

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE - 2002-2003

Dr. William K. Vencill, Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. Steven C. Turner, absent

Arts and Sciences - Dr. Mary A. Leglar (Arts)

Dr. J. Scott Shaw (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Robert D. Gatewood

Education - Dr. Brian A. Glaser

Environment and Design - Mr. Scott S. Weinberg

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Jan M. Hathcote

Forest Resources - Dr. Bruce C. Bongarten, absent

Journalism and Mass Communication - Dr. Ron Lane

Law - Mr. Larry E. Blount, absent

Pharmacy - Dr. Janet McCombs

Public and International Affairs - Dr. Arnold P. Fleischmann

Social Work - Dr. Paul W. Ammons, absent

Veterinary Medicine - Dr. Sheila W. Allen

Graduate School - Dr. Mary M. Frasier, absent

Student Representative - Ms. Dena Levitz

Guests: Dr. Josef Broder
Dr. Clifton Smith
Dr. Dale Threadgill
Dr. Brahm Verma

The University Curriculum Committee met on January 10, 2003, at 3:00 p.m. in the Peabody Board Room. Minutes of the October 25, 2002, meeting were approved.

The committee approved the following items which were forwarded to the Executive Committee of University Council for consideration:

Proposal for an Institute of the Faculty of Engineering

Proposal for a Bachelor of Science in Biochemical Engineering (B.S.Bch.E.)

Proposal for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Systems Engineering (B.S.C.S.E.)

Proposal for a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering (B.S.Env.E.)

Proposal for M.S. in Biochemical Engineering

Proposal for M.S. in Computer Science Engineering

Proposal for M.S. in Environmental Engineering

Proposal for a Major in Environmental Chemistry (B.S.E.S.)

Proposal for an External Degree Program: Terry College Executive MBA Program (M.B.A.)

Proposal for a Major in Occupational Studies (M.A.T.)

Request for Termination of the following programs:

Agricultural Education (M.Ed.)

Business Education (M.Ed.)

Family and Consumer Sciences (M.Ed.)

Marketing Education (M.Ed.)

Technological Studies (M.Ed.)

Request for Termination of the Minor in Criminal Justice

The committee also approved the request from the College of Education for the new prefix:

Title: Educational Administration and Policy

Prefix: EDAP

After much discussion, the committee approved, with a vote of 9 approved and 2 opposed, the proposal for General Undergraduate Degrees Policy. This proposal was sent to the Executive Committee of University Council for consideration.

The committee established the following subcommittees:

Cultural Diversity Subcommittee

Members: Dr. Sheila Allen, Dr. Arnold Fleischmann, Ms. Dena Levitz, Dr. William Vencill

Syllabus Policy Implementation Subcommittee

Members: Dr. Robert Gatewood, Dr. Scott Shaw, Ms. Dena Levitz, Dr. William Vencill

For clarification, the committee agreed to put the following statement on the cover letter for all agenda items sent to the Executive Committee of University Council for consideration:

“This committee, as a matter of practice, does not consider budget information in proposals.”

The committee discussed the Environmental Literacy Requirement and agreed that it would be an agenda item for the next UCC meeting.

The committee also discussed how University Curriculum Committee agenda items will be distributed.

The meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

William K. Vencill, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.
Dr. Delmer D. Dunn
Dr. James E. Fletcher