

University Council Athens, Georgia 30602

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE – 2014-2015

Dr. William K. Vencill, Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. Robert B. Beckstead

Arts and Sciences - Dr. Roxanne Eberle (Arts), absent

Dr. Rodney Mauricio (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Myra L. Moore

Ecology - Dr. James W. Porter

Education - Dr. Seock-Ho Kim

Engineering - Dr. Sidney Thompson

Environment and Design - Mr. David Spooner

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Silvia Giraudo

Forestry and Natural Resources - Dr. W. Dale Green, absent, Dr. Stephen B. Castleberry substituting

Journalism and Mass Communication - Dr. Alison F. Alexander

Law - Ms. Elizabeth Weeks Leonard

Pharmacy - Dr. Cory Momany

Public and International Affairs - Dr. Robert Grafstein

Public Health - Dr. Katie D. Hein

Social Work - Dr. Kristina Jaskyte, absent

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Scott A. Brown, absent, Dr. K. Paige Carmichael substituting

Graduate School - Dr. Timothy L. Foutz

Ex-Officio - Provost Pamela S. Whitten

Undergraduate Student Representative - Mr. William Heaton

Graduate Student Representative – Ms. Lauren E. Mullenbach

Guests: Dr. Trey Hood

Dr. Paul Schempp

Dr. John Dayton

Dr. Karen Napoleon

Dr. Holly Kaplan

The University Curriculum Committee met on August 22, 2014, at 3:00 p.m. in room 315 New College.

Minutes of the April 30, 2014, meeting were approved with the following amendment:

The committee would like to show appreciation to David Shipley for chairing the committee for the last several years.

The committee approved the following proposals which have been forwarded to the Executive Committee of the University Council for consideration:

Proposal to terminate the major in Foods and Nutrition (M.F.C.S.)

Committee on Facilities, Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, Committee on Statutes, Bylaws, and Committees, Committee on Student Affairs, Curriculum Committee, Educational Affairs Committee, Executive Committee, Faculty Admissions Committee, Faculty Affairs Committee, Faculty Grievance Committee, Faculty Post-Tenure Review Appeals Committee, Faculty/ Staff Parking Appeals Committee, Human Resources Committee, Strategic Planning Committee, University Libraries Committee, University Promotion and Tenure Appeals Committee An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution

Proposal to offer the existing major in Political Science and International Affairs (M.A.) with a Non-Thesis Option

Proposal for a new Graduate Certificate in Education Law and Policy

Proposal for a new Graduate Certificate in Pre-Professional Speech-Language Pathology (Online)

Proposal for a new Graduate Certificate in Sport Coaching (Online)

The committee approved a request for a new Area of Emphasis in Operations/Supply Chain Management under the major in Management (B.B.A.).

The committee approved requests to create the following new prefixes:

EDLP, Education Law and Policy VCOM, Veterinary Comparative Medicine

Dr. Vencill requested volunteers to serve on the Cultural Diversity Subcommittee, and Dr. Cory Momany agreed to serve. The cultural diversity requirement and the current list of approved courses will be emailed to the committee, and interested members may contact the Office of Curriculum Systems to be added to the subcommittee.

The Committee elected chairs of the following subcommittees:

Dr. Rodney Mauricio, Chair of the Biological Sciences Subcommittee

Dr. Silvia Giraudo, Chair of the Social Sciences Subcommittee

Dr. Alison Alexander, Chair of the Humanities and Fine Arts Subcommittee

Mr. David Spooner, Chair of the Other Professional Courses Subcommittee

Dr. Scott Brown was nominated, and Dr. Paige Carmichael will ask if he would be willing to serve as Chair of the Physical Sciences and Mathematics Subcommittee.

The meeting adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

William K. Vencill, Chair

University Curriculum Committee

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Cc: Provost Pamela S. Whitten

Dr. Laura D. Jolly