

Faculty Curriculum Committee Minutes
Friday, September 23, 2016
Stern room 201

Present: Gayle Goudy (chair), Andrew Przeworski (secretary), Tom Carroll, Mary Jo Fairchild, Doug Friedman, Chad Galuska, Rick Heldrich, Gibbs Knotts, Nenad Radakovic

Registrar's Office: Julie Dahl

Academic Affairs: Lynn Cherry

Presentation of the Agenda (Goudy)

Old Business

1. Update on Curriculog. Curriculog will go into testing in January. The committee chose training sessions on 1/13, 1/20, 2/3 3-5pm (Goudy)

New Business

1. Biology 381 internship (Pritchard)
Discussion: the College's pass/fail policy is open to interpretation. It's not clear whether this course is allowed to be pass/fail.
Modifications: none
Decision: tabled until we get clarification of the pass/fail policy.
2. Computer Science 281 internship (Stalvey)
Discussion: CSCI explained their recent changes to the proposal, removing the pass/fail language. Question about the lack of prerequisites. Without the pass/fail language, would this count toward the major GPA? Unclear.
Question about why BIOL's internship is excluded from academic settings, but CSCI's isn't. Do the SLOs need to be approved by the CSCI chair as well?
They'll change that.
Modifications: CSCI is striking the pass/fail policy language. The individual SLOs will require approval of the chair. They'll get us an updated form.
Decision: approved pending those changes
3. French course changes (Morrison)
Discussion: Question about the geographic extent of FREN 453. INTL might want to include the course in its program, but can't if the course is sometimes US/Canada. FFIS says that the course would most commonly be Quebecois, but might sometimes be other regions. It's unclear how the Registrar would handle the repeatability of 453.
Modifications: They're going to pull the 453 proposal to make some changes. The 453 title and content will be restricted to North America. The prereqs on 400-level courses will be reworded to be clearer. They're removing the repeatability of 453. In the 453, 490, 491 titles, they're changing "Literature and/or culture" to "Literature and culture". The 496/498 prereqs will

change “and/or” to “or”. The 341 proposal will be separated and sent to the Senate immediately. The rest of the proposal will be voted on by us immediately, but not sent to the Senate until the entire proposal is complete.
Decision: Approved.