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## MINUTES

**Faculty Senate**  
**Thursday, February 18, 1993**  
**Wallenberg Hall**  
**12:00 noon**

1. The meeting was called to order at 12:00 noon by Jane Borelli, Chair. Members unable to attend: T. Banks, D. McLaughlin, C. Morrow, R. Narske, R. Radloff, D. Dungan, C. Mahaffey, P. Olsen, J. Winship, T. Bengtson, J. Davidson.
2. With the correction on page four, next to last paragraph (Japanese .... course approved for **one** year only), G. Mann moved that the minutes be approved as corrected. Seconded by T. Felden and **passed**.
3. It was proposed that a Senate meeting be held next Wednesday, February 24, if necessary, to complete today's agenda. Seconded by D. Erickson and **passed**.
4. **Advanced Standing and Degrees Committee - Michael Kirn**  
The list of winter term candidates for graduation was presented and AS&D recommended approval pending completion of all requirements. Seconded by D. Erickson and passed.  
  
The following students will graduate with honors:  
summa cum laude        Thomas J. Van Osdol  
magna cum laude       Christine D. Broadston  
                                 Sanjai Nagendra  
                                 Mark Reade
5. **Old Business - Dean Selbyg**  
  
EPC recommended that TH 441, Dramatic Theory and Criticism, be deleted from required courses for the Theatre major (it will no longer be offered), and that the supporting courses for the Theatre major be changed from 6 credits (EN 232 and either EN 343 or EN 344) to 9 credits (EN 232, EN 343 and EN 344). Seconded by P. Xiao and **passed**.
6. The Steering Committee proposed the following dates for the Spring meetings:

Senate Meeting: March 25, April 15 and May 13 (Old &  
New Senate)  
Faculty Forum: March 23 (proposed by Gender Equity  
Committee)  
Faculty Meeting: May 6  
Seconded by B. Jacobson and **approved.**

7. **Report from Educational Policies Committee - Dean Selbyg**

- a)EPC endorsed the recommendation of the General Education Committee to approve the following first year sequences for 1993-94 (in addition to Foundations). (Attachment #1)
- (a) American Culture in Transition
  - (b) Environmental Studies
  - (c) The Rise of Fascism and the Crisis of Personal Identity
  - (d) Reading Nature, Text and Self (one year experiment)
- Seconded by R. Troll.

It was noted that in sequence (c) the title of RE 130, Faith in the Christian Church, has been changed to "Introduction to Christian Thought." Also, HI 280, History Colloquium, will replace HI 115 The Rise of Fascism.

There was also discussion about the spring courses in sequence (a)--PO 264-01 American Political Culture, to be taught by Dean Hammer **or** RE 120-01, Introduction to Christian Ethics, to be taught by Ann Swahnberg. No decision has been made on D. Hammer's teaching position for next year and those participating in the sequence asked for a little flexibility until the decisions have been made, since it is the preference of the sequence faculty to keep the political science course. D. Lee moved to amend by deleting the alternative course since it is not clear that it will be in the Master Schedule. Seconded by A. Levin and **approved.**

N. Moline expressed his concern that the Asian sequence had not been approved. L. McCallum asked if a substitute sequence would be offered if any of the four chosen did not have enough students and Dean Selbyg said there would be no substitutions.

The chair called for a vote on the sequences as amended, and the **motion passed.**

- b)EPC recommended that the Degrees of Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Music Education be replaced with the Bachelor of Arts with majors in music performance and music education. Seconded by M. Neil. Dean Selbyg explained that the College prefers, and the music department agrees, to offer the various majors within the framework of the Bachelor of Arts. **Motion passed.**
- c)In order to avoid problems with the 40 hour credit limits on courses with the same course code, EPC recommended that the code designation MU be changed to ME for a series of courses offered by the Department of Music. Seconded by M. Neil and **passed.**
- d)EPC recommended 1) a change in requirements for the major in Sociology, and 2) dropping the major in Social Work. Seconded by P. Kivisto and **motion passed.**
- e)EPC recommended 1) a change in requirements for a minor in Sociology and 2) dropping the minor in Anthropology. Seconded by M. Davis and **motion passed.**
- f)EPC recommended the addition of the following new courses in Sociology, Anthropology and Social Welfare, and dropping SO 210, 305, 341, 342, and all courses in Social Work.

