

**WINTHROP UNIVERSITY**  
**ACADEMIC COUNCIL MINUTES**  
February 18, 2005

Academic Council met on Friday, February 18, 2005 at 2:00 pm in 308 Tillman Hall.

Members:

Frank Pullano, Chair	Mathematics
Pat Ballard	Library
John Bird	English
Shaun Cassidy	Art & Design
Clarence Coleman	Accounting
Jennifer Disney	Political Science
Rebecca Evers	Education
Barbara Heinemann	Modern Languages
Jo Koster	English
Paul Martyka	Art & Design
Christine Maxwell	Education

Sue Peck	Education
David Pretty	History
Mesgun Sebhatu*	Physics
William Seyfried	Economics
Will Thacker	Computer Science
Bruce Thompson*	Music
Richard Fowler*	Student
Timothy Druke	Records/Regis.

\* Absent

Guests present: Lynn Brooks, and Brien Lewis

The meeting was called to order at 2:03 pm by Chair Pullano.

**I. Minutes**

The minutes from the January 14, 2005 meeting were approved with one spelling correction.

**II. Chair's Remarks**

Chair Pullano welcomed Rebecca Evers, Riley College of Education, as the duly elected replacement for Ray Dockery.

**III. Vice President of Academic Affairs' remarks**

Vice President Moore was unable to be at the meeting.

**IV Committee Reports**

***A. Committee on Undergraduate Instruction***

Jo Koster reported that the Committee on Undergraduate Instruction met on February 11, 2005. The following items were presented for Council approval.

### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

#### **Department of English**

**Change prerequisites** for CRTW 201 **from** WRIT 101 with a grade of C or better and GNED 102 **to** WRIT 101 and GNED 102 with grades of C or better in both.

The Council approved the change to the CRTW201 prerequisite.

#### **Department of Human Nutrition**

**Modify** BS degree in Human Nutrition – Dietetics Option to **drop** ECON 216 (3) Macroeconomics, NUTR 472 (1) Institutional Foodservice Procurement and Production Practicum, and Program elective (3) and **add** NUTR 340C, (3) Cooperative Education Experiences to program requirements (program modification).

**Modify** BS degree in Human Nutrition – Nutrition Science option to **drop** ECON 216 (3) Macroeconomics and program elective (3) from program requirements (program modification).

**Modify** BS degree in Human Nutrition – Food Systems Management option to **drop** ECON 216 (3) Macroeconomics, NUTR 472 (1) Institutional Foodservice Procurement and Production Practicum, BIOL 101 (4) Human Biology, ECON 350 or PSYC 516 or PHIL 230 or 320 or SPCH 304 (3), NUTR 576 (3) Foodservice Systems Management Practicum, program elective (3) and **add** NUTR 340C (3) Cooperative Education Experiences, BADM 180 (3) Contemporary Business Issues and HLSM 300 (3) Health Services Management for program requirements (program modification).

The Council approved the changes to the Human Nutrition degree programs.

#### **Department of Modern and Classical Languages**

**Add requirement/policy** for all languages offered in the department--  
“Native speakers of a foreign language will not receive CLEP credit for the 101, 102, 201, or 202 courses in their native language, nor will they be permitted to enroll in 101, 102, 201, or 202 courses in that language. Students who are fluent in a language other than their native language or English may receive CLEP credit in that language, but may not enroll in 101, 102, 201, or 202 courses in the second language in which they are fluent.”

The Council spent considerable time discussing the new policy regarding native speakers and foreign language credit. Discussion focused on the need for the change to keep the native speakers from taking an “easy A” and intimidating non-native speakers just learning the language. During discussion, it was moved and

seconded to refer the policy back to CUI. The motion to refer to committee was defeated. After additional brief discussion, the policy was approved by voice vote.

### **Department of Sociology**

**Modify** BA Sociology major requirement adding: *Sociology majors are required to enroll in SOCL 316 the first semester after admission to the major, and they may not enroll in more than one SOCL course per semester (apart from SOCL 316 itself) until they meet the requirement.*

**Modify** BA in Sociology with concentration in Criminology requirement adding: *Sociology majors are required to enroll in SOCL 316 the first semester after admission to the major, and they may not enroll in more than one SOCL course per semester (apart from SOCL 316 itself) until they meet the requirement.*

The Council approved the changes to the Sociology degree programs.

