

AGENDA
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
Tuesday, August 23, 2005
Noon, Doc Bryan Student Services Center, Room 242

- I. Call to Order
 - A. Approval of Minutes for the May 6, 2005, meeting
 - B. Election of Chair
 - C. Election of Secretary
 - D. Consideration for Recording Secretary
 - E. Approval of Meeting Day and Time

- II. New Business
 - A. Curriculum approval process, curriculum check list and due dates, proposal for course change, and format for curriculum change - Dr. Jack Hamm, Vice President for Academic Affairs

 - B. Assessment of general education goals - Dr. David Underwood, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, and Dr. Carey Roberts, 2005-06 Assessment Committee Chair

- III. Adjournment

**Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University**

The Curriculum Committee met in Room 242 of the Doc Bryan Student Services Building on Tuesday, August 23, 2005, at noon. The following members were present: Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Ms. Jennifer Helms, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Tom Nupp, Dr. Cathy Baker, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Dr. Lyman Harris, and Ms. Tammy Rhodes. Nicole Goodlett and Lance Fetters were absent. Dr. Jack Hamm, Dr. David Underwood, Dr. Carey Roberts, and Ms. Pat Chronister were guests.

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Nupp called the meeting to order and asked for a motion to suspend the order of the agenda to allow Dr. Hamm to discuss the curriculum approval process and Dr. Underwood and Dr. Roberts to discuss assessment of general education goals. Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to suspend the order of the agenda. Motion carried.

Dr. Hamm welcomed the membership and asked Committee members to introduce themselves. He indicated that the addition of the Eight Semester Guaranteed Degree Programs has created a need to review the forms used to submit curriculum changes to the Committee. Samples of forms with suggested updates were distributed. Dr. Hamm asked the Committee to consider accepting the changes to the forms.

Dr. David Underwood addressed the Curriculum Committee. He indicated that the current general education goals, outlined on page 74 of the 2004-05 Tech Undergraduate Catalog, have not been evaluated in the last ten years. The University Assessment Committee is requesting the Curriculum Committee to review and if necessary revise the general education objectives and to develop a mechanism for a regular review process. Dr. Underwood indicated that he could provide the Committee with two resources: a 28-page monograph from the Association of American Colleges and Universities and five journal articles through Proquest. He suggested the Committee look at goals outlined in each program accreditation. He clarified that the Assessment Committee does not determine the goals but assists the University in determining how to measure the goals.

Dr. Carey Roberts, Assessment Committee Chair, addressed the Curriculum Committee. He indicated that he, members of the Assessment Committee, and a graduate assistant assigned to the Assessment Committee would serve as resources to assist the Curriculum Committee in the review process.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

At this time, the order of the agenda resumed. Dr. Nupp asked for action to approve the minutes from the meeting on Friday, May 6, 2005, as distributed. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Carter. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Dr. Nupp asked for nominations for the position of Chair. Dr. Smith nominated Dr. Bishop. Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded Dr. Carter, to cease nominations and elect Dr. Bishop to the position of Chair by acclamation. Motion carried.

Dr. Nupp asked for nominations for the position of Secretary. Dr. Wilson nominated Dr. Smith. Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Bishop, to cease nominations and elect Dr. Smith to the position of Secretary by acclamation. Motion carried.

Dr. Nupp made the request to consider a Recording Secretary. Dr. Carter made the motion, seconded by Dr. Harris, to request Ms. Rhodes act as Recording Secretary. Motion carried.

Dr. Nupp offered advice to the new chair and read a memo from the Faculty Senate Chair requesting Curriculum Committee representation at Faculty Senate meetings.

Dr. Bishop asked for a motion to approve the curriculum forms submitted to the Committee by Dr. Hamm. Motion by Ms. Helms, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the forms with addition of a statement regarding assistance from Academic Affairs in identifying courses used in other departments in Proposal B item D and in the checklist. In the checklist make the statement item 10 and change the current item 10 to item 11. Motion carried.

