

Minutes

CALS Curriculum Committee Meeting
January 27, 2015

Present: Jackson, Choi, Hartemink, Lenertz-Lindemer, Perna, Van Eyck, Gonsiska, Sottile

Absent: Jull, Smith, Stanosz

Meeting commenced 12:07p

Motion to approve meeting minutes from January 13, 2015; Perna, Van Eyck – passed

Motion to approve meeting minutes from December 9, 2014; Jackson, Choi – passed

Motion to approve list of graduate course attributes thus far; Jackson, Van Eyck – passed

Motion to approve that those courses yet to be reviewed for graduate course attributes (Nutri Sci 621, Dairy Sci 639 and 356, and AAE 540) be left to the responsibility of the CALS Office of Academic Affairs; Jackson, Perna – passed

COURSE PROPOSALS

AGROECOL 371 Managed Grazing Field Study

- New course; offered as 375 in the past
- Motion to approve; Lenertz-Lindemer, Choi – passed

BIOCHEM 651 Biochemical Methods

- Course change request to course number, pre-requisites, and number of credits
- Offering as “551” will encourage students to take the course sooner in their undergraduate career
- The number of hours the course is offered is not changing, rather the department realized it is actually 4 credits worth of work instead of 3 credits
- Motion to approve; Van Eyck, Lenertz-Lindemer – passed
- Discussion:
 - Ask proposer for clarification re: if the course will have a graduate level designation

BIOCHEM 801 Biochemical Applications of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

- Course change in pre-requisites
- Phil will discuss the proposal with the proposer
- Discussion:
 - If proposer wants to re-submit proposal from different angle in the future, the committee will review it again and make a motion at that time

HORT 350 Plants and Human Wellbeing

- New course; offered as 375 in the past
- Motion to approve; Choi, Perna – passed

SUPPLEMENTAL

ART HIST 764 Dimensions of Material Culture

- New course; Art Hist 464 will be discontinued as a result
- Landscape Architecture signed off on it
- Motion to approve pending receipt of discontinuation proposal of Art Hist 464; Jackson, Van Eyck – passed

POLI SCI 330 Political Economy of Development

- New course
- Not cross-listed with any CALS department
- Committee previously voted to not take any action on this proposal

Meeting adjourned 12:50pm