

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)

Dr. Rodney Mauricio (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Myra L. Moore

Ecology - Dr. James W. Porter

Education - Dr. Seock-Ho Kim

Engineering - Dr. Sidney Thompson, absent

Environment and Design - Mr. David Spooner, absent, Mr. Gregg Coyle substituting

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Silvia Giraudo, absent, Dr. Roxanne Eberle proxy

Forestry and Natural Resources - Dr. John C. Maerz

Journalism and Mass Communication - Dr. Alison F. Alexander, absent, Dr. Janice Hume substituting

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

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Scott A. Brown, absent

Graduate School - Dr. Timothy L. Foutz

Ex-Officio - Provost Pamela S. Whitten

Undergraduate Student Representative - Mr. William Heaton, absent, Ms. Hannah K. Gosch substituting Graduate Student Representative - Ms. Lauren E. Mullenbach

Guests: Dr. Kay Kelsey

Dr. Stephen Berry

Dr. Anne Marcotte

Dr. Alan Godlas

Dr. Nicholas Allen

Dr. Sarah Covert

Dr. Sandy Martin

Dr. P. Toby Graham

Dr. Linda Bachman

The University Curriculum Committee met on January 16, 2015, at 3:00 p.m. in room 315 New College.

Minutes of the October 17, 2014, meeting were approved.

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

Proposal to terminate the degree in Master of Agricultural Extension (M.A.Ext.) Proposal for a new major in Religion (Ph.D.) Proposal for a new Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Certificate in Digital Humanities Proposal to revise the Environmental Literacy Requirement and change the name from Environmental Literacy Requirement to Environmental Awareness Requirement

The committee approved a request to create a new prefix, AMSL, American Sign Language.

Dr. Linda Bachman, chair of the Experiential Learning Requirement Committee, presented a draft of a proposal for a new University-wide Experiential Learning Requirement. The committee discussed the draft and requested that a revised proposal be reviewed by the schools and colleges, including the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences Senate, before being submitted as an agenda item for the University Curriculum Committee meeting scheduled for March 20, 2015.

The meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

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Cc: Provost Pamela S. Whitten Dr. Laura D. Jolly