## **COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

### **Department of Management and Marketing**

#### **Create new designator: ENTR – Entrepreneurship**

The Council approved the creation of the new designator.

**MODIFY** Minor in Entrepreneurship from “The minor in Entrepreneurship consists of 15 semester hours from the following: ACCT 280, MKTG 380, BADM 371, 372, and 525” to “The minor in Entrepreneurship consists of 15 semester hours: ACCT 280, MKTG 380, ENTR 373, 374, and 473.”

**MODIFY** B.S. in Business, Entrepreneurship Option to be more in line with other national programs and include new course numbering.

**MODIFY** B.S. in Business, Management Option, to accommodate course renumbering and renaming

The Council approved the changes to the minor in Entrepreneurship, and the majors in Business Administration with options in Entrepreneurship and Management.

#### **Create new designator HCMT - Health Care Management**

The Council approved the creation of the new designator.

**Modify** B.S. in Business Administration – Health Services Management Option. Rename to B.S. in Business Administration –Health Care

Management option, change the course designators to reflect new numbering.

**MODIFY** Minor in Health Services Management to Minor in Health Care Management: “The minor in Health Care Management consists of 15 semester hours: BADM 180, HCMT 200, HCMT 300, HCMT302, and HCMT 303.”

The Council approved the changes to the Business Administration major with Health Care Management Option and the minor in Health Care Management.

### **Items approved by CUI – No Academic Council action required**

#### **COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

##### **Department of Biology**

**Change** BIOL 519 (3) Mechanisms of Disease from “BIOL 300 and BIOL 308 or 315” to “BIOL 300 and BIOL 315 or by permission of department chair” (prerequisite change).

##### **Department of Chemistry**

**Change** CHEM 332 **from** (1) **to** (1:1:3) (change in lab hours).

**Change** CHEM 525 **from** (1) **to** (1:1:3) (change in lab hours).

##### **Center for International Studies**

**Add** INAS 320 (3:1:2) International Service Learning (new course).

**Add** INAS 520 (3:1:2) International Service Learning (new course).

##### **Department of Political Science**

**Add new course:** PLSC 390 (3). Selected Topics in Political Science.

**Add new course:** PLSC 514 (3) Survey Research and Data Management.

**Change** PLSC 313 (3) Public Opinion and Political Participation to add requirement: “Participation in conducting telephone surveys is required” and “Lab fee of \$40.”

**Change** PLSC 350 (3) Scope and Methods to add: “Participation in conducting telephone surveys is required.”

##### **Department of Sociology**

**Change** SOCL 316 (4:3:3) Social Research I: Statistics **from** “SOCL 101 or 201 and General Education math requirement with grade of C or higher or permission of instructor” **to** “SOCL 101 or 201 and General Education math requirement with grade of C or higher or permission of instructor. Open only to Sociology majors or students who have the permission of the department”.

