Minutes of the CANR College Curriculum Committee (CCC)

15 April 2024

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Members Present: Jacquelyn Jacobs, Alexandra Kravchenko, Aaron McKim (Chair), Amber Peters, Steve VanNocker. Ex-officio: Chris DiFonzo (Sec); Jim Schneider (UCC rep); Dorcia Chaison (CANR Dean's Office).

Guests (Dept): S. Gruber, D. McGrath, & S. VanNocker (HORT); C.Weir (PKG)

Action	Agenda Item							
Approved	3. Approval of agenda for 15 April 2024							
Approved	4. Approval of minutes from 18 March 2024							
n/a	5. Old Business							
	6. New Business (moved HRT minor up in list, and HRT MS/PhD to the end)							
Approved	6a. HRT 222 - New Course							
	#1 suggest "New course to cover topic not offered in other courses"							
	#14 service (if you want it open to anyone)							
	A note on the Syllabus – there is no 0.5 grad. Below a 60% is a 0.0							
Approved	6b. HRT 222L - New Course							
	#5 Indicate that there are required field trips.							
	#14 service (if you want it open to anyone)							
	#22 HRT 22 "OR" concurrently							
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Approved	6c. Horticulture MS Program Change							
	#16 Admissions requirements, like a GPA – is 'see above' enough? (in new							
	verbiage, does indicate "Applicants must have maintained a minimum GPA of							
	3.0 on a 4.0 scale during their last two academic years". This is filled in on the							
	form for the PhD program)							
	#18 Current AND future students impacted							
	#19 If current students are impacted (from #18) what accommodations are							
	being made?							
	#20 "Updating guidelines and requirements for the Horticulture MS program							
	to reflect current operating procedures"							
Approved	6d. Horticulture PhD Program Change							
	#15 For a PhD, there is usually an initial proposal defense in year 1, then							
	written and oral comps prior to becoming a PhD candidate correct, then final							
	oral exam + seminar to defend degree? Clarify.							
	* Credit number for PhD = 40?.							
	* Just before end of section #15, change his or her to 'their'							
	#17 Direct admission without an MS?							
	#18 Current and future impacted							

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	being made?							
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Approved	6e. Minor in Landscape Horticulture – New Program							
	* new minor targeted for landscape architecture students and others who							
	aren't interested in plant production							
Approved	6f. PKG 441 New Course							
	#1 General reason, just keep the first sentence							
	#4 SIS title, consider something that makes more sense - "AI and Robotics in							
	Packaging"							
	#5 Typos. Suggest "Principles and use of artificial intelligence and robotics in							
	packaging" #10 Considerable grammar issues. Rewrite paragraph and focus on listing the							
	objectives as would appear on a syllabus.							
	#11 Same as above – Modify to a simple list of major topics within the course,							
	not run on sentences							
	#12: Provide a sample of the materials (e.g., a book or article citation)							
	#16 check the objectives and keep only the important ones							
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	#19/20: Add some information here on the relationship to other courses is							
	useful. There must be some other courses related to AI on campus.							
	#23 meaningless restriction. Update with correct language.							
	#25 indicates all lecture, but 60% of the points come from 'lab'. How do you							
	have an online asynchronous lab?							
	#26 Leave blank – this is not a reenrollment course							
	#30 If this course is online, how is 'attendance' counted, could use the word							
	"engagement'?							
	Note: If there are similar classes under #20, its appropriate to list those							
	departments as sign off.							
Approved	6g. PKG 102 Course Change							
	#1 "Update 'restriction' language to be consistent in all packaging courses"							
	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language							
Approved	6h. PKG 221 Course Change							
	#1 "Update 'restriction' language to be consistent in all packaging courses"							
	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language							
Approved	6i. PKG 315 Course Change							
	#1 "Update 'restriction' language to be consistent in all packaging courses"							
	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language							
Approved	6j. PKG 322 Course Change							
	#1 "Update 'restriction' language to be consistent in all packaging courses"							
	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language							
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Approved	6k. PKG 323 Course Change								
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	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language								
Tabled	6L. PKG 411 Course Change								
	#13 Changed to 'required' for packaging majors – then its no longer selective.								
	However, #19 still says its an 'elective course'								
	#7a & #7b: Delete the old language								
Tabled	6m. PKG 430 Course Change: appears to be no change to this course								
Tabled	6n. PKG 485 Course Change: appears to be no change to this course								
Information	7. UCC Update (Jim Schneider)								
	* everything moving thru smoothly, Jim is rotating off the UCC								
Information	8. Associate Dean's Comments								
	* Need names for a grievance panel								
	* >700 students graduating in CANR								
	* bumper crop of students coming in in fall 2024, with a decision date in June								

Minutes submitted 15 April 2024

Quick Summary Table

Items		agendas		Courses			Programs			
#	info	for voting	mins	tabled	new	change	delete	new	change	delete
18	2	16	2	3	3	5	-	1	2	-