

Minutes

ACADEMIC STANDARDS & EVENTS COMMITTEE  
October 23, 1984

Present: Dr. Barbara Brothers, Chairperson; Bright, Conser, Duff, Guzell, Munro, Robinson, Rost, Shutes, Tabak, Tribble, West, Yiannaki (rep.- Scriven)

I. Corrections to the Minutes of October 16:

Dr. Guzell presented the following statement as replacement of number 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."

The Minutes were approved as corrected.

II. The Committee will begin an investigation of certain course descriptions as compared to their actual course content and to their applicability to University general requirement fulfillment. Questions were raised about the following courses:

DEFINITE PROBLEMS:

AREA

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| 1. Social Studies or Science or<br>Chemical Engineering | <u>Soc. 789.</u> Man and the Technological<br>Society. Listed also as Chemical<br>Engineering 789 and Biology 789. |
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\*\*How can full credit be given toward either of the two areas if this is the same four hour course?

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| 2. Humanities     | <u>Music 522.</u> Intro. to World Music.<br>(p. 282 - <u>Bulletin</u> )                             |
| 3. Social Studies | <u>Mili. Sci. 510, 511, 540, 620, 630,</u><br><u>701</u> (as per p. 40-41 in YSU <u>Bulletin</u> ). |
| 4. Science        | <u>Mili. Sci. 631.</u> Land Navigation and<br>Outdoor Survival.                                     |

ALSO QUESTIONED:

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| 1. Science | <u>Geology 508.</u> Geology of Gem Stones<br>and Allied Materials. Not applicable<br>toward a Geology major.                                     |
|            | <u>Geology 510.</u> Geology of National Parks.<br>Not applicable toward a Geology major.   |
|            | <u>Physics 505.</u> Physics in Science Fiction.<br>Not applicable to the major in Physics<br>or to the combined major in Physics &<br>Astronomy. |

III. The question was raised as to whether or not a course like Computer 600, which is not available to students outside the major should be listed as a course fulfilling University general requirements.