The Committee discussed a meeting day and time. The Committee decided to meet again on Friday, September 16, to discuss how to proceed with review of the general education goals. The Committee will also consider curriculum proposal changes if available.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

AGENDA
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
Friday, September 16, 2005
3 p.m., Pendergraft, Room 325

- I. Call to Order
 - A. Approval of Minutes for the August 23, 2005, meeting
 - B. Elect Chair-Elect
 - C. Elect Representative for Faculty Senate
 - D. Approval of Meeting Day and Time

- II. New Business
 - A. Request for Course Credit for Intercollegiate Sports

 - B. Curricular Items
 - 1. Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy
 - a. add a minor in Geography requiring the following: GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; GEOG 2023, Human Geography; and 12 hours of Geography of electives with no more than 3 hours in GEOG 4991-4, Special Problems in Geography.

 - 2. Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism
 - a. change the title for SPH 3073, Group Discussion, to SPH 3073, Group Communication, and change the course description.

 - C. Discuss Process for Review of General Education Goals

- III. Adjournment

**Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University**

The Curriculum Committee met in Pendergraft, Room 325, on Friday, September 16, 2005, at 3 p.m. The following members were present:

Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Ms. Jennifer Helms, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Cathy Baker, Dr. Lyman Harris, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, Nicole Goodlett, and Lance Fetters were present. Dr. Deborah Wilson was absent. Dr. Donna Vocate was a guest.

CALL TO
ORDER

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order and asked that each member introduce themselves. Dr. Bishop indicated that Dr. Smith represented the Curriculum Committee at the Faculty Senate Meeting on September 15, 2005. Dr. Bishop asked Dr. Smith to report.

REPORT
FROM
FACULTY
SENATE

Dr. Smith indicated that the Faculty Senate recommended electing a Chair-Elect to the Curriculum Committee to assist with the transition of the Committee at the end of each year. He reported that the Faculty Senate suggested a change to the proposed forms used to submit curriculum proposals.

APPROVAL OF
MINUTES

Dr. Bishop asked for action to approve the minutes from the meeting on Tuesday, August 23, 2005, as distributed. Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the minutes with corrections. Motion carried.

Dr. Bishop asked for nominations for the position of Chair-Elect. Dr. Baker nominated Dr. Tarver for the position Chair-Elect. Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Smith, to cease nominations and elect Dr. Tarver to the position of Chair-Elect by acclamation. Motion carried.

Dr. Bishop asked for nominations for the Curriculum Committee Representative to Faculty Senate. Dr. Smith indicated that he could continue to represent the Committee at Faculty Senate meetings. Motion by Mr. Fetters, seconded by Ms. Goodlett, to elect Dr. Smith as Curriculum Committee Representative for Faculty Senate. Motion carried.

Dr. Bishop asked for the order of the agenda to be suspended so that Dr. Vocate could present the proposal from the Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism.

Motion by Dr. Tarver, seconded by Dr. Hoezleman, to allow Dr. Vocate to suspend the order of the agenda. Motion carried.

CURRICULAR
ITEM

Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism

Motion by Dr. Harris, seconded by Dr. Hoelezman, to approve changing the title from SPH 3073, Group Discussion, to SPH 3073, Group Communication, and change the course description. Motion carried.

MEETING
TIME & DATE

Dr. Bishop asked to resume the order of the agenda and discuss the meeting day and time for future meetings. Ms. Rhodes indicated that she had reviewed each Committee member's schedule and concluded that the only common time available was Fridays at 3:00 p.m. The decision was made to hold the next meeting on Friday, October 7, at 3 p.m.

NEW BUSINESS:
CURRICULAR
ITEMS

Intercollegiate Activity Credit

Motion by Dr. Hoezleman, seconded by Mr. Fetters, to approve the request for course credit for intercollegiate sports. After discussion, Dr. Hoezleman withdrew the motion. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Fetters, to recommend that Dr. Kellner use the appropriate course proposal format outlined in the Faculty Handbook for course proposals and clarify the request, working with the appropriate department to submit the proposal with supporting information from how other universities handle intercollegiate credit. Motion carried.

Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy

Motion by Dr. Harris, seconded by Dr. Hoelezman, to approve the addition of a minor in Geography requiring the following: GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; GEOG 2023, Human Geography; and 12 hours of Geography electives with no more than 3 hours in GEOG 4991-4, Special Problems in Geography. Motion carried.

Dr. Tarver requested that an additional curricular item be considered from the Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy. Motion by Mr. Fetters, seconded by Dr. Carter, to consider the additional item. Motion carried. Dr. Tarver distributed copies of the proposal for review. Motion by Mr. Fetters, seconded by Dr. Carter, to approve the proposal to add PHIL 4103, Advanced Logic and PHIL 4093, American Philosophy, to the minor in Philosophy. The catalog should read as follows:

The minor in philosophy requires 18 hours of courses:

PHIL 3103, Logic;

Any two of the following courses: PHIL 2013, Religions of the World; PHIL 3023, Ethics; PHIL 3033, Esthetics; PHIL 3053, Philosophy of Religion; PHIL 3063, Political Philosophy; PHIL 4103, Advanced Logic;

two of the following courses: PHIL 3003, Ancient Philosophy; PHIL 3013, Modern Philosophy; PHIL 3113, Contemporary Philosophy; PHIL 3203, Medieval Philosophy; PHIL 4093, American Philosophy; and

3 hours of any additional philosophy courses.

Students must have a minimum 2.00 grade point in their philosophy courses to be eligible for a philosophy minor.

CURRICULUM PROPOSAL FORMS

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Ms. Helms, to approve the recommendations from Faculty Senate for revision of the curriculum proposal forms with amendment: on form B, change List Departments Consulted to List Department Head or Program Director Consulted with Date. Motion carried. Dr. Tarver suggested the section pertaining to departmental notification be added to form A. After discussion, Dr. Smith made a motion, seconded by Dr. Harris, to add the section List Department Head or Program Directory Consulted with Date to form A. Motion carried.

Motion by Dr. Tarver, seconded by Dr. Baker, to allow the Registrar to return to the departments proposals not following the format for submitting curriculum changes outlined in the Faculty Handbook Motion carried.

REVIEW OF GENERAL EDUCATION GOALS

After discussion of the process for review of general education goals, Dr. Tarver agreed to draft a letter to the department heads requesting departments start the review of the goals.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, October 7, 2005
3:00 p.m., Pendergraft 325

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the September 16, 2005, meeting

II. New Business

A. Curricular Items

1. Department of Art

- a. (1) change the title of ART 2103, Art History I, World; to Art History I; (2) change the title of ART 2113, Art History II, World; to Art History II; (3) add ART 4123, Art History, Medieval, to the course descriptions; and (4) add ART 4723, Art History Seminar, to the course descriptions.

2. Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism

- a. (1) delete SPH 1011, Orientation to Speech Communication Studies; SPH 1021, Listening; and SPH 1031, Parliamentary Procedures; and (2) modify the curriculum in Speech (Speech Communication Option) as follows: delete SPH 1011, Orientation to Speech Communication Studies; and SPH 1021, Listening; and add two hours of SPH Electives.

3. Department of Biological Sciences

- a. (1) change the prerequisite for BIOL 3034, Genetics, from BIOL 1114, Principles of Biology, and MATH 1113, College Algebra, to BIOL 1114, MATH 1113, and two semesters of chemistry classes; (2) add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, to the course descriptions; (3) add FW 3173, Biostatistics, to the course descriptions; (4) change the course number of BIOL 4091, Coastal Ecology, to BIOL 4094; add prerequisites: BIOL 2124, Principles of Zoology, and BIOL 2134, Principles of Botany; modify the course description; and approve the change for implementation by May, 2006;
- b. modify the curriculum in Biology as follows: make FW 3173, Biostatistics, a selection in footnote 2; renumber existing footnote 3 to footnote 4 and add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, to the course selection; and insert new footnote 3 with the following: BIOL 4094, Coastal Ecology, which is offered during May mini-term can serve as an alternative to BIOL 3114, Principles of Ecology, in the Biology major; and
- b. add the title Pre-Dental to the title Curriculum in Pre-Medical.

