UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE - 2004-2005

Dr. Jan M. Hathcote, Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. T. Dean Pringle, absent (voted by proxy)

Arts and Sciences - Dr. Noel Fallows (Arts)

Dr. Irwin S. Bernstein (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Robert D. Gatewood, absent (voted by proxy)

Education - Dr. Elizabeth St. Pierre

Environment and Design - Mr. Scott S. Weinberg

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Brenda J. Cude

Forest Resources - Dr. Bruce C. Bongarten, absent

Journalism and Mass Communication - Dr. Ann Hollifield

Law - Mr. David E. Shipley

Pharmacy - Dr. Janet McCombs

Public and International Affairs - Dr. Arnold P. Fleischmann

Social Work - Dr. Paul W. Ammons

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Sheila W. Allen

Graduate School - Dr. William K. Vencill

Ex officio Member - Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.

Graduate Student Representative - Ms. Angela McMellen; Mr.Rua Stob substituting

Undergraduate Student Representative - Ms. Meredith Wilson, absent

Guests: Dr. Harry Dailey

Dr. Kathleen DeMarrais

Dr. Larry Hatfield

Dr. Nelson Hilton

Dr. Terry Hummer

Dr. Richard Neupert

Dr. Karen Watkins

Dr. Patricia Wilson

The University Curriculum Committee met on September 21, 2004, at 3:30 p.m. in the Larry Walker Room of Dean Rusk Hall. Minutes of the August 24, 2004, meeting were approved.

The committee approved the following proposals which will be forwarded to the Executive Committee of University Council for Consideration:

Proposal for a Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing

Proposal for a department name change:

From: Department of Drama and Theatre

To: Department of Theatre and Film Studies

Proposal for major name changes under the A.B., M.F.A. and Ph.D.:

From: Drama

To: Theatre

Proposal for the deactivation of the Master of Mass Communication

Proposal for the termination of the minor in Physical Education/Athletic Coaching

The committee discussed the proposal for a Ph.D. in Neuroscience. The proposal will be revised and submitted to the committee for an e-mail vote.

The committee approved an Area of Emphasis in Landscape Management under the Horticulture major.

The committee discussed the proposal for the reorganization of the College of Education. After much discussion, the committee voted to approve the following proposal which will be forwarded to Executive Committee of University Council for consideration:

Proposal for Reorganization of the College of Education

Involuntary Dissolution of the School of Teacher Education

Dissolution of the School of Professional Studies

Dissolution of the School of Leadership and Lifelong Learning

Dissolution of the School of Health and Human Performance

Dissolution of the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Dissolution of the Department of Special Education

New Department: Department of Communication Sciences and Special Education

Department of Counseling and Human Development Services

Dissolution of the Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies

Dissolution of the Department of Educational Psychology

Dissolution of the Department of Instructional Technology

New Department: Department of Educational Psychology and Instructional Technology

Dissolution of the Department of Elementary Education

Dissolution of the Department of Social Science Education

New Department: Department of Elementary and Social Studies Education

Dissolution of the Department of Exercise Science

Dissolution of the Department of Physical Education and Sport Studies

New Department: Department of Kinesiology

Dissolution of the Department of Language Education

Dissolution of the Department of Reading Education

New Department: Department of Language and Literacy Education

Dissolution of the Department of Adult Education

Dissolution of the Department of Educational Administration and Policy

New Department: Department of Lifelong Education, Administration, and Policy

Involuntary Dissolution of the Department of Mathematics Education

Involuntary Dissolution of the Department of Science Education

New Department: Department of Mathematics and Science Education

Dissolution of the Department of Occupational Studies

Dissolution of the Department of Educational Leadership

Dissolution of the Department of Social Foundations of Education

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New Department: Department of Workforce Education, Leadership and Social Foundations

The meeting adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jan M. Hathcote, Chair

University Curriculum Committee

cc: Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.

Dr. Delmer D. Dunn