New Courses in Sociology

SO 220 SURVEY OF RESEARCH METHODS (3)  
 SO 320 WOMEN AND MEN IN SOCIETY (3)  
 SO 350 ADVANCED RESEARCH METHODS (3)  
 SO 420 SOCIOLOGICAL RESEARCH SEMINAR (3)

New and Revised Courses in Anthropology

AN 300 PEOPLES AND CULTURES OF IBERIA AND LATIN AMERICA (3)  
 AN 310 URBAN ETHNOGRAPHY (3)  
 AN 330 MAGIC, WITCHCRAFT, AND RELIGION (3)  
 AN 350 CULTURE, POWER, AND SOCIAL ACTION (3)  
 AN 420 ETHNOGRAPHIC RESEARCH SEMINAR (3)

Courses dropped in Anthropology: AN 150 , 360, 410

New Courses in Social Welfare and Policy

SW 160 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WELFARE AND POLICY (3)  
SW 220 HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF SOCIAL WELFARE (3)  
SW 340 FAMILIES: SOCIAL WELFARE AND POLICY (3)  
SW 360 COMPARATIVE SOCIAL WELFARE (3)  
SW 420 SOCIAL WELFARE RESEARCH SEMINAR (3)

Seconded by L. McCallum and passed. (Course descriptions are found in attachment #2)

g) EPC recommended the renumbering of BI 220, General Botany, to BI 320, retroactive to fall term 1991. Seconded by G. Mann. R. Troll explained that this course has always been taught at the 300 level and taken by juniors and seniors. Transcripts will denote change as of 1991 graduates. **Motion passed.**

2. Report from General Education Committee - Dean Selbyg

The General Education Committee recommended acceptance of the following suffixes:

a)C suffix for JA 220, Introduction to Contemporary Japanese. Seconded by G. Mann and **passed.**

b)L suffix for WS 380, Topics in Women's Studies, for winter term 1993-94 only. Seconded by S. Knudsen and passed.

c) S suffix for:

AN 300 People and Cultures of Iberia and Latin America  
AN 310 Urban Ethnography  
SO 320 Women and Men in Society  
SW 160 Introduction to Social Welfare and Policy  
SW 220 History and Philosophy of Social Welfare  
SW 340 Families and Social Welfare  
SW 360 Comparative Social Welfare

Seconded by M. Davis and **passed.**

3. The Dean of the College proposed dropping the Department of Social Work and establishing the Department of Sociology,

Anthropology and Social Welfare. Seconded by R.A. Johnson and **passed**.

8. Report from Nominations and Rules Committee - Lori Scott

a) Dona Dungan was nominated to serve on the Athletic Committee as a replacement for Sonja Knudsen, who has resigned. Seconded by C. Hyser and **passed**.

b) Since no more than two faculty members from one division shall serve at any one time on the Foundations Committee, the following resignations and nominations are proposed:

David Dehnel (1994) resigned from the committee and the N&R Committee nominated Heidi Storl to replace him to represent faculty who have participated in Foundations.

The N&R Committee nominated Carla Delucchi to replace Heidi Storl to represent non-participating faculty.

Nominations were closed and the nominees accepted.

9. EPC recommended a change in the Minor in Women's Studies (Attachment #3).

Seconded by G. Mann. T. Felden moved to amend by adding RE 315 [HR] Interpreting Paul (3 cr.) to the list of additional courses. The main motion as amended was **approved**.

10. The meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Taddy Kalas  
Secretary