

Core Review Committee

Minutes for the Meeting of Thursday Sept. 9 2010

present: Chanda Meek, David Henry, Diane Ruess, Latrice Laughlin, (members), Faith Fleagle, Linda Hapsmith, Gabrielle Russell, Caty Oehring, Anita Hughes, Don Cockran (guests)

I. Old Business

- A. Motion to change Core Review Committee membership. Motion was passed. This motion will be added to agenda of Faculty Senate Meeting #168.

II. Petitions for review

- A. Emerson Eads: Approved. Student has a BS in History Education with a minor in Music from Covenant Life College in Haines. The student wanted to obtain credit for MUS 200x, based on courses completed at Haines. We approved this based on the collection of courses in music and drama that were appreciation courses, the student had taken but that transferred in as elective credit.
- B. Jill Mullen: Denied. Student wanted to substitute the requirement for MATH 103x with the DEVM 105 course she had taken. This petition was denied because the course that was taken is not a college level mathematics and does not satisfy the intent of MATH 103. It was noted that faculty advisors need to be more informed of developmental courses and how they relate to/ prepare for the college level courses.
- C. Jessie Lynn Huff: Approved. Student took a physics course, a chemistry course, a biology lab and a physics lab at 2 different universities. She wanted these to count as 2 natural sciences with labs. The course descriptions of the chemistry and physics were similar to our core level courses and with the additional labs that she took, made this seem equivalent to our current set up for students who have a science without a lab. We would like to note that she will not receive a core sequence with this petition but she will satisfy two natural sciences with labs.

III. Next meeting: 3:30-4:30 p.m. Monday, September 20, in Rasmuson 341

Report for the Senate Minutes. The committee met on Sept 9 with four members present. The committee*approved a motion to change the membership of the committee and reviewed three petitions. The committee also discussed preparing for the upcoming assessment for O/W courses and the core assessment. The next committee meeting is on Monday Sept 20. (*Rainer N. approved the motion via email.)