

**University of Washington
Faculty Council on Academic Standards**

June 7, 2019
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Gerberding 142

Meeting Synopsis

1. Call to order
 2. Review minutes from May 24, 2019
 3. Chair's report
 4. SCAG update
 5. QSR discussion
 6. SCAP report
 7. Good of the order
 8. Adjourn
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1. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m.

2. Review minutes from May 24, 2019

The minutes from May 24, 2019 were approved as written.

3. Chair's report

Stroup, the chair, is working on the FCAS end of year report.

4. SCAG update

Dan Ratner provided a brief SCAG update. He highlighted that selection based on area of academic interest would primarily impact non-residents, beginning with fall 2020 admissions. There is an expectation that this process will be reviewed and reevaluated moving forward.

5. QSR discussion

The chair requested that the Registrar provide a list of courses that currently have Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning (QSR) designation before the council drafts language.

6. SCAP report

Held business

#1 – Education

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Early Care and Education, the Bachelor of Arts degree in Early Childhood and Family Studies, and Bachelor of Arts degree in Education, Communities, and Organizations. The Department is proposing to drop the graduation requirement of a foreign language through the 3rd quarter for each of its undergraduate programs.

Lynn Dietrich shared that this proposed program change was stalled at the end of last year, but that other colleges were permitted to drop the additional foreign language requirement for undergraduate programs. The College of Education is requesting to do the same.

There was some discussion around the proposed change. Members ultimately felt that they should follow precedence (in the past, other colleges were allowed to drop the requirement) and voted to approve the change.

Routine business

#2 – Asian Languages and Literature

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Japanese. The department is proposing to revise the program requirements due to recently approved renumbering of courses.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#3 – Asian Languages and Literature

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Minor in Japanese. The department is proposing to revise the requirements due to recently approved renumbering of courses.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#4 – Global Health

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Minor in Global Health.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#5 – Human Centered Design and Engineering

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Data Science Option within the Bachelor of Science in Human Centered Design and Engineering degree.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#6 – Information School

The proposal is for revised admission requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Informatics.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#7 – Scandinavian Studies

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Danish.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#8 – Scandinavian Studies

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Finnish.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#9 – Scandinavian Studies

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Norwegian.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#10 – Scandinavian Studies

The proposal is revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Swedish.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#11 – Scandinavian Studies

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Scandinavian Area Studies.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#12 – School of Environmental and Forest Sciences

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science and Terrestrial Resource Management.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#13 – School of Environmental and Forest Sciences

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Restoration Ecology and Environmental Horticulture Option within the Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science and Terrestrial Resource Management.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#14 – School of Environmental and Forest Sciences

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Wildlife Conservation Option within the Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science and Terrestrial Resource Management.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#15 – School of Public Health

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Global Health Option within the Bachelor of Arts degree in Public Health-Global Health. The department is proposing to revise the electives requirement due to recent course changes.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#16 – Slavic Languages and Literatures

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Eastern European Languages, Literature, and Culture

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#17 – Slavic Languages and Literatures

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Russian Language, Literature, and Culture.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#18 – Slavic Languages and Literatures

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Minor in Russian Language.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#19 – Slavic Languages and Literatures

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Minor in Slavic Languages.

Non-routine business:

#20 – Drama

The proposal is for a new minor in Design for Performance.

The proposal is back from tri-campus review where it received two comments. The request was approved by majority vote.

#21 – Music

The proposal is for revised admission and program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Ethnomusicology.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#22 – Information School

The proposal is for revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Informatics.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

#23 – Real Estate

The proposal is for revised requirements for the Minor in Real Estate. The department is proposing to revise multiple requirements, including reducing the required credits.

The request was approved and forwarded for tri-campus review.

7. Good of the order

Nothing was stated.

8. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

Minutes by Lauren Hatchett, lehatch@uw.edu, council analyst

Present: **Faculty:** Sarah Stroup (Arts & Sciences) (chair), Phil Brock (Arts & Sciences), Dan Ratner (Engineering), Mike Lockwood (Naval ROTC), Lynn Dietrich (Education), Ann Huppert (Built Environments), Champak Chatterjee (Arts & Sciences), Joel Thornton (Environment), D. Shores (Business)
President’s designee: Philip Ballinger
Ex-officio reps: Dan Feetham, Angelia Miranda, Jennifer Payne, Conor Casey, Meera Roy
Guests: Robin Neal, Robert Corbett, Emily Leggio, Helen Garrett, Scott Fallgren

Absent: **Faculty:** Zhi Lin (Arts & Sciences), Radhika Govindrajan (Arts & Sciences)
Ex-officio reps: Melissa Saiz-Matheny