

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE



To: Academic Standards Committee (ASC)
From: Charles Singler, Chair *CS*
Date: February 1, 1996
Subject: **Minutes of February 1, 1996 meeting, 11:05 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.**

Present: C. Singler, J. Morrison, B. Brothers, P. Schuster, J. LaLumia, B. Pushak, and N. Mosca (Nursing).

1. Minutes of January 18, 1996 meeting were approved.
2. B. Brothers reported on discussion at the Dean's Council of the Residency Requirement proposal. After some discussion the ASC agreed to the recommendations from the deans. The proposal from ASC now reads:

Proposed Policy

" The last 30 quarter hours leading to an associate degree and the last 45 quarter hours leading to a baccalaureate degree must be completed at YSU. A minimum of 24 quarter hours in the concentration area for the associate degree, and a minimum of 24 quarter hours of credits comprising the major in the baccalaureate degree must be earned in residence. A minimum of 32 quarter hours of upper division credit for the baccalaureate degree must be earned in residence. Exceptions must be approved by the Office of the Provost. Additional requirements may be specified by individual colleges."

3. Nancy Mosca reviewed the practices of the Nursing Department relative to credit-for-experience. A summary of the BS-Nursing/RN Track program was distributed for reference.

Noted: a) 3 tests from National League of Nursing for Med-Surgical credit.
b) Other exams for Maternity-Pediatrics and for Psych - Mental Health credit.
c) Department exam for Pathophysiology credit
d) there is "challenge-by-exam" for elective credits.
e) all credits for experiences are through exams.
f) there is some discussion about an "Escrow Account of Credits" involving transfers and performance/completion of courses at YSU possibly at some time in the future.

4. Admissions Policy re: home schooling and non-chartered schools.

Some discussion on extent of problem at YSU, and experiences of Bowling Green State University and Ohio State University.

Discussion to be continued at next meeting.
Meeting adjourned.