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U N I V E R S I T Y

EPP Screening Committee Meeting Minutes

March 23, 2022 | Zoom | 4:00 p.m.

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

Guests: Sarah Baker (CEFS), Paula Patterson (MUS), Karrie Swan (CLSE), Tonia Tinsley (MCL)

I. Call to order

Dr. Swearingen called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

II. Approval of minutes

The February 16, 2022 minutes stand.

III. Review of Curricular Proposals

NEW PROGRAM

Education of the Deaf & Hard of Hearing: Instruction, Auditory Development & Practice

Dr. Karen Engler spoke to the proposal.

This is a new graduate certificate for fifteen credits. There are many special education teachers that are teaching students for deaf and hard of hearing. This certificate was developed to provide background and content knowledge based on that need. This is DESE approved.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

PROGRAM CHANGES

Communication Sciences & Disorders/Educ of Deaf-MS

Dr. Karen Engler spoke to the proposal.

Removed two credit hours by combining two language courses.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Early Childhood Education-BSED

Dr. Sarah Baker spoke to the proposal.

Changes were made to align with new DESE requirements and EPP discussions regarding GPA.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

English-BSED

Dr. Becky Swearingen spoke to the proposal.

Changes align GPA with other COE program GPA changes.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

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Modern and Classical Languages-BSED

Dr. Tonia Tinsley spoke to the proposal.

MCL 414 is being added. There is a GPA requirement change. EDC 350 has been deleted for zero net increase hours to the program.

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

Music Instrumental-BME

Dr. Paula Patterson spoke to the proposal.

Clarification has been made and a senior recital will be required.

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

COURSE CHANGES

Dr. Swearingen shared about a communication she received from Katrina Chavez stating that we should not hold up the recommendation of the COU course changes because the program change for Counseling has not gone through yet. Katrina is confident that the program change proposal will be submitted soon.

COU 704 Introduction to School Counseling

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

There is a change in credit hours.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

COU 709 Introduction to Mental Health Counseling

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

Change from one to three credit hours.

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

COU 777 Counseling Practicum

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

The description has been slightly modified and there is a credit hour change to reflect CACREP standards.

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

COU 781 Secondary School Counseling Internship

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

There is a change in prerequisites and the word “secondary” has been removed.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

COU 783 Elementary School Counseling Internship

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

There is a change in prerequisites and the word “elementary” has been removed.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

COU 785 Mental Health Counseling Internship

Karrie Swan spoke to the proposal.

There is a prerequisite change only.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

Kim Dubree will change the matrix for COU 704 and COU 709.

ECE 495 Supervised Teaching in Early Childhood Education

Dr. Sarah Baker spoke to the proposal.

Changes align with DESE.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

ECE 496 Supervised Teaching in Early Childhood

Dr. Sarah Baker spoke to the proposal.

Changes align with DESE.

Motion to approve. Second. Discussion. Motion carried.

IV. Adjournment

Dr. Swearingen adjourned the meeting at 4:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Vicki Kramer