UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
2017-18 Meeting #12, January 22, 2018

Present: Jerrold Long, Torrey Lawrence, Robert Heinse, Liz Brandt, Heather Chermak, Lori Baker-Eveleth, Taylor Raney, Jaap Vos, Esmael Alyami, Catherine Yenne, Rick Stoddart, Tara Hudiburg, Joe Law, Cher Hendricks
Absent: Dean Panttaja, Hannah Spear, Dinara Storfer
Others present: Grace Miller, Dwaine Hubbard, Joe Kuhl, Kat Wolf, Helen Brown, Norm Ruhoff, Philip Scruggs, Dan Eveleth, Hydee Becker

Chairperson Law opened the meeting. The UCC11 minutes were approved.

UCC-18-024a College of Business and Economics
Dan Eveleth introduced the proposal. Chairperson Law noted that page one refers to two other emphases, but PGA Golf Management is an option. Dwaine Hubbard explained that it’s considered an option if it contains 50% of the curriculum, while an emphasis contains less than 40%. Chairperson Law suggested that it be labeled an Option and Eveleth affirmed. Eveleth also noted that the certificate referenced in the curriculum is open to all students, but the option is not.

Hubbard noted that there don’t seem to be small business courses in the curriculum. Eveleth explained that MHR 311 was recently changed to emphasize small business and Entr 414 has small business oriented project. The new option was approved.

UCC-18-024b College of Business and Economics

UCC-18-025 College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
Norm Ruhoff noted that there is good interest in AgEc 466. The course and the new certificate were approved.

UCC-18-029 College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
Jerry Long noted verb-noun disagreement in the second sentence of Movement Sciences Item 1. The committee elected to update the language. UCC-18-029 passed unanimously.

UCC-18-029a College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
Helen Brown introduced the proposal. Rick Stoddart noted that the library has limited access to medical databases, like CINAHL (Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature). Hubbard noted that the Community Health Education Major was dropped about a decade ago. The new emphasis was approved automatically.

UCC-18-029b College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
Philip Scruggs noted that Physical Education is now an emphasis, so the full degree is no longer required. The discontinuance was approved.

UCC-18-029c College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
Taylor Raney explained the Special Education endorsement is currently only available at the graduate level. Chairperson Law noted that the University recommends students to the state for endorsement, but does not grant endorsements. The new teaching major was approved.

UCC-18-032 College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
AgEd 301 was approved.
UCC-18-032a  College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
Hubbard noted that the minor listed research in the requirements, but the major did not. It was noted that students can complete any of the courses so long as it totals 20 credits. The new Minor was approved.

UCC-18-032b  College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
Joe Kuhl noted that the there are four majors in the Plant Science degree has four majors and two of those majors have associated minors. Long asked whether these proposals were approved at the Provost’s Office prior to arriving at UCC; Cher Hendricks and Heather Chermak affirmed.

The new minor was approved.

UCC-18-032c  College of Agricultural and Life Sciences
Hydee Becker noted that the major’s accrediting body will eventually require that exam-sitters graduate from an accredited program and have a Master’s degree. She explained that the restructuring precedes an accredited Master’s degree in the same. She noted that students are drawn to this proposal because they want to pursue M.S. degrees and become registered dieticians and nutritionists. She also noted that students who choose the current A option might be less prepared than the student who choose the current option B.

The restructuring of the Food and Nutrition major was approved.

Chairperson Law closed the meeting at 4:30 PM. UCC will reconvene on Monday, January 29, 2018.

Grace Miller
UCC Secretary