

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

UNDERGRADUATE COMMITTEE OF THE FACULTY SENATE

Minutes for January 27, 2021

Virtual Zoom Meeting

3pm – 5pm

Members Present: Mara Affre, Arkadiusz Czader, Nikhil Celly, Daniel Chang, Jeronimo Cortina, Bret Detillier, Medhat El Nahas, Rebecca Forrest, Mark Goldberg, Kristen Hassett, Michelle Ivey, Briget Jans, Heidi Kennedy, Margaret Kidd, Julia Kleinheider, Shonnita Leslie, Teri Longacre, Holley Love, Dan Maxwell, Ana Medrano, Michael Murray, Tali Morgulis, Melissa Pierson, Nouhad Rizk, Funda Sahin, David Shattuck, Brent Spraggins, Chris Taylor, Amber Thompson, Giulia Toti, Chad Wayne, Carrie Young, Zhiwen Xiao, Lori Selzer, Vallabh Das, Timothy Koozin, Pattie Schrader, Benjamin Tamber-Rosenau, Jaana Porra, Patrick Lukingbeal, Scott Sawyer, Ruxandra Boul, Dustin Gish, Ziad Qureshi, Todd Romero, Elizabeth Simas, Rachel Honora, Mardell Maxwell

Members Absent: Veronica Douglas, Jinny Sisson, Jenna Tucker, Karina Acuna, Zachary Fulce

Guest Present: Jae Lee, Katherine Frazier, Maura Pereira-Leon, Jonathan Williamson, Charlotte Carp, Rita Sirrieh

I. **Call to Order** - The Committee was called to order by David Shattuck, UC Chair, at 3:01 pm

a. Minutes from the [December 9th](#) UC Meeting were approved.

II. **Welcome & Announcements**

- a. Faculty Senate President, Jeronimo Cortina
- b. Tali Morgulis appointment from the College of the Arts
- c. Martha Dunkelberger formally resigned from the UC, CLASS seat vacant

III. **UC Business**

Proposal Status as of 12/11/2020: <https://uofh.sharepoint.com/sites/uc/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Proposals Submitted for the 2021-2022 UC Catalog Implementation Cycle to date:

Total proposals: 373 (2 rollovers)

Course proposals: 271 (1 TCCNS)

Degree programs: 58 (1 rollover)

Accelerated programs: 28

Administrative: 2

Policy: 11 (1 rollover)

Certificates and/or Credentials: 3

Approved by UC to date: 300

Withdrawn: [6](#)

IV. **Subcommittee Reports**

a. **Forrest Subcommittee - CLASS = COMM / TECH/ BUS** (Rebecca Forrest, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 1986 20F	Communication Studies, BA	CLASS - School of Communication
UC 1988 20F	Media Production, BA	CLASS - School of Communication
UC 1989 20F	Strategic Communication, BA	CLASS - School of Communication

b. **Ivey Subcommittee - TECH / HOBBY / HON / NSM / CLASS = SOC** (Michelle Ivey, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 2157 20F	BTIS 3300 - Introduction to Homeland Security	College of Technology
UC 2211 20F	BTIS 3320 - US Border Management and Policy	College of Technology
UC 2212 20F	BTIS 3323 - Border Security and Cross-Border Challenges	College of Technology
UC 2214 20F	BTIS 3330 - Fundamentals of Transportation Law and Border Regulations	College of Technology
UC 2159 20F	BTIS 4300 - Customs, Regulation, and Procedures	College of Technology
UC 2215 20F	BTIS 4320 - Border Trade Policy	College of Technology
UC 2213 20F	BTIS 4325 - Border Interagency Coordination	College of Technology
UC 2158 20F	BTIS 4397 - Selected Topics in Border, Trade, Immigration, & Security	College of Technology
UC 2216 20F	Border Operations Management Minor	College of Technology
UC 2217 20F	Cross-Border Trade & Transport Security Minor	College of Technology
UC 1853 20F	Undergraduate Certificate in Borders, Trade, and Transport Security	College of Technology

c. **Love Subcommittee - CCS / ECON / NSM / BUS / HON, EDU** (Holley Love, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 2016 20F	AAS 3307 - African Spiritual Transformation in Social Sciences	CLASS - African American Studies
UC 2015 20F	AAS 3349 - African Americans, Politics and Legal Studies	CLASS - African American Studies
UC 1875 20F	SPEC 2350 - Registered Behavior Technician Training	EDUC - Educational Leadership & Policy Studies
UC 2109 20F	African American Studies - B.A.	CLASS - African American Studies
UC 2105 20F	African American Studies Departmentalization	CLASS - African American Studies
UC 2110 20F	African American Studies Minor	CLASS - African American Studies
UC 2234 20F	Honors in Co-Curricular Engagement Designation	Honors College

