## UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 7, 2018 BUILDING 1A, Room 308

**Undergraduate Committee**: Seokyoun Hwang, Shaibal Mitra, Rupal Gupta, Sarah Zelikovitz, Mikhail Epshstein, Alexander Voicu, El Samuels, Chang Min Kim, Catherine Lavender, Christine, McEvilly, Chandan Acharya, Stephen Wollman, Bang Geul Han, Nora Maloney, Marianne Weil, Alexander Zaitsev, Richard Flanagan, Jennifer Wagner, Mayra Humphreys, Don Selby, Russell Rosen

**Staff:** Michael Anderson, Kerri Gerson, Veronica DiMeglio, Aliza Martini, Mario D'Alessandro, Cheryl Craddock

Ex-Officio: Vivian Incera, Kenneth Gold, Ralf Peetz, Sarolta Takacs, Marcus Tye

Excused: Emmanuel Mbah, Suha Kudsieh, Michael Anderson, Andrew Lambert, Susan Holak

Guests: Bryan Weber, Alan Zimmerman

Date: September 7, 2018

- 1. V. Incera welcomed the Committee with brief introductions.
- Chair election: Sarah Zelikovitz self-nominated to serve as Chair. Marianne Weil seconded the nomination. The committee unanimously approved Sarah Zelikovitz as the Chair of the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee for the 2018-2019 academic year.
- 3. The agenda for September 7<sup>th</sup> was unanimously approved by the Committee with a slight modification (Nursing proposals were moved up in the agenda to accommodate the representative).
- The minutes from the May 4<sup>th</sup> meeting were approved with the following five abstentions (Don Selby, Jennifer Wagner, Nora Maloney, Catherine Lavender, Russell Rosen)
- 5. Proposals from the Department of Nursing
  - a. Change in existing course: NRS 303 Seminar in Professional
     Development was postponed to next meeting.
  - b. Change in existing course: NRS 310 Interpersonal Dynamics for Professional Nurses was postponed to next meeting.

 c. Change in existing course: NRS 321 Introduction to Nursing Research was postponed to next meeting.

NOTE: The Department was instructed to include a copy of the syllabus for each of the changes in existing courses for the October meeting.

- 6. Proposal from the Department of Economics for:
  - a. Change in existing course: ECO/FNC 315 Monetary Theory and Policy was unanimously approved.
- 7. Proposals from the Department of Social Work for:
  - a. New course: SWK 308 Community Service Learning Experience was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in existing course: SWK 306 Community Service Learning &
     Professional Development Seminar was approved.
  - c. Change in degree requirements: Social Work BS was approved with one abstention (Catherine Lavender).
- 8. Proposals from the Computer Science
  - a. New course: CSC 412 Machine Learning was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in degree requirements: Computer Science BS was unanimously approved.
- 9. Proposal from the Department of Marketing for:
  - a. Change in existing course: BUS 415 Global Strategy and Decision
     Making was unanimously approved.
- 10. Proposals from the Department of Mathematics for:
  - a. Change in existing course: MTH 339 Applied Algebra was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in existing course: MTH 341 Advanced Calculus I was unanimously approved.

- c. Change in exiting course: MTH 442 Abstract Algebra was unanimously approved.
- 11. The Committee was reminded that any curriculum items approved by the Committee and Faculty Senate through December 2018 will be effective fall 2019.