

COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVISING

Minutes of the Meeting for May 12, 2020

The committee met on Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 11:15 a.m. via Zoom. The following were present: Bradley, Brody, Colombo, Elles, Fourny, Goodyear, Isenberg, Mat Johnson, Michael Johnson, LaPierre, Ledom, Muddiman, Raibley, Slusky, Storkel, Schwien

Chair's Welcome: Professor Slusky called the meeting to order at 11:15 am.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the April 28, 2020 meeting minutes of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Dean's Office Update: Associate Dean Storkel reported that information on under enrolled courses had recently been sent to department chairs. Associate Dean Storkel and Dean Colombo thanked the committee for their service and recognized the outgoing members.

CASS Office Update: Ms. Ledom asked for volunteers from CUSA to review any student petitions submitted during the summer. Several CUSA members volunteered to serve in this capacity.

Subcommittee Reports:

A. Policy and Awards Subcommittee

Professor Goodyear presented the work of the subcommittee regarding the College policy related to community college hours. No change was recommended at this time.

Professor Goodyear presented the progress made on the Dean's charge of developing an information guide and best practices for assigning incomplete grades.

Professor LaPierre presented the new undergraduate certificate for consideration. A motion was made to approve the certificate. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

New Undergraduate Certificates: Francophone Studies

B. Curricular Changes/Degree Requirements/ KU Core Proposals

1. Consent Agenda:

Professor Elles presented the Curricular Changes nominations included in the consent agenda. A motion was made to approve the consent agenda. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Course Changes: PSYC 513/ECON 513, THR 407, THR 516

Course Deactivations: MATH 121

2. Items for Full Consideration:

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

KU Core: ECON 142, ECON 143, ECON 144, ECON 145

3. Other Items

Professor Elles presented the CLAS BA degree specific nominations for approval. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

CLAS BA Specific (BAQR): ECON 142, ECON 143, ECON 144, ECON 145

Professor Elles presented the work of the subcommittee regarding the College degree specific requirements.

A motion was made to approve the updates to the CLAS BA specific requirements text in the academic catalog. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

A motion was made to approve the rationale document to be included in CUSA member notebooks. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

A motion was made to approve the list of Writing (WRIT) courses. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Adjournment 12:41 p.m