

Curriculum and New Programs Meeting Minutes November 7, 2011

A meeting of the Curriculum and New Programs Committee was held on Monday, November 7, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. in the Academic Administration Building, Room 172 with Dr. Abiodun Ojemakinde, Vice President for Academic Affairs, presiding. Those in attendance were Mrs. Arna Albritten, Dr. Adansi Amankwa, Dr. Marva Banks, Dr. Deborah E. Bembry, Dr. Rhonda Bryant, Dr. Leroy Bynum, Dr. Jonathan Elimimian, Dr. Babafemi Elufiede, Mrs. Flo J. Hill, Dr. James Hill, Dr. Marcia Hood, Dr. Joyce Johnson, Dr. Kimberly King-Jupiter, Dr. LaVerne L. McLaughlin, Dr. Kathaleena Monds, Dr. Peter Ngwafu, Dr. Charles Ochie, Dr. Michael Rogers, Dr. Seyed Roosta, Mrs. Donna Cumbie for Dr. Ruth Salter, Dr. Marilyn Spearman, Dr. Cathy Williams, Dr. Richard Williams and Dr. Louise Wrensford. Dr. Kimberly Fields was excused.

Opening Remarks

Dr. Ojemakinde greeted the committee members and distributed the agenda and the minutes of the last meeting for review.

Minutes

The minutes of the October 3, 2011 meeting were reviewed. It was moved and seconded that the minutes be approved with the following corrections. The minutes were approved. The correction is that the proposal for Fine Arts presented by Dr. Marcia Hood should read as follows: Dr. Marcia Hood presented the proposal to adjust checksheets for the Fine Arts programs with the deletion of the Regents' Test requirements as a non-credit/course requirement, the addition of EDUC 2199 and GACE Content Assessments for Fine Arts.

Old Business

College of Arts and Humanities History and Political Science

Dr. Babafemi Elufiede presented the proposal to change the program checksheets for History and Political Science that is consistent with the newly approved University System of Georgia required changes.

It was moved and seconded to approve the proposal. The motion was approved.

Social Work

Dr. Marilyn Spearman presented the proposal to align the B.S. in Social Work checksheet with the Board of Regents' approved revisions to the Core Curriculum and the deletion of the Regents' test as a requirement.

It was moved and seconded to approve the proposal. The motion was approved.

***College of Education
Teacher Education***

Dr. Richard Williams presented the proposal to revise the checklist to the Core Curriculum with the deletion of the Regents' Test requirements as a non-credit/course requirement, the addition of EDUC 2199 and GACE Content Assessments for Physical Education Activity Course.

It was moved and seconded to approve the proposal. The motion was approved.

Dr. Richard Williams presented the proposal to revise the checklist to the Core Curriculum with the deletion of the Regents' Test requirements as a non-credit/course requirement, revision of the course terminology and addition of Physical Education Activity Course.

It was moved and seconded to approve the proposal. The motion was approved.

New Business

Academic Affairs

Mrs. Arna Albritten discussed the Albany State University Catalog updates.

***College of Business
Accounting, Business Information Systems and Marketing***

Dr. Kathaleena Monds presented the proposal to add a Bachelor's of Applied Science Degree in Supply Chain and Logistics Management.

The rationale for the proposal is that the proposed program is a Bachelor of Applied Science Degree in Supply Chain and Logistics Management offered by the College of Business (COB) at Albany State University (ASU), Albany, Georgia. According to Michael Porter, Harvard University, Georgia is the fourth largest logistics hub in the United States. The Porter Study, ("Location, Competition, and Economic Development: Local Clusters in a Global Economy", Michael E. Porter, Economic Development Quarterly, February 2000) cites that the ranking is a result of Georgia's Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International, an outstanding road infrastructure, and three deep-water port facilities. ASU proposes to be one of the premier institutions of higher learning in southwest Georgia that provides the educated workforce needed to help bring success to world-class organizations that transport goods and services to customers everywhere in the world.

