Undergraduate Experience (HUE) be hired immediately.  
Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.
- MOTION made to approve course revision. Seconded. 13 ayes, 2 abstentions.  
Motion passes.  
[Department of Special Education – Change to program- Delete a course]
- MOTION to approve deletion of non-licensure option. Seconded. 12 ayes, 1 nay, 1 abstention. Motion passes.  
[Department of Special Education – Delete Option 1 in MA]
- MOTION to approve. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Curriculum and Instruction – Addition of new area of concentration – Alternative Licensure Program]
- MOTION to change to discussion item to action item. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[School of Education – Initial Licensure Program Revision]

- MOTION to approve course revision. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes. [School of Education – Initial Licensure Program Revision]

01/15/2020

- MOTION made to approve change. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes. [Department of Nursing – RN-BSN Nursing Program]

02/05/2020

- MOTION to allow the General Engineering program to defer its program review. Seconded. MOTION withdrawn by committee member.
- MOTION to accept revisions to EDUC 5500. Seconded. 12 ayes, 2 abstentions. Motion passes. [School of Education - Alternative Licensure Program EDUC 5500 – Seminar/Internship]
- MOTION to accept revisions to EDUC 5430. Seconded. 13 ayes. Motion passes. [School of Education - Alternative Licensure Program revision EDUC 5430 – Effective Teaching II]
- MOTION made to table item until Biology faculty are available to answer questions. Seconded. 12 ayes, 1 nay, 2 abstentions. Motion passes. [Department of Biology – Biol 4910 – Senior Project and Biol 5940 – Field Zoology]

02/19/2020

- MOTION to approve both submitted changes. Seconded. 12 ayes. Motion passes. [Department of Biology – Biol 4910 – Senior Project and Biol 5940 – Field Zoology]

03/04/2020

- MOTION to table NRM Reorganization proposal to next meeting on April 1, 2020 because Dr. Petronis was unable to attend. After a lively discussion, the motion was approved 10 yes, 5 no, 0 abstentions
- MOTION by subcommittee chair to separate the Health and HPS programs reviews into three reviews: Health, HPS undergraduate, and HPS graduate, per request of the department. Seconded. 15 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention.

- MOTION to move this item to an action item, rather than discussion item. Seconded. 6 yes, 4 no, 3 abstentions.  
[Department of Business - delete AACT 4100/5100 - Add ACCT 4810/5810 - Delete BMIS 5800 Project - Add MGT 45xx/55xx]
- MOTION to approve the above changes. Seconded. 10 yes, 0 no, 5 abstentions.  
[Department of Business - delete AACT 4100/5100 - Add ACCT 4810/5810 - Delete BMIS 5800 Project - Add MGT 45xx/55xx]
- MOTION to move this agenda item to a discussion item, as it was incorrectly labeled as an action item. Seconded. 15 yes, 0 no, 0 abstentions.  
[Request for Amnesty – Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice]
- Motion was made to remove this agenda item, as it was included in part 8 of the agenda. Seconded. Motion passes 15 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention  
[Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice- MA in Criminology]
- MOTION was made to make this item an action item. Seconded. 13 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention.  
[Department of Curriculum and Instruction – Change from EDUC to GNED]
- MOTION was made to change EDUC 5350/6350 to GNED 5350/6350. Seconded. 14 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention.  
[Department of Curriculum and Instruction – Change from EDUC to GNED]
- MOTION was made to table this item to the next meeting. Seconded. 12 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention  
[Discussion on upper division credits]

04/01/2020

- MOTION to postpone the program review for Early Childhood Multicultural Ed until Fall 2020. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.
- MOTION to postpone the program review for Elementary Education until Fall 2020. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.
- MOTION to table this item until the AAC receives the review from the VPAA. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Request for Amnesty – Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice from February 2020]

- MOTION to approve new program proposal. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes  
[Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice – New program proposal. MA in Criminology]
- MOTION to approve 4 new course proposals and 1 course revision. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice – New course proposal. Reproductive Justice (4XXX/5XXX) – New course proposal. Gender, Food, and Culture (4XXX/5XXX) – New course proposal. Violence and Society (4XXX/5XXX) – New course proposal. Organized Crime (4XXX/5XXX) – Course revision. Field Methods in Archaeology (4140/5140)]
- MOTION to approve revision of minor. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Teacher Education – Revision of Minor]
- MOTION to keep this proposal as a discussion item. Seconded. Moving member changed language of motion. Seconding member agreed.

MOTION that, the committee having requested further information concerning the proposed reorganization, if that information is provided by the department, the item will be an action item at the next AAC meeting. Seconded.  
Revised MOTION voted on. Unanimous vote. Motion passes  
[Natural Resource Management Reorganization (Revised)]

04/15/2020

- MOTION to postpone the review until Fall 2020. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Special Education BA, CAEP Accredited, Minor, Certificate, MA]
- MOTION to postpone the review until Fall 2020. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Educational Leadership]
- MOTION to make this an action item. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Visual and Performing Arts – Core Curriculum proposal]
- MOTION to approve changes as proposed. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Visual and Performing Arts – Core Curriculum proposal]
- MOTION to make the request for amnesty for the all departments and programs. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.

[Request for Amnesty – Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice from February 2020]

- MOTION to move this item to a vote item. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Natural Resource Management Reorganization (Revised)]
- MOTION to approve the reorganization. Seconded. 10 ayes, 3 nays, 2 abstentions. Motion passes.  
[Natural Resource Management Reorganization (Revised)]
- MOTION to approve the creation of the new course (Conservation Biology). Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – new course: Conservation Biology in a Changing World]
- MOTION to make this course part of the core. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – new course: Conservation Biology in a Changing World]
- MOTION to postpone the vote on the remainder of the BIOL items. Original moving committee member changed their motion. MOTION to postpone this discussion to the fall. No second. Motion fails.  
[Biology Department – New program: BS in Wildlife Biology Conservation and Management (Revised), Program Revision of Biology BS and BA, Revision of BIOL 385]
- MOTION, at the next AAC meeting the committee would be willing treat this as an action item if the Biology Department consults with the Chemistry Department. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – New program: BS in Wildlife Biology Conservation and Management (Revised), Program Revision of Biology BS and BA, Revision of BIOL 385]

05/06/2020

- MOTION to add election of Chair to agenda. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.
- MOTION to hold off on vote until Dr. Harrington responds. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.
- MOTION to approve the new program: BS in Wildlife Biology and Conservation. Seconded. 9 ayes, 4 nays, 2 abstentions. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – New program: BS in Wildlife Biology and Conservation (Revised)]

- MOTION to approve the revision of BIOL 3850. Seconded. 12 ayes, 2 nays, 1 abstention. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – Revision of BIOL 385]
- MOTION to approve the program revision of Biology BS and BA. Seconded. 4 ayes, 4 nays, 6 abstentions. AAC Chair cast the tie-breaking vote by voting aye. Motion passes.  
[Biology Department – Program Revision of Biology BS and BA]
- MOTION to make this an action item. Seconded. Motion withdrawn.  
[Department of Social Work – New Course Proposal: Family Therapy with Children and Adolescents and Macro Practice]

05/13/2020

- MOTION to approve both course proposals. Seconded. 14 ayes, 0 nays, 2 abstentions. Motion passes.  
[Department of Social Work – New Course Proposal: Family Therapy with Children and Adolescents and Macro Practice]
- MOTION to approve. Seconded. 15 ayes, 0 nays, 1 abstention. Motion passes.  
[Department of Educational Leadership – New program: EDLD Concentration in K-8 Mathematics Teacher Leadership]
- MOTION to approve. Seconded. Committee member noted that this is listed as a discussion item and therefore cannot be voted upon unless it is changed by the committee. Motion cancelled.  
[Department of Counseling – Course revisions: COUN 6110 – Social Justice and Cultural Diversity, COUN 6980 – Internship in Counseling]
- MOTION to change to action item. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
[Department of Counseling – Course revisions: COUN 6110 – Social Justice and Cultural Diversity, COUN 6980 – Internship in Counseling]
- MOTION to approve both course revisions. Seconded. Unanimous vote. Motion passes.  
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