

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Meeting
Minutes
March 13, 2002

Members Present: Dowling (COA), Ferri (ME), Finkelstein (PHYS), George (Student), Guzdial (COC), Hughes (ECE), Kingsley (PUBP), Lacey (MATH), McIver (REG), McMath (Provost), Schneider (DCOM), Wills (ECE)

Visitors: DiSabatino (ODOS), Sung (Legal)

1. Four students appealed previously denied petitions. Two appeals were approved and two were denied.
2. The School of Public Policy requested approval of a program of study for the undesignated Bachelor of Science degree for Matthew Brown. A motion was made to approve the request. The motion was seconded and approved. Unanimous.
3. The School of Public Policy requested approval of a program of study for the undesignated Bachelor of Science degree for Jeremy Farris. A motion was made to approve the request. The motion was seconded and approved. Unanimous.
4. Chairman Hughes discussed Core Area B and possible modifications. The following options were discussed:

Continue with the one CS course with no exceptions,

Require a CS course that is approved by the major school, or

Change Core Area B to free elective and have department demonstrate how computing general education requirements are to be met.

Following extensive discussion, Hughes agreed to draft a memo based on the discussion for the departments' consideration. The memo will be brought back to the committee for review prior to distribution.
5. The Committee discussed a request from the Executive Board to review a proposed policy concerning excused absences for religious holidays. Hughes will draft a response to the Executive Board.

Adjourned,

M. Jo McIver
Registrar