**Add** ANTH 345 (3) Field Work in Archaeology to the set of approved methodology courses for the Social Sciences Minor.

## **RICHARD W. RILEY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

### **Department of Health and Physical Education**

**CROSSLIST** HLTH 507, Women's Health Issues (3) with WMST 507, Women's Health Issues.

**DROP** PHED 571 Theory of Coaching (3)

**ADD** PHED 571 Theory and Assessment of Coaching (3)

## **COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

### **Department of Management and Marketing**

**ADD** ENTR 373: Introduction to Entrepreneurship (3)

**ADD** ENTR 374: Strategic Entrepreneurial Growth (3)

**ADD** ENTR 473: Entrepreneurial Finance (3)

**ADD** ENTR 579: Business Plan Development (3)

**DROP** BADM 371: Introduction to Entrepreneurship (3)

**DROP** BADM 372: Entrepreneurial Financing and Venture Capital (3) (n.b. R-19 title and catalog title do not match)

**DROP** BADM 491: Internship in Entrepreneurship (3)

**DROP** BADM 525: Entrepreneurial Strategy (3)

**DROP** HLSM 200: Introduction to Health Services Management

**ADD** HCMT 200: Introduction to Health Care Management

**DROP** HLSM 300: Health Services Management

**ADD** HCMT 300: The Health Care Manager

**DROP** HLSM 302: Health Planning and Marketing

**ADD** HCMT 302: Health Care Planning and Marketing

**DROP** HLSM 303: Legal Environment of Health Organizations

**ADD** HCMT 303: Health Care Organizations and the Legal Environment

**DROP** HLSM 491: Health Services Internship

**ADD** HCMT 491: Health Care Management Internship

**DROP** HLSM 492: Economics and Health Care Finance

**ADD** HCMT 492: Health Care Economics and Finance

**DROP** HLSM 493: Seminar in Health Services Management

**ADD** HCMT 493: Seminar in Health Care Management

### **Department of Accounting, Finance and Economics**

**MODIFY** ACCT 401 Introduction to Tax, from "Prerequisite(s): Grade of C or better in ACCT 305" to "Prerequisite(s): Grade of C or better in ACCT 305 or FINC 311."

## **Department of Computer Science and Quantitative Methods**

**MODIFY** CSCI 208 Introduction to Computer Science II, from “Prerequisites: Grade of C or better in CSCI 207; MATH 261 or MATH 300” to “Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CSCI 207. Corequisite: MATH 261 or MATH 300.”

**The following items are on hold until reviewed by the Teacher Education Committee**

### **COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**

#### **Department of Art and Design**

**DROP** ARTE 549, “Foundations of Art Education”

**ADD** ARTE 528, “Foundations of Art Education” (course renumbering)

#### **Department of Music**

**Modify** BA MUSC, BME INST and BM PERF degrees to eliminate MUSA 156 from meeting major requirements since it is a chamber ensemble and not a major ensemble. Standardize catalog language for all three programs.

Dr. Koster announced that the next CUI meeting would be March 23 at 1:00 pm.

### ***B. General Education***

Bill Seyfried presented two items from the General Education Committee.

The Department of English requested ENGL507, The History and Development of Modern English, be approved as meeting the Historical Perspective in the General Education program. This course was renumbered from ENGL302. The Council approved the inclusion of ENGL507.

The second item, from the Department of Sociology, to approve ANTH220, Introduction to Archaeology, as a Natural Science. The Council approved the inclusion of ANTH220.

### **V. Old Business**

#### ***Bachelor of Arts 36-Hour Rule***

Chair Pullano requested the Council spend time discussing various options for the 36-hours limit on courses in a student’s major subject applying towards the Bachelor of Arts degree. Dr. Pullano presented one possible option: to allow 42 hours in the major designator to apply to the degree: 36 maximum in the major and 6 maximum in additional general education, minor and electives. After discussion regarding the reasons for the rule and the desire to provide a broad grounding in many areas, Chair Pullano

asked for volunteers on a committee to review options and report back at the April 8 meeting. Jennifer Disney, Shaun Cassidy and Frank Pullano volunteered for the committee.

## **VI. New Business**

None

## **VII. Announcements**

Chair Pullano announced the next meeting will be April 8, 2005. At that meeting, the Council will elect the chair for the 2005-2006 academic year. Those elected/appointed for next year will be invited to the meeting to elect the chair. He also invited all members of the Council to a cookout at his house on April 29. More details will be provided at the next meeting.

Jennifer Disney announced on behalf of the African American Studies Minor Committee and the Women's Studies Committee that Elaine Brown, the only woman to head the Black Panther Party, will be speaking on Thursday, March 3, 2005, at 7 p.m. in Tillman Auditorium. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> Dorothy Perry Thompson Colloquium in African American Studies and the African American Experience.

Tim Drueke reminded the Council that Advising for Fall 2005 will begin on Wednesday, March 23. Registration for Summer and Fall will begin on Wednesday, April 6.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy Drueke  
Secretary