4. Department of Physical Sciences

- a. delete MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, as a corequisite for PHYS 3213, Modern Physics;

- b. (1) combine CHEM 3341, Biochemistry Laboratory, and CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, into a single course, CHEM 3344, Principles of Biochemistry, and change the course description; (2) modify the Curriculum in Chemistry General Option as follows: change CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, to CHEM 3344, and reduce electives from 4 hours to 3 hours; and (3) modify the Curriculum in Chemistry A.C.S. Option as follows: change CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, to CHEM 3344, and reduce electives from 3 hours to 2 hours;
 - c. modify the Curriculum in the Geology Professional Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (1) delete AMST 2003, American Studies; (2) require GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; (3) delete ENGL 2003, Introduction to World Literature, or PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy; (4) add General Education Humanities 3 hours with footnote 1; and (5) add footnote 4 to GEOL 3124, Invertebrate Paleontology, or Elective;
 - d. modify the Curriculum in Geology Environmental Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (1) delete AMST 2003, American Studies; (2) require GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; (3) delete ENGL 2003, Introduction to World Literature, or PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy; (4) add General Education Humanities 3 hours with footnote 1; and pair together BIOL 3043, Conservation, and Elective upper division;
 - e. modify the Curriculum in Physical Science Physics Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (1) delete MATH 1113, College Algebra; (2) delete MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry; (3) require MATH 1914, Precalculus; (4) reduce Electives from 3 hours to 2 hours; (5) change Electives from 6 hours to 6-3 hours to balance with PHYS 4991-4; (6) change footnote 3 to read: Seven hours of electives must be from physical sciences, biology, engineering, computer sciences; and (7) change footnote 4 to read: Must complete both PHYS 4113 and 3 hours PHYS Electives (PHYS course offered in alternating years);
 - f. modify the Curriculum in Physical Science Nuclear Physics Option as follows: (1) add ELEG, 2103, Electric Circuits I, ELEG 2111, Electric Circuits Laboratory, and ELEG 2113, Electric Circuits II; (2) replace PHYS 4991, Special Problems, with PHYS 4991-4, Special Problems; and (3) adjust Electives accordingly; and
 - g. modify the Curriculum in Pre-Pharmacy as follows: (1) delete BIOL 2124, Principles of Zoology, BIOL 2134, Principles of Botany, MATH 1113, College Algebra, MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry, PHYS 2024, Physical Principles II, ACCT 2003, Accounting Principles I, and (2) add BIOL 1114, Principles of Biology, BIOL 2014, Human Anatomy, MATH 2914, Calculus I, SPH 1003, Introduction to Speech Communication, ECON 2003, Principles of Economics I, and three hours of prescribed electives.
5. Department of Electrical Engineering
- a. (1) add the corequisite MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, to ELEG 2113, Electric Circuits II; and (2) change the title of ELEG 4133, Application-Specific

Integrated Circuit Design, to Advanced Digital Design.

6. Department of Mechanical Engineering
 - a. (1) add MCEG 3042, Metallurgy Laboratory, to the course descriptions; (2) add MCEG 3043, Physical Metallurgy, to the course descriptions; and (3) add MCEG 3991-4, Special Problems in Engineering, to the course descriptions.