It was moved and seconded to expedite approval of the proposal at the first reading. The motion was approved.

Dr. Ojemakinde discussed the new procedures for completing proposals. A letter of instruction will be sent forward.

College of Education
Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Dr. Richard Williams presented the proposal to add a new course, HEDP 3330 African American Health Issues, to the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

HEDP 3330 African American Health Issues 3(3-0)

The rationale for the proposal is that this course will offer an introduction to health issues affecting the African American community. This course will look at the health status across the life span from childhood to old age, specifically looking at the health of African American men, women and children and the issues affecting each entity. Social and environmental challenges faced by this community will be looked at in addition to specific chronic diseases and lifestyle factors. This course will also include discussion on ways to eliminate these existing health disparities.

It was moved and seconded to expedite approval of the proposal at the first reading. The motion was approved.

Dr. Richard Williams presented the proposal to add a new course, HEDP 5533 Global Health Issues, to the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

HEDP 5533 Global Health Issues 3(3-0)

The rationale for the proposal is that this course provides graduate students with the opportunity to learn about the public health issues facing the world today. Students will be engaged in learning about health and equity from a global perspective, along with health and risk factors and how they can be assessed and addressed. This course will be an online course, providing students with additional opportunities to view videos, movies and related material to the course.

The proposal will be voted on at the next meeting.

Dr. Richard Williams presented the proposal to add a new course, HEDP 5576 Multicultural Health Issues, to the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

HEDP 5576 Multicultural Health Issues 3(3-0)

The rationale for the proposal is that this course will offer an introduction to multicultural health by looking at various aspects of health from a cultural perspective in addition to specifically examining a variety of cultures. The course uses a historical perspective to explore multicultural models of health, illness, and treatments of therapies to deepen the students' understanding of the scientific, sociocultural, philosophical, psychological, and spiritual foundations of various unconventional healing systems and their approaches to prevention, health promotion, healing and maintenance of well-being.

The proposal will be voted on at the next meeting.

College of Sciences and Health Professions
Criminal Justice and Forensic Science

Dr. Charles Ochie presented the proposal to add a new course, CRJU 3200 Juvenile Justice System, to the Department of Criminal Justice and Forensic Science.

CRJU 3200 Juvenile Justice System

3(3-0)

The rationale for the proposal is that the Juvenile Justice System is one of the four components of the Criminal Justice (others are Law Enforcement, Corrections and Court System). While other components have one than one related course, we only have one course relating to Juvenile Justice System in our program. As juvenile crime wave continues to soar, issues concerning the impact and adequacy of juvenile justice processing remains of extreme importance. It is critically important that our students some of whom plan to work in juvenile institutions be exposed to issues and concerns regarding various practices and processes in the juvenile justice system. This will be a required course but will impact on the required hours for graduation.

It was moved and seconded to expedite approval of the proposal at the first reading. The motion was approved.

Other Items

1. Dr. Richard Williams announced that the Volleyball games against Tuskegee are scheduled today at 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 -4:00 p.m.
2. Dr. Williams also announced that the Golden Rams Football SIAC Championship game will be played Saturday in Atlanta.
3. Dr. Williams informed the committee that the HPER Club Phoebe will be at Clark Atlanta University.
4. Dr. Marcia Hood announced the faculty recital of Mr. Kenneth Trimmins, trumpeter, on Tuesday, November 8, 2011. She invited all of the committee to attend.
5. Dr. Ojemakinde informed the committee of the Academic Advisement Period and asked the committee to forward all problems to the Deans. He advised the committee to assist students with advisement and to call ahead to various departments prior to sending students to where they need to go.
6. Dr. Ojemakinde announced that registration for Spring 2012 will be next week. He encouraged faculty to use Degree Works to assist students in the advising process.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Dr. Abiodun Ojemakinde, Presiding
Dr. LaVerne L. McLaughlin, Recorder