Minutes

ACADEMIC STANDARDS & EVENTS COMMITTEE October 16, 1984

Present: Dr. Barbara Brothers, Chairperson; Al Bright, James Conser, Stan Guzell, Phil Munro, Duane Rost (Chairman, Ac. Programs & Curric.... Committee), Mark Shutes, Ronald Tabak

Meeting called to order at 12:00 p.m.

- 1. The first official meeting of the Committee commenced with a discussion of our direction for the 1984-85 Academic Year. The following matters were introduced:
 - a. Discrepancies between statements on p. 40 of the <u>Bulletin</u> regarding courses meeting general area requirements and the individual course descriptions in the Bulletin which may be used to meet those requirements.
 - b. A precise clarification of courses fulfilling general requirements and legitimate substitutions for these courses.
 - c. Prevention, through the general requirements, of "double dipping," or satisfying more than one requirement with only one course. Insertion of a clause such as "all general area requirements must be satisfied outside of the student's major department" was mentioned.
- II. Dr. Guzell suggested that we might reconsider some aspects of last year's University core curriculum proposal. He argued that large-scale change was difficult to explain and comprehend, whereas small, incremental changes in the desired direction would be more easily analyzed, understood, and defended.
- III. In preparation for the above deliberations, Dr. Brothers requested of assigned members that they obtain, from their school academic advisors and/or deans, a listing of all courses which are recommended by the departments as fulfillment of general area requirements.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

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