

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK
GRADUATE COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting on September 19, 2001

Members Present: Al-Shukri, Bevernitz, Clowney, Dancy, Edison, Edwards, Fletcher, James-Barnes, Leslie, Lindsay, McAlpine, Minsker, Nahrwold, Plopper, Recken, Sikes, Sims, Spillers, Strom, Wayne

Members Absent: Representative from CBA; Darsey, CSAM

Ex-Officio: Hanson, Sheen, Grad Sch

Others Present: Guest: Joachim Ninaus, University of Graz, Austria

1. Approval of minutes, September 5, 2001 Approved

2. Old Business: Deadline for submission of items for this year (01-02) was set at April 15, 2002.

3. New Business:

a. Report of Curriculum Sub-Committee

AHSS:

HIST 4315/5315 (cross-listed with Philosophy as RELS 4315/5315) Approved

GRAD SCH: Deletion of 22 LIBS courses still on the books from the Library Science program which was phased out by 1991. Sent back to have Library faculty send it forward.

EDUCATION:

TCED: Revision of degree requirements to meet new licensure standards. Withdrawn

ELED 8301 Curriculum Design and Evaluation (deletion) Approved

SPED 7102, 7202, 7302 Graduate Workshop (chg number & title from 5102, 5202, 5302 Workshop)
Approved

CYBER COLLEGE:

ASCI: Addition of emphasis area, Applied Biosciences, to existing MS degree program. (insertion of two items into the program description) Tabled until next meeting

CPSC Modify core residency requirements for MS for Fall 20.1 Approved

7391 Cooperative Education (new course) Approved

Motion: After November 1, 2001, all curricular items from DCISSE will be considered by the Graduate Council only after approval by DCISSE Graduate Committee(s). Motion was approved by the Council with one 'nay' vote.

b. Report of Personnel Sub-Committee

FULL STATUS:

Djouadi, Seddik M. PhD, Asst Prof, Systems Engineering.

Guffey, Marsha, PhD, Asst Prof, Institute of Government, Public Administration

Liu, Xian, PhD, Asst Prof, Systems Engineering

Nahrwold, Cynthia, PhD, Asst Prof, Rhetoric & Writing

Winn, Mylon, PhD, Assoc Prof & Grad Coord., Institute of Government, Public Administration

All approved

ADJUNCT STATUS:

Harris, Lyman B., PhD, Adj Prof, CARE, Rehabilitation Counseling, to teach a course and provide on-site

supervision for student in Russellville, from July 15, 2001 to November 30, 2001.

Stein, Mary Kathryn, MEd in Gifted and Talented, PCSSD teacher, to teach in place of faculty member on OCDA, for fall semester to end December 31, 2001.

Stodola, Mark, JD, Attorney, to teach MKTG 8208 in the EMBA program from May to December 31, 2001.

Harris and Stodola were approved for adjunct status. Stein was moved to special status.

SPECIAL STATUS:

Divers-White, Beverly, EdD, Senior Program Manager-Education for Foundation for the Mid South, serve on dissertation committee for Lloyd Sain for EDAS from May 2001 to December 31, 2001.

Fuller, William, MSW, Clinical Social Worker, Lakewood Behavioral Health, Lecturer in Social Work to teach several courses in Social Work, for 3 years from 1/01/to 1/04.

Mastro, Lois, EdD, School Business Administrator, Gowanda Central School Dist, New York, to teach as Adjunct Asst Prof in EDAS for 9 mos - 8/16/01 to 5/15/02.

All were approved including Stein who was moved to special status.

4. Other Business

5. Dean's Report: 1) for the 3rd time, Graduate enrollment reached about 1800 students. SSCH's declined approximately 7% however. 2) Dr. Stevenson and Dr. Hanson are contacting programs about upcoming reviews. It will be a busy spring. Programs are busy doing their self-studies this fall. 3) New Program Proposals, per ADHE guidelines, must now have an assessment plan attached or the proposal will not leave the Provost's Office. 4) Dean Hanson has polled the graduate programs about the option of setting electronic advising flags for their students. Approximately half of the programs wanted the flags. This information has been sent to the Registrar's office so that flags will be set for those programs who wish it, beginning with registration for spring 2002. Also, degree audit with pre-requisites noted is in the process of being set-up. Jimmy Greer is now working with Records and Registration in this capacity.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:05p

Next meeting will be October 10, 2001