

2024 UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL DRAFT

January 9, 2024 | 3:30pm

UC Council Room

AGENDA

Present: Couch, Clavir, Larson, Matchett, Moore, Zimmerman

Via Zoom: Finley, Gottlieb, Guetler, Klein

Absent:

Call to Order 3:33

Approval of Agenda Approved without objections

Approval of Minutes 11/14/2023 Approved without objections

Chair's Report/Announcements (Larson)

- Member introduction
- No report

Reports from Councils

LAC (Matchett)

- LAC wrapped up curriculum approval last fall.

Assessment Council (Markowski)

- No report

Special Reports

Unfinished Business

- Need Undergraduate Council volunteer to be the Liberal Arts Council (LAC) representative.
 - LAC meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month in CC 2201 with a Zoom option.
 - Gottlieb volunteers to be LAC representative.
- Curriculum Working Group (CWG) Recommendations (see excel file)
 - Question 1
 - UGC recommended to make 30 credits the minimum.
 - Question 2
 - UGC recommended to require 50% of in-major credit hours to be upper division courses.
 - UGC added the consideration of (1) graduate schools occasionally call the registrar's office to note that students aren't qualified for acceptance into their graduate program due to too fewer upper division hours as part of their undergraduate degree, and (2) the challenges of advising students if we just endorsed a 40 credit rule across all coursework (rather than in major) would be significant, so it makes more sense to require an in-major upper division minimum.
 - UGC also noted this it is important to define "in-major" credits.

- In general, “in-major” credits are everything other than required LAC credits and university wide electives.
 - For Licensure programs, does “major” include the content course and the licensure courses or only the content courses?
 - Question 3
 - UCG recommended that the CWG recommendation is endorsed.
 - Question 4 and Question 5
 - Will be reviewed at February 13, 2024 meeting,
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- AI Generated Policy – Basic UNC-Wide Policy?
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New Business

- F2F Canvas Classroom Shell – Kathy Zeller
- UNIV New Course Proposal – Mindfulness – Jarae Fulton

Comments to the Good of the Order

Adjournment 4:51pm