Experiential Learning Subcommittee

April 21, 2017, 2:00 p.m. 315 New College

Subcommittee Members:

Dr. John Maerz, Chair

Dr. Robert Grafstein, School of Public and International Affairs, absent

Dr. Patricia Hunt-Hurst, College of Family and Consumer Sciences

Dr. Sujata Iyengar, Franklin College of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Anne Marie Zimeri, College of Public Health

Experiential Learning Office:

Dr. Linda Bachman Ms. Kay Stanton

Office of Curriculum Systems:

Ms. Fiona Liken

Ms. Paree Shedd

Ms. Amber Wilkerson

The Experiential Learning Subcommittee met on April 21, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. in Room 315 New College.

The subcommittee approved the following courses to be included in the Experiential Learning Implementation Plan for the College of Family and Consumer Sciences:

HDFS 5950, Research Internship in Human Development and Family Science (Category: Internship) IHDD 2050S, Principles of Person-Centered Practices (Category: Service)

The subcommittee provisionally approved the request to include FDNS 4540/6540, Public Health Dietetics (Category: Leadership), in the Experiential Learning Implementation Plan for the College of Family and Consumer Sciences pending the following revisions to the CAPA course description:

- Clarify if the grant proposal is being submitted to an organization
- Clarify if the students are getting feedback from stakeholders

Subsequent to the meeting, the CAPA description for this course was revised and the course was approved.

The subcommittee requested additional information in the CAPA course description for the request to include CHEM 3700, Peer Learning Assistants in Chemistry (Category: Internship), in the Experiential Learning Implementation Plan for the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences:

- Clarify if students are developing teaching materials, and not simply presenting prepared teaching lessons
- Clarify how students are getting feedback from instructors
- Revise the language in the CAPA description to mirror the Internship category of the Experiential Learning Rubric

Once the CAPA description has been revised for this course, it will be returned to the subcommittee for further consideration.

The subcommittee denied the requests to include POLS 5140, Research Internship (Category: Internship), POLS 5141, Research in Public Opinion (Category: Internship) in the Experiential Learning Implementation Plan for the School of Public and International Affairs. The subcommittee was unable to identify the

outward-facing component of the courses, and clearly define the role of the students. The subcommittee referred the department to the Experiential Learning Rubric Internship category.

The subcommittee confirmed that any course submitted to fulfill the Experiential Learning requirement that has an S-suffix will be approved and does not need to be considered by the subcommittee.

Dr. Linda Bachman, Director of Experiential Learning, proposed a revision to the Experiential Learning Policy to update wording. She will draft changes and email them to the committee for review. Once approved by the subcommittee, the revisions will be presented to the Full University Curriculum Committee for consideration.

The subcommittee will hold their next meeting in late July or early August. The Office of Curriculum Systems will send out potential dates to the subcommittee.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.