The following proposals were **withdrawn** by the submitter:

UC 2012 20F	AAS 1310 - Introduction to Africana Culture	CLASS - African American Studies
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d. **Medrano Subcommittee - BUS / CLASS = ENG, HHP, HS, HIS** (Anna Medrano, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 2064 20F	ACCT 5335 - Financial Statement Auditing	BUSI - Accountancy and Taxation
UC 2065 20F	ACCT 5337 - Management Accounting	BUSI - Accountancy and Taxation
UC 2066 20F	ACCT 5367 - Intermediate Accounting 1	BUSI - Accountancy and Taxation
UC 2067 20F	ACCT 5368 - Intermediate Accounting 2	BUSI - Accountancy and Taxation
UC 2068 20F	BUSI 4305 - Business Ethics for Accountants	BUSI - Accountancy and Taxation
UC 2082 20F	FINA 4310 - Behavioral Finance	College of Business - Finance
UC 2077 20F	FINA 4374 - Energy Analysis	College of Business - Finance
UC 2078 20F	FINA 4376 - Energy Trading Systems	College of Business - Finance
UC 2079 20F	FINA 4377 - Risk Financing	College of Business - Finance
UC 2081 20F	FINA 4384 - Residential Real Estate	College of Business - Finance

UC 2080 20F	FINA 4389 - Multifamily Real Estate	College of Business - Finance
UC 2083 20F	INTB 3361 - Global Engagement and Research	College of Business - Finance
UC 2084 20F	MIS 4369 - MIS Internship	BUSI - Decision and Information Sciences
UC 2087 20F	BBA - Business Writing Evaluation (BWE) Requirement	College of Business
UC 2089 20F	BBA - Excel Competency Exam Requirement	College of Business
UC 2090 20F	Finance, BBA - Online BBA in Finance	College of Business - Finance
UC 2098 20F	Management Information Systems, BBA - Online BBA in MIS	BUSI - Decision and Information Sciences
UC 2099 20F	Supply Chain Management, BBA - Online BBA in SCM	BUSI - Decision and Information Sciences

- e. **Thompson Subcommittee - MCL / PS / ENGI / HRM / COA / CLASS = MCL, PS, WGS / TECH** (Amber Thompson, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 2179 20F	MECE 2361 – Intro to Mechanical Engineering Design	ENGI - Mechanical Engineering
UC 2181 20F	MECE 4340 – Mechanical Engineering Capstone I	ENGI - Mechanical Engineering
UC 1913 20F	Chinese Studies Minor	CLASS - Modern and Classical Languages

V. **Old Business**

- a. Discussed and Tabled

UC 2277 21S	TCCNS Adoptions and Edits (4th memo)	University Offices – Office of the Provost – Student Success
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- b. UC Bylaw Amendments – Not considered due to time, delayed to next meeting

UC 2278 21S	UC Bylaws Fall 2020 amendments	Undergraduate Committee of the Faculty Senate
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VI. **New Business**

- a. UC Special Meeting called for February 3, 2021

VII. **Resources**

NOTE: All meetings are held in room 306 (Faculty Senate Office), M.D. Anderson Library unless, otherwise noted.

- a. **Scheduled meetings for 2020-2021:**

Fall 2020: August 26 (orientation meeting), September 30, October 28, November 11, *November 18 (special meeting), December 9 (as needed)

Spring 2021: January 27, *February 3 (special meeting), February 24, March 31, April 28, May 12 (as needed)

- b. **Helpful Websites:**

- Undergraduate Committee: www.uh.edu/undergraduate-committee/
- Current (2020-2021) Undergraduate Catalog: <http://publications.uh.edu/index.php?catoid=36>
- UH Core Curriculum section: www.uh.edu/academics/corecurriculum/

- c. **E-mail Listservs:**

- i. UC General Membership: UNDERGRAD-COMMITTEE@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
- ii. UC Executive Committee: UC-EXEC@LISTSERV.UH.EDU

iii. UC Subcommittees:

- DUNKELBERGER-SUBCOMMITTEE@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
- FORREST-SUBCOMMITTEE@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
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VIII. **Meeting Adjournment** at 5:03 p.m.