

COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVISING

Minutes of the Meeting for September 24, 2019

The committee met on Tuesday, September 24, 2019, at 11:15 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present: Brody, Buechner, Canady, Elles, Goodyear, Hurst, Isenberg, Mat Johnson, Michael Johnson, LaPierre, Ledom, Masterson-Algar, Muddiman, Raibley, Schwien, Slusky, Storkel

Chair's Welcome: Professor Slusky called the meeting to order at 11:17 am.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the September 10, 2019 meeting minutes of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising. The motion was seconded and passed.

Dean's Office Update: Associate Dean Storkel reported that the first meeting of the Student Advisory Board will be next week. They will be discussing topics including advising, quantitative reasoning requirement, and research.

CASS Office Update: Ms. Ledom reported that the first Jayhawk GPS training for faculty has been completed.

Subcommittee Reports:

A. Policy and Awards Subcommittee

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

New Undergraduate Certificate: Media Cultures

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.

New Cross Listing: EVRN 306

Change to existing Major: Literature, Language, and Writing, BA/BGS

2. Items for Full Consideration:

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

New Courses: FMS 350/ISP 355, GIST 304, POLS 648,
PSYC 250/ABSC 250

A motion was made to approve the new course proposal for GEOL 563. The motion was seconded and passed with ten members voting in favor, two opposed, and one abstention.

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

KU Core Nominations: PSYC 210

The new course and KU Core nomination proposal for FREN 380 was tabled with a request to the department for additional information regarding the overlap between English and History. A departmental representative from French will be invited to attend the next CUSA meeting.

3. Other Items:

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

CLAS BA Specific:

PSYC 210

Professor Elles presented the BGS Career Prep courses for consideration. A motion was made to approve the BGS Career Prep nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

BGS Career Prep:

ABSC 675, ABSC 676, ABSC 677, ABSC 678, ABSC 679,
ABSC 680, ABSC 682, ABSC 685, ABSC 690, ABSC 691,
ABSC 692, ABSC 693, ABSC 694, ABSC 696

Adjournment 12:27 p. m.