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CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Minutes of February 02, 2011 meeting

Members Present Deborah Breiter, Tosha Dupras, Naim Kapucu, Anne Norris, Max Poole, Tison Pugh, Sergio Tarfur, Art Weeks, Boris Zeldovich

Recorder Rhonda Nelson

Guests Present Linda Sullivan, Nancy Stanlick, Judith Ruland

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Welcome and call to order. The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m. by Tosha Dupras. A quorum was established.

The minutes from the January 19 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Courses and special topics. The courses and special topics were reviewed. Judith Ruland presented information on the Nursing courses. Discussion was held on the wording "course can be repeated twice in the degree program". The committee suggested that something be added to the catalog copy, if not already, that indicated these repeatable courses may be taken twice but only counted once in the degree program. These courses were approved. For a complete list of courses approved, review the attached listing.

Review of CES 5144 split class syllabus tabled at last meeting, CECS. The department has not sent back any additional information on this course. Dr. Weeks stated that he had talked with Paul Edlen and Dr. Reilly indicating that the graduate syllabus should clearly state the additional rigor for the graduate students. This course remained tabled.

Reactivation of the Theoretical and Applied Ethics graduate certificate, CAH. Kathy Stanlick presented information on the reactivation of this certificate. She indicated that most of the students will come from the Philosophy undergrad program and also hopes to attract some students from other discipline areas. Dr. Poole shared that this certificate had been sunsetted 2 years ago due to low enrollment. A question was raised on how many of the electives were actually being taught now. A suggestion was to consider reducing the certificate hours from 15 to 12 which may peak more interest. One member asked if there could be a write up on the typical POS for years 1, 2, and 3. The committee asked if justification could be provided on what electives courses were being taught and whether they have been offered in the last 2-3 years. Dr. Stanlick indicated that other courses beyond the proposed list may be taken. Linda Sullivan indicated that she could help with providing data on the electives from the last couple of years. Dr. Stanlick indicated that she would obtain the additional data and present it at the March 2 meeting. The committee voted to table this certificate and will review data at the upcoming meeting.

Announcements and adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

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All courses were approved unless otherwise noted. Any notation refers to the course directly below the notation.

Health & Public Affairs Special Topics

Tabled. Conflict with Statistics. The two departments will meet.

HSA 5937 Sect 01 HPA-Health Professions 3(3,0)

ST:Foundations of Data Analysis in Health Care: PR: Graduate standing or C.I. An introductory applied biostatistics course presenting the concepts, principles and methods of statistics in a clear and understandable manner. *Occasional.*

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College of Nursing Course Action Additions

NGR 6XXX CON-Nursing 3(3,0)

Evaluation in Nursing Education: PR: NGR 6713 Curriculum Development; NGR 6791 Teaching Strategies or C.I. Analysis of the process of systematic evaluation of learning outcomes at individual, class and program levels. May be used in the degree program a maximum of 2 times. *Spring.*

30 character abbreviation: **Eval in Nursing Education**

NGR 6XXX CON-Nursing 3(3,0)

Management of Common Health Problems of Communities: PR: NGR 5141 Pathophysiology; NGR 5003 & 5003L Advanced Health Assessment; CR: NGR 6801 Nursing Research Methods or C.I. Analysis of current practices in management of communities. Incorporates diagnostic reasoning, nursing management, and evidence-based practices. May be used in the degree program a maximum of 2 times. *Fall, Spring.*

30 character abbreviation: **Mgmt Common Hlth Prob Commun**

NGR 6XXX CON-Nursing 3(3,0)

Management of Common Health Problems of the Adult Patient: PR: NGR 5141 Pathophysiology; NGR 5003 & 5003L Advanced Health Assessment; PR or CR: NGR 6801 Nursing Research Methods or

C.I. Analysis of current practices in management of adult patients. Incorporates diagnostic reasoning, nursing management, and evidence-based practices. May be used in the degree program a maximum of 2 times. *Fall, Spring.*

30 character abbreviation: **Mgmt Common Hlth Prob Adult Pa**

NGR 6XXX **CON-Nursing 3(3,0)**

Nursing Care of Children and Childbearing Women: PR: NGR 5141 Pathophysiology; NGR 5003 & 5003L Advanced Health Assessment; CR: NGR 6801 Nursing Research Methods or C.I. Analysis of nursing care of children and childbearing women. Incorporates diagnostic reasoning, nursing management, and evidence-based practices. May be used in the degree program a maximum of 2 times. *Fall, Spring.*

30 character abbreviation: **Nurs Care Child & Childbearing**

NGR 6XXXL **CON-Nursing 1(0,1)**

Clinical Specialty Practicum: PR: NGR 5141 Pathophysiology; NGR 5003 & 5003L Advanced Health Assessment or C.I. Supervised clinical practice activities related to nursing care of common health problems of specific patient population. Graded S/U. May be used in the degree program a maximum of 2 times. *Fall, Spring.*

30 character abbreviation: **Clinical Specialty Practicum**

Engineering & Computer Science Course Action Revisions

Tabled. Committee requested more rigor be added to the objectives, grading and evaluation areas of the graduate syllabus.

CES 5144 **Matrix Methods for Structural Analysis 3(3,0)** **SPLIT CLASS**

PR: CES 4100C or C.I.

Implementation of the matrix methods for structural analysis that are commonly and currently used in practice and in research, special topics such as finite element formulations, special analysis procedures, and use of software packages.