MINUTES

CURRICULUM AND REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE MEETING OF

March 13, 1975

The meeting was convened at 10:30 in Room 235

Members in attendance: Dean Ballantyne (Chairman), Profs. Blade, Busey, McKay, Mr. Johnson, ex officio Mr. Burns and Ms. Flowers.

The minutes for the previous meeting were unanimously approved.

New Business

I. Professor Blade moved to approve a proposal that Soc. 198 and Soc. 398 be graded Pass/Fail only. Seconded by Prof. McKay. Passed.

II. Credit Hour Changes:

A. Prof. Volan moved to approve a proposal that Bib 101 be increased from 2 to 3 credit hours. Seconded by Mr. Johnson. Passed.

B. Prof. Busey moved to approve a proposal that PSc. 442 be increased from 3 to 4 credit hours. Seconded by Mr Johnson. Passed.

III. Prof. Blade moved to approve the course crosslistings given below. Seconded by Mr. Johnson. A discussion of the use of crosslisted courses to circumvent the 45 hour major limit followed. It was noted that the crosslisting option allows students to take 54 or more hours in their majors and is not available to all students since many departments do not offer cross-listed courses. Dean Ballantyne moved that the two courses in question be crosslisted and that, beginning with December 1975 graduates, a student's major include all hours completed in courses offered by his major department regardless of the designation under which the courses were taken. Seconded by Prof. McKay. Passed. Dean Ballantyne directed that a memorandum explaining this decision be sent to all heads of departments in which cross-listed courses are given.

Bio. 425 - Psy. 425 Comparative Psychology
Ldes. 199 Intro. to Human Geography - Soc. 222 Human Ecology

IV. Prof. Blade moved that the following changes in the Master File for Mathematics be approved, contingent on a review by Prof. Modeer. Seconded by Prof. McKay. Passed.
Add:
Math 281-3  Math 447-3  Math 532-3
Math 311-3  Math 465-3, 466-3  Math 535-3
Math 426-3  Math 502-3  Math 631-3, 632-3
Math 433-3  Math 513-3, 514-3  Math 636-3
Math 445-3

Delete:
LMth 100  LMth 471
Math 110  LMth 472
Math 352  Math 552
Math 403  Math 599
LMth 413  Math 694

V. New Courses

A. Mr. Johnson moved approval of LBv 401-1. Seconded by Prof. Volan. Passed with the provision that "prerequisites" be made to read: "Junior or Senior standing in Biology or its equivalent".


VI. Prof. Blade brought up the question of the use of CClS correspondence courses as residence credit. After some discussion Mr. Johnson pointed out that two issues seemed to be of concern to the committee: (1) the quality of such correspondence work and (2) the number of hours acceptable as resident and/or LAS credit. Mr. Burns was directed to research the question and to present all relevant information at the next committee meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

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