III. Adjournment

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Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Ms. Jennifer Helms, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Cathy Baker, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, and Lance Fetters were present. Dr. Lyman Harris and Nicole Goodlett were absent. Dr. Cathy Caldwell, Dr. Donna Vocate, Dr. John Jackson, Dr. Tsunemi Yamashita, Dr. Bruce Tedford, Dr. Jeff Robertson, Dr. John Krohn, and Dr. Ron Nelson, were guests.

**CALL TO
ORDER**

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order. The final draft of Minutes from the September 16, 2005, meeting was not available to approve.

**NEW BUSINESS:
CURRICULAR
ITEMS**

Department of Art

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the following proposal as follows: (1) change the title of ART 2103, Art History I, World; to Art History I; and modify the course description; (2) change the title of ART 2113, Art History II, World; to Art History II; (3) add ART 4123, Art History, Medieval, to the course descriptions; and (4) add ART 4723, Art History Seminar, to the course descriptions. Motion carried.

Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson to approve the following proposal as follows: (1) delete SPH 1011, Orientation to Speech Communication Studies; SPH 1021, Listening; and SPH 1031, Parliamentary Procedures; and (2) modify the curriculum in Speech (Speech Communication Option) as follows: delete SPH 1011, Orientation to Speech Communication Studies; and SPH 1021, Listening; and add two hours of SPH Electives. Motion carried.

Department of Biological Sciences

Motion by Dr. Baker, seconded by Dr. Carter, to approve the following proposals as follows:

(1a) change the prerequisite for BIOL 3034, Genetics, from BIOL 1114, Principles of Biology, or equivalent, and MATH 1113, College Algebra, or higher, to BIOL 1114, or equivalent, MATH 1113, or higher, and two semesters of chemistry classes; (1b) add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, to the course descriptions; (1c) add FW 3173, Biostatistics, to the course descriptions; (1d) change the course number of BIOL 4091, Coastal Ecology, to BIOL 4094; add prerequisites: BIOL 2124, Principles of Zoology, and BIOL 2134, Principles of Botany; modify the course description; and approve the change for implementation by May, 2006; (2) modify the curriculum in Biology as follows: make FW 3173, Biostatistics, a selection in footnote 2; renumber existing footnote 3 to footnote 4 and add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, to the course selection; and insert new footnote 3 with the following: BIOL 4094, Coastal Ecology, which is offered during May mini-term can serve as an alternative to BIOL 3114, Principles of Ecology, in the Biology major; and (3) add the title Pre-Dental to the title Curriculum in Pre-Medical.
Motion carried.

Department of Physical Sciences

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Tarver, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) delete MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, as a corequisite for PHYS 3213, Modern Physics; (2a) combine CHEM 3341, Biochemistry Laboratory, and CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, into a single course, CHEM 3344, Principles of Biochemistry, and change the course description; (2b) modify the Curriculum in Chemistry General Option as follows: change CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, to CHEM 3344, and reduce electives from 4 hours to 3 hours; and (2c) modify the Curriculum in Chemistry A.C.S. Option as follows: change CHEM 3343, Principles of Biochemistry, to CHEM 3344, and reduce electives from 3 hours to 2 hours; (3) modify the Curriculum in the Geology Professional Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (3a) delete AMST 2003, American Studies; (3b) require GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; (3c) delete ENGL 2003, Introduction to World Literature, or PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy; (3d) add General Education Humanities 3 hours with footnote 1; and (3e) add footnote 4 to GEOL 3124, Invertebrate Paleontology, or Elective; (4) modify the Curriculum in Geology Environmental Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (4a) delete AMST 2003, American Studies; (4b) require GEOG 2013, Regional Geography of the World; (4c) delete ENGL 2003, Introduction to World Literature, or PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy; (4d) add General Education Humanities 3 hours with footnote 1; and pair together BIOL 3043, Conservation, and Elective upper division; (5) modify the Curriculum in Physical Science Physics Option (as shown in the 2005 Freshman Catalog Supplement) as follows: (5a) delete MATH 1113, College Algebra; (5b) delete MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry; (5c) require MATH 1914, Precalculus; (5d) reduce Electives from 3 hours to 2 hours; (5e) change Electives from 6 hours to 6-3 hours to balance with PHYS 4991-4; (5f) change footnote 3 to read: Seven hours of electives must be from physical sciences, biology, engineering, computer sciences; and (5g) change footnote 4 to read: Must complete

both PHYS 4113 and 3 hours PHYS Electives (PHYS course offered in alternating years);

(6) modify the Curriculum in Physical Science Nuclear Physics Option as follows: (6a) add ELEG, 2103, Electric Circuits I, ELEG 2111, Electric Circuits Laboratory, and ELEG 2113, Electric Circuits II; (6b) replace PHYS 4991, Special Problems, with PHYS 4991-4, Special Problems; and (6c) adjust Electives accordingly; and

(7) modify the Curriculum in Pre-Pharmacy as follows: (7a) delete BIOL 2124, Principles of Zoology, BIOL 2134, Principles of Botany, MATH 1113, College Algebra, MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry, PHYS 2024, Physical Principles II, ACCT 2003, Accounting Principles I, and (7b) add BIOL 1114, Principles of Biology, BIOL 2014, Human Anatomy, MATH 2914, Calculus I, SPH 1003, Introduction to Speech Communication, ECON 2003, Principles of Economics I, and three hours of prescribed electives.

Dr. Robertson was asked to notify the Department of Business and Economics and the Department of Speech, Theatre, and Journalism of the new requirements. Motion by Dr. Tarver, seconded by Dr. Smith, to table the proposal requesting modification of the Curriculum in Pre-Pharmacy. Motion carried. Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Tarver, to approve the remainder of the proposals presented by the Department of Physical Sciences. Motion carried.

Department of Electrical Engineering

Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the proposal as follows: (1) add the corequisite MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, to ELEG 2113, Electric Circuits II; and (2) change the title of ELEG 4133, Application-Specific Integrated Circuit Design, to Advanced Digital Design. Motion carried.

Department of Mechanical Engineering

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposal as follows: (1) add MCEG 3042, Metallurgy Laboratory, to the course descriptions; (2) add MCEG 3043, Physical Metallurgy, to the course descriptions; and (3) add MCEG 3991-4, Special Problems in Engineering, to the course descriptions. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, October 28, 2005
Pendergraft 325

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the September 16, 2005, meetings

II. Old Business

- A. Tabled Proposal from Department of Physical Sciences

III. New Business

- A. Curricular Items

1. Department of Curriculum and Instruction

- a. add MLED 4023/5023, Teaching the Young Adolescent, to the course descriptions;
- b. add MLED 4033/5033, Young Adolescent Growth and Development, to the course descriptions;
- c. add MLED 4043/5043, Diversity in the Middle Level Classroom; and
- d. (1) change MLED 2002, Introduction to Education, to MLED 2003; (2) modify the Curriculum in Middle Level Education (Curriculum in Mathematics and Science Licensure) as follows: change MLED 2002, Introduction to Education, to MLED 2003, and delete one hour of elective; and (3) modify the Curriculum in Middle Level Education (Curriculum in English Language Arts/Social Studies Licensure) as follows: change MLED 2002, Introduction to Education, to MLED 2003, and delete one hour of elective.

2. Department of Health and Physical Education

- a. add PE 1301, Beginning Ballet I, to the course descriptions;
- b. add PE 1311, Beginning Ballet II, to the course descriptions;
- c. add PE 1321, Intermediate Ballet I, to the course descriptions;
- d. add PE 1331, Intermediate Ballet II, to the course descriptions;
- e. add PE 1341, Intermediate Ballet III, to the course descriptions;
- f. add PE 1351, Intermediate Ballet IV, to the course descriptions;
- g. add PE 1361, Advanced Ballet I, to the course descriptions; and
- h. add PE 1371, Advanced Ballet II, to the course descriