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October 5, 2023  
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.  
Old Main-Champ Hall

## MINUTES

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- Present: Paul Barr, *Chair*, Provost's Office  
Mateja Savoie Roskos, College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences  
Richard Walker, Caine College of the Arts  
Sterling Bone, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business  
Scott Budge, College of Engineering  
Jared Colton, College of Humanities and Social Sciences  
Peter Howe, S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources  
Dan Coster, College of Science  
Britt Fagerheim, University Libraries  
Shana Geffeney, Statewide Campuses  
Jason Marshall, USU Eastern  
Sarah Pope, Graduate Studies Senator  
Renee Galliher, *Chair*, Academic Standards  
Chad Simon, *Chair*, Curriculum Subcommittee  
Matt Sanders, *Chair*, General Education Subcommittee  
Toni Gibbons, Registrar's Office  
Fran Hopkin, Registrar's Office  
Michele Hillard, Secretary
- Absent: David Feldon, Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services  
Heloisa Rutigliano, College of Veterinary Medicine  
Richard Cutler, Graduate Council  
Aly Cinq-Mars, USUSA Executive VP
- Guests: Brian Warnick, Department Head, Technology, Design and Technical Education  
Zak Konakis, Coordinator, Regional Pathways

### **Approval of Minutes – September 7, 2023**

*Motion to approve the September 7, 2023 minutes made by Dan Coster. Seconded by Richard Walker. Minutes approved as distributed.*

### **Subcommittee Reports**

#### **Curriculum Subcommittee (Chad Simon)**

*Motion to approve the Curriculum Subcommittee Report made by Chad Simon. Seconded by Mateja Savoie-Roskos. Report approved.*

*Brian Warnick and Zak Konakis will pull together some information that will help General Education come up with the requirements for a BAS or AAS.*

## Course Approvals – 277

Request from the Department of Applied Sciences, Technology and Education in the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences to [offer a Career and Technical Education Teaching Academy Institutional Certificate of Proficiency](#).

Request from the Department of Technology, Design and Technical Education in the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences to [offer an Engineering Technology AAS](#).

Request from the Department of Technology, Design and Technical Education in the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences to [offer an Engineering Technology BAS](#).

Request from the Department of Theatre Arts in the Caine College of the Arts to [change the name of the Theatre Arts Design and Technology Film Production Option BFA to Theatre Arts: Theatre Design & Technology BFA](#).

Request from the Department of Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education in the Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services to [discontinue the Speech Language Pathology and Audiology-BS](#).

Request from the Department of Communicative Disorders and Deaf Education in the Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services to [discontinue the Speech Language Pathology and Audiology – Online Second BS](#).

Request from the Department of Communication Studies and Philosophy in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [discontinue the Speech Communication Teaching Minor](#).

Request from the Departments of Communication Studies and Philosophy, Journalism and Communication and Political Science in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [offer a Political Communication Certificate of Proficiency](#).

Request from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [move the Community and Natural Resources Institute from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology to the College of Humanities and Social Sciences](#).

Request from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [offer an Environmental Justice Institutional Certificate of Proficiency](#).

Request from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [offer a Social Dimensions of Climate Change Institutional Certificate of Proficiency](#).

Request from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences to [offer a Social Dimensions of Climate Change and Environmental Justice Minor](#).

Request from the Department of Geosciences in the College of Science to [change the name from Earth Science Composite Teaching-BA, BS to Earth Science Teaching-BA, BS](#).

Request from the Department of Management in the Jon M. Huntsman School of Business to [offer a Healthcare Management Minor](#).

Request from the Department of Environment and Society in the S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources to [offer a Climate Change Solutions Certificate of Proficiency](#).

Request from the Department of Environment and Society in the S.J. & Jessie E. Quinney College of Natural Resources to [offer an Environmental Science and Sustainability Bachelor of Science](#).

CIP Code Change Request – Mateja Savoie-Roskos

Change the CIP code for the Landscape Architecture-BLA, Landscape Architecture-MLA (advanced professional degree)-MLA, and Accelerated Master of Landscape Architecture-BLA, MLA to 40601 Landscape Architecture. Also change the Landscape Architecture Minor.

[Update Language in Curriculum Handbook](#) – Toni Gibbons

Looking to add language to the handbook regarding cross listing of courses.

**Academic Standards Subcommittee** (*Renee Galliher*)

*Renee Galliher – Dan Coster*

*Minutes* – No meeting held in September or October.

[Academic Appeals Policy](#), [Dean's Wording Recommendations](#)

**General Education Subcommittee** (*Matt Sanders*)

*Motion to approve the General Education Subcommittee Report made by Matt Sanders. Seconded by Mateja Savoie-Roskos. Report approved.*

*Gen Ed Designations – 2*

- CI: ITLS 4320
- CI-NURS 4010

Policy R470 Update – hope to receive clarity on this by the end of the month.

**Other Business**

**Adjourn: 3:45 pm**