

UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE - 2002-2003

Dr. William K. Vencill, Chair

Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. Steven C. Turner

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

Dr. J. Scott Shaw (Sciences)

Business - Dr. Robert D. Gatewood, absent

Education - Dr. Brian A. Glaser, absent

Environment and Design - Mr. Scott S. Weinberg

Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Jan M. Hathcote, proxy: Mr. Weinberg

Forest Resources - Dr. Bruce C. Bongarten, substituting: Dr. Richard Daniels

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, substituting: Dr. P. Anthony Moore

Graduate School - Dr. Mary M. Frasier, absent

Student Representative - Ms. Dena Levitz

Guests: Dr. Daniel V. DerVartanian

Dr. Inge A. DiBella

Dr. Freda Scott Giles

Dr. James W. Porter

Dr. David E. Stooksbury

Dr. E. Dale Threadgill

The University Curriculum Committee met on February 7, 2003, at 3:00 p.m. in 105 Old College. Minutes of the January 10, 2003, meeting were approved.

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

Proposal for an Interdisciplinary Undergraduate Certificate in Business and Political German

Proposal for an Interdisciplinary Undergraduate Certificate in Coastal and Oceanographic Engineering

Proposal for a Minor in African Studies

The committee discussed the Environmental Literacy requirement and voted to re-issue a request to the Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost for an external review of the requirement. The University Curriculum Committee agreed to continue considering requests for courses that would satisfy the current Environmental Literacy requirement.

The committee also discussed certificate programs and the actual certificates awarded students who complete certificate programs. Currently, it is the responsibility of the instructional unit awarding the certificate to provide the student with a paper certificate. The committee will ask the Vice President for Instruction if the University can provide official certificates for students who complete the requirements for certificate programs.

The meeting adjourned at 3:50 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