

FSCC Meeting MINUTES
February 10, 2016
2:30 - 4:00 pm • GHH 103

Attendees:

X	R. O'Connell (Chair) CAS/HPA	x	M. Sawoski - CAS/SS		A Winfield - SED
X	A. Cutting - GSB	x	A. Shelton - SCS	X	D. White - SJS
X	S. McMullen - ACAD	x	C. Thomas - SECCM	X	Y. Warnapala - CAS/MNS
X	N. Kura - SAAHP			X	J. Romano - Reg (ex-officio)

1. **Committee Business**

- [RWU Curriculum Policies](#) - REVISION DRAFT
 - We continue to work on revising the RWU Curriculum Policies
- [Committee \(FSCC\) Bylaws](#) - DRAFT
 - We have not yet reviewed this draft.
- Report from Faculty Senate
 - See the motions voted on at the end of this document.
- Welcome as new members of committee
Nermin Kura from SAAHP and Amiee Shelton from SCS.

2. **Second Readings**

- **Gender & Sexuality Studies**
- Core [Concentration in Gender and Sexuality Studies, CORE](#)
 - **Motion to approve the petition pending the addition of a statement in the catalog copy that says students may not use courses in their major to fulfill their core concentration. This intention is outlined in the examples (Core Concentration Pathways) but needs to be added to the description in the catalog for the benefit of students and advisors. Cutting, White: Motion passed with no objections.**
 - Petition will move to the Senate agenda once the catalog copy is amended. DONE

3. **Minor Changes**

- **CORE**

MNR	COURSE	CORE	101 Scientific Investigations
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- **Motion to approve pending attachment of GECPC minutes to the petition: Kura, Shelton: Motion passed with no objections pending attachments of minutes.**
- **Petition** will move to the Senate agenda once the GECPC minutes are attached.

4. First Readings (Major petitions)

- **School of Continuing Studies**

NEW	COURSE	SCS	150 Cultural Awareness in a Global Society
NEW	COURSE	SCS	300 Professional Presentations

- Committee received a comment from the [Chair of the Department of Communication](#) questioning overlap or duplication. (see linked attachment)
- A.S. had a short conversation explaining that there will be no impact on the day program courses and are specifically targeted as SCS students' needs. And followed up with a [post meeting email](#) to the Chair of the Department of Communication
- The Committee asked that a comment from the Chair of Communication, confirming that she has reconsidered the Department's contention in her comment (linked above) and concludes that this course does not sufficiently overlap or duplicate, be attached to the petition. See attached.
 - **Motion to approve pending attachment of confirmation from the Chair of Communication regarding overlap/duplication to the petition: Cutting, White: 7-0-2-1 not voting.**
 - Petition will move to the Senate agenda once the confirmation/acknowledgment from the Department of Communication is attached.

5. Tabled or Returned Items

- **Gabelli School of Business**

NEW	COURSE	ACCTG	325 International Financial Reporting
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- Petition has not yet been returned to our queue. Sue Bosco is aware.

6. New Committee Business

7. Subsequent e-Ballots (2/17/16):

MNR	COURSE	CHEM	432 Adv Organic Chemistry Change in PreReq
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- **E-Ballot: Approved 9-0-0-1 Not voting.**

LINKS TO HELPFUL DOCUMENTS

- [Committee Policies & Procedures](#) - OLD
 - [Curriculum Policies comparison chart](#) - result of request from curriculum chairs.
 - [The Curriculum Flowchart](#) - OLD
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PETITIONS APPROVED BY THE SENATE:

10/07/2015 [GSS 430 Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies](#)
FS Approved; Passed without objection

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11/04/2015 [Minor School Program Modification: B.S. in International Business, BS](#)

11/04/2015 [New Course: SEC 480 - Accelerated Programming](#)

11/04/2015 [New Course: SEC 490 - Accelerated Networking](#)

11/04/2015 [Minor change: CORE Concentration in Computer Science](#)
All the above 11/4/15 petitions FS Approved; 21-0-1 with 4 not voting

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12/02/2015 [B.A. in Psychology](#)

12/02/2015 [280 Introduction to Psychopathology](#)

12/02/2015 [311 Psychology of the Family](#)

12/02/2015 [313 Psychology of Infancy](#)

12/02/2015 [315 Introduction to Clinical Psychology](#)

12/02/2015 [318 Psychological Testing](#)

12/02/2015 [323 Psychology of Leadership](#) - BANK

12/02/2015 [338 Personnel Psychology](#) - BANK

12/02/2015 [365 Sensation and Perception](#)

12/02/2015 [366 Advanced Psychology](#) - BANK

12/02/2015 [369 Contemporary Issues in Psychology and Law](#)

12/02/2015 [395 Themes in Cultural Psychology](#)

12/02/2015 [435 Advanced Study of Psychopathology](#)

12/02/2015 [446 Seminar in Psychology](#)

12/02/2015 [490 SECCM # AY1516-02 Integ Senior Design I](#)

12/02/2015 [440 SECCM #AY15-16-03 LangTranslation/Compiler Dsgn](#)

12/02/2015 [420 SECCM # AY1516-04 Principles of Operating System](#)

12/02/2015 [410 SECCM #AY1516-01 Artificial Intelligence](#)

All the above petitions approved by the Faculty Senate without objection.

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02/02/2016 [539 Advanced Issues in Criminal Justice Policy](#)

Approved by the Faculty Senate without objection.