2016-17 UG Curriculum Committee Report

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Meetings Dates

Oct. 25, 2016, Nov. 14, 2016, Nov. 28, 2016, Jan. 11, 2017, Jan. 25, 2017, Feb. 14, 2017, a meeting in April 2017 (date tba)

Summary of Committee Activities

At the Oct. 25, 2016 meeting the committee passed new curriculum proposal guidelines based, in part, on the recommendations of the 2015-2016 curriculum committee. The guidelines established new deadlines for the submission of proposals, with the fall deadline moving to October 15 and a spring deadline of March 1 introduced. The guidelines also introduced new proposal categories based on the type of proposals. The guidelines were approved by the Faculty Senate at its Nov. 17, 2016 meeting. In 2017, the deadlines for curriculum proposal submission are March 1, 2017 and October 15, 2017.

As of March 30, the Curriculum Committee has meet six times and has passed 148 curriculum proposals. The committee will meet in April to discuss and vote on a number of 2016-2017 proposals that have been delayed at lower levels of the approval process.

A revised committee report will be submitted following the committee's April meeting.