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EPP Screening Committee Meeting Minutes

February 16, 2022 | Zoom | 4:00 p.m.

Present: Melanie Carden-Jessen (CNAS), Pamela Correll (COE), Kim Dubree (Certification), Jessica Elliott (CHPA), Jessica Nelson (COE), Juli Panza (COE) Diana Piccolo (COE), Becky Swearingen (COE)

Guests: Karen Engler (CSD), Stephanie Huffman (RFT), Kurt Killion (MTH), Alana Kozlowski (CSD), Stefanie Livers (CEFS), Carol Maples (TDST), Annice McLean (RFT), Tonia Tinsley (MCL)

I. Call to order

Dr. Swearingen called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

II. Approval of minutes

The January 26, 2022 minutes stand.

III. Review of Curricular Proposals

PROGRAM CHANGES

Elementary Education- BSED (Springfield, MO)

Dr. Stefanie Livers spoke to the proposal.

Language has been cleaned up based on DESE changes. The overall 2.75 GPA requirement has been removed.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Mathematics-BSED

Dr. Kurt Killion spoke to the proposal.

Old language was removed. The GPA was removed based on DESE changes. A link to the general GPA information was added.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Middle School Education/Language Arts-BSED

Dr. Stephanie Huffman spoke to the proposal.

Cleaned up language added “B” or better. Changes were made to better align with DESE.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Special Education/Cross Categorical-BSED

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

This committee can consider the proposal but it needs to be sent back because it has tracked changes. Changes can be in bold and strikethrough only.

Motion to consider the proposal. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Speech and Theatre Education/Communication-BSED

Dr. Carol Maples spoke to the proposal.

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Speech and Theatre Education/Communication-BSED and Speech and Theatre education/Theatre-BSED contain the same changes. Both are keeping the 2.75 overall GPA requirement for admit to teacher education.

Motion to consider the proposals together. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Motion to approve both proposals. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Speech and Theatre Education/Theatre-BSED

Dr. Carol Maples spoke to the proposal.

See Speech and Theatre Education/Communication-BSED.

Teacher Education

Dr. Karen Engler spoke to the proposal.

This proposal does not route through the usual channels but is to be considered by this committee. Teacher education changes are across the EPP. There have been DESE changes regarding the overall GPA requirement for admission to teacher education. Language was cleaned up and clarifications and updates were made.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Vocational Business Education-BSED

Dr. Stephanie Huffman spoke to the proposal.

Language has been cleaned up and adjustments were made for professional education.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

NEW COURSES

EDT 545 Building Blocks for Coding in an Educational Setting

Dr. Annice McClean spoke to the proposal.

This is a new course cross listed with the graduate course.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MCL 414 Practice and Application in K-12 World Language Teaching

Dr. Tonia Tinsley spoke to the proposal.

This is a second methods course for world language candidates and will provide a second 45 hour contact practicum. EDC 350 is being removed from the core.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

COURSE CHANGES

CSD 760

Dr. Karen Engler spoke to the proposal.

This is a title and description change. It has DESE approval in that it meets the competencies for language for deaf and hard of hearing. Course changes are at the Graduate Council level.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

ELE 495 Supervised Teaching (Elementary)

Dr. Stefanie Livers spoke to the proposal.

Dr. Livers would like to have ELE 495 and ELE 496 considered together. Both have language updates and the 2.75 overall GPA requirement has been removed. The student teaching grade as part of the program has also been removed.

Motion to consider the proposals together. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Motion to approve both proposals. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

ELE 496 Supervised Teaching (Elementary)

See ELE 495 Supervised Teaching (Elementary)

MCL 413 Teaching of Foreign Languages

Dr. Tonia Tinsley spoke to the proposal.

This is a periodicity change because we are adding MCL 414. We will have two methods courses back-to-back. EDC 350 is being removed. The description has been updated.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion.

EDC 350 competencies will be embedded. Discussions took place with Dr. Jamie Atkinson. We will also recommend that students take EDC 249, per Dr. Atkinson's recommendation.

Motion carried.

MCL 493 Supervised Teaching Seminar

Dr. Tonia Tinsley spoke to the proposal.

This is a student teaching seminar. MCL 414 has been added as a prerequisite.

Students are required to take MCL 413 and 414.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MID 400 Philosophy, Curriculum, and Organization of Middle School Education

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

A "B" or better will now be required in ELE 302 which is in alignment with other programs in COE.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MID 425 Middle School Curriculum

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Change to a "B" grade or better in MID 400.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MID 439 Middle School Instructional Strategies

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Changing prerequisite of MID 400 and 425 to a grade of "B" or better. MID 400 is already a requirement to get into MID 425.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MID 493 Supervised Teaching (Middle School)

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

There is a prerequisite change. A passing score on the MoCA is required and completion of all professional education courses with a grade of "B" or better. Professional portfolio language has been removed.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

MID 494 Supervised Teaching (Middle School)

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

The portfolio requirement has been removed which reflects DESE expectations.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SEC 439 Vocational Business Education Instructional Strategies

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

There is a course name, prerequisite, and course description change.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SEC 493 Supervised Teaching (Secondary)

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Dr. Swearingen asked that SEC 493 and SEC 494 be considered together. The portfolio language has been removed and there is a prerequisite change to a grade of "B" or better in professional education courses.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SEC 494 Supervised Teaching (Secondary)

See SEC 493 Supervised Teaching (Secondary)

SEC 526 Coordination of Cooperative Education

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

This is a title change.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SEC 527 Teaching and Learning in the Vocational Business Education Classroom

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

This is a course name change and a new description. New periodicity from on demand to fall and spring.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SPE 495 Supervised Teaching-Special Education

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Prerequisite change to a grade of "B" or better. Clinical logs are removed. Will not count toward major GPA.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

SPE 496 Seminar: Supervised Teaching-Special Education

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Adding courses to the concurrent enrollment courses. Removed wording stating it will not count towards major GPA.

Motion to recommend. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

IV. Adjournment

Dr. Swearingen adjourned the meeting at 4:47 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Vicki Kramer