

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE MINUTES  
November 12, 2007

The Academic Committee of the Valdosta State University Faculty Senate met in the University Center Rose Room on Monday, November 12, 2007. Dr. Sharon Gravett, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs, presided.

Members Present: Mr. Eric Nielsen, Dr. Marvin Smith, Dr. Bruce Caster, Dr. Yahya Mat Som, Mr. Alan Bernstein, Dr. William Faux, Mr. Eric Nielsen (proxy for Mr. Mike Savoie), Dr. Kathe Lowney (proxy for Dr. Frank Flaherty), Dr. Kathe Lowney, Dr. Bruce Caster (proxy for Dr. Ray Elson), Dr. Bill Buchanan, Dr. Yahya Mat Som (proxy for Ms. Iris Ellis), Dr. Deborah Weaver, Mr. Cliff Landis, and Dr. Diane Holliman.

Members Absent: Dr. Selen Lauterbach, Mr. Mike Savoie, Dr. Frank Flaherty, Dr. Ray Elson, Dr. James Ernest, Ms. Iris Ellis, and Dr. James Humphrey.

Visitors Present: Dr. Karla Hull, Dr. Erin Huskey, Dr. Ellen Wiley, Dr. Mike Griffin, Dr. Phil Gunter, Dr. Reynaldo L. Martinez, Jr., Dr. Paul Riggs, Dr. Brian Adler, Dr. Mike Meachem, Ms. Marsha Walden, Dr. Barbara Stanley, Dr. Christine James, Dr. Jane Kinney, Dr. Leon Pate, and Mr. Lee Bradley.

The Minutes of the October 8, 2007, Academic Committee meeting were approved. (pages 1-4)

**A. Miscellaneous**

1. Revised course and curriculum proposal forms were presented for discussion and suggestions for updates to the form should be submitted to Dr. Jane Kinney or Dr. Sherri Gravett. (pages 5-12).

**B. College of the Arts**

1. Change of effective date for DANCE 2700, 3000, 3100, 3200, 3600, 3700, 4020, and 4700 were approved to be changed to Spring Semester 2008. (page 13).

**C. College of Nursing**

1. Revised core area D.2.B requirements for the BSN was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 14-15). Pending the BOR General Education Committee approval

**D. Division of Social Work**

1. Revised letter of intent for the Doctor of Social Work was approved (pages 16-29).
2. Waiver of Admission requirements for the MSW program was approved (page 29A).

**E. College of Arts and Sciences**

1. Revised degree requirements for the BS in Environmental Geosciences Geography Track was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 30-31).
2. Revised degree requirements for the BS in Environmental Geosciences Geology Track was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 32-33).
3. credit hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 34-35). 1
4. Revised course description, and credit hours, Geology (GEOL hour, 1 lecture hour, 0 lab hours, and 1 contact hour), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 36-37). 1 credit
5. lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 2 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008 with the last sentence of the description deleted. (pages 38-39). 2 credit hours, 2
6. 2 credit hours, 2 lecture



11. Course Management Systems for E-Learning COURSE MGT SYSTEMS E-LEARNING 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Spring Semester 2008. (pages 82-91).
12. STRATEGY E-LEARNING 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Summer Semester 2008. (pages 92-100).
13. DELIVERY E-LEARNING 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 101-108).
14. Revised degree requirements for the MED in Educational Leadership was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 109-110).
15. New course (DEV/LDRSHIP/CAP IN SCH/COMM 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 111-119).
16. COMM/PUBLIC RELATIONS 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 120-131).
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40. Deactivation of the EDS in Special Education was approved effective Spring Semester 2008. (pages 314-315)
41. Revised course prefix  
CONS TCHRS 4 credit hours, 4 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 4 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 316-317). Deactivation of SPEC 5290.
42. Revised course prefix  
~~(METH) TEACH (READ) WRIT (DEAF) 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 318-319). Deactivation of SPEC 5310.~~
43. Revised course prefix  
3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 320-321). Deactivation of SPEC 5370.
44. Revised course prefix  
DEV INSTRUCTION FOR DEAF 4 credit hours, 4 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 4 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 322-323). Deactivation of SPEC 5380.
45. Revised course prefix for Teachers of the Deaf AUDITORY  
ORAL METH FOR TEACHER 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 324-325). Deactivation of COMD 5450.
46. Revised course prefix  
SIGN LANGUAGE I 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 326-327). Deactivation of SPEC 2110.
47. Revised course prefix, American Sign  
SIGN LANGUAGE II 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 328-329). Deactivation of SPEC 2120.
48. Revised course prefix, American Sign Language Studies (ASLS) 3140 Linguistics of American Sign Language  
(LINGUISTICS AMER SIGN LANG 3 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 0 lab hours, and 3 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 330-331). Deactivation of SPEC 3140.
49. Revised course prefix  
SIGN LANGUAGE III 4 credit hours, 3 lecture hours, 2 lab hours, and 5 contact hours), was approved effective Fall Semester 2008. (pages 332-333). Deactivation of SPEC 3170.
50. Revised course prefix









