



UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE (UEC) MEETING

January 27, 2017
10:00 AM - A225
Abbotsford Campus

APPROVED MINUTES

PRESENT: Maria Bos-Chan, Sue Brigden, Rhonda Colwell, John English, Peter Geller, Nancy Goad, David McGuire, Kirsten Robertson, Eric Spalding, Mary Saudelli, Elaine Newman, Emilio Landolfi, Jared De Bruin, Adrianna Bakos, Teresa Piper, Bruce Kirkley, and Ben Vanderlei
ABSENT: Donna Alary, Heather Compeau, Vlad Dvoracek, Shirley Hardman, Samantha Pattridge, Simon Xi, Arashpreet Tamber, and Ceilidh Hart
GUESTS: Allan Arndt, Margaret Coombes, Lynn Kirkland-Harvey, Steven Marsh, Marlene Murray, Steven Schroeder, Alisa Webb
RECORDER: Amanda Grimson

1. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

2. APPROVAL OF UEC MINUTES

2.1. UEC draft minutes: December 16, 2016

MOTION:

To approve the draft minutes as presented.

CARRIED

3. SENATE REPORT

4. COURSE OUTLINES

4.1. Communications

New course: CMNS 140

MOTION:

To approve the CMNS 140 course outline as amended:

- Remove CMNS 120 from prerequisites.

CARRIED

4.2. Geography

Changes including total hours: GEOG 111

Changes including credits and total hours: GEOG 270

Changes including prerequisites: GEOG 300, 311, 412

Review with changes including prerequisites: GEOG 362

MOTION:

To approve the GEOG courses as presented.

CARRIED

4.3. Health Sciences

Change to prerequisites: HSC 116

MOTION:

To approve the HSC 116 course outline as presented.

CARRIED

4.4. Graphic and Digital Design

Review with changes including total hours: GD 102

Changes including prerequisites: GD 204

There was a suggestion for revising the calendar description of GD 102, to change "from which they" to "within which it", but it was unclear whether this would change the intent of the sentence. The department will be asked to confirm whether this change is an acceptable edit.

MOTION:

To approved the GD course outlines as presented.

CARRIED

4.5. Peace and Conflict Studies

Changes including prerequisites: PACS 390, 391

MOTION:

To approve the PACS course outlines as amended:

- PACS 390: delete learning outcome #6.

4.6. Biology

Change to prerequisites: BIO 201, 220

Review with changes including prerequisites: BIO 210

MOTION:

To approve the BIO course outlines as presented.

CARRIED

5. PROGRAMS

5.1. Biology

Change to program requirements: Biology minor (BSc)

Change to program requirements: Biology extended minor (BA)

MOTION:

To approve the changes to the Biology minor (BSc) program requirements as presented, effective September 2017.

CARRIED

MOTION:

To approve the changes to the Biology extended minor (BA) program requirements as presented, effective September 2017.

CARRIED

5.2. Arts

Change to program requirements: Bachelor of Arts

Change to program requirements: Liberal Arts diploma

CMNS 120 has not yet been approved, and so will not be added to either program. ENGL 091 and 099 will be added to the Writing Foundation requirements of the LAD, to match the BA requirements.

MOTION:

To approve the changes to the Bachelor of Arts as amended, effective September 2017:

- Removal of CMNS 120.

CARRIED

MOTION:

To approve the changes to the Liberal Arts diploma as amended, effective September 2017:

- Removal of CMNS 120.
- "...an A in English 12 or equivalent, an A in ENGL 091, or an A in ENGL 099."

CARRIED

5.3. Social Work and Human Services

Change to program requirements: Bachelor of Social Work

MOTION:

To approve the change to the Bachelor of Social Work as presented, effective September 2017.

CARRIED

6. OTHER BUSINESS/DISCUSSION ITEMS

6.1. Changes in B.C. high school graduation

The K-12 B.C. curriculum has recently been changed, which will have an impact on post-secondary institutions. Some graduation courses will be fundamentally changed, all provincial exams except English have now been discontinued, and some new pilot courses may be seen on high school transcripts as early as this September. It may be helpful to have a full presentation on this topic at UEC, and likely at Faculty Councils as well. A specific subcommittee of either UEC or Senate may also be required.

6.2. Transfer Credit Subcommittee report

This item was deferred to a future meeting due to time constraints.

6.3. Policy Subcommittee report

There was no report from this subcommittee.

7. INFORMATION ITEMS

7.1. Biology

Change to declaration procedure: Biology Honours

7.2. Minor course changes (outlines will be available at
www.ufv.ca/calendar/courseoutlines)

ENGL 308

FILM 110

7.3. Course outline form

Removal of maximum enrolment

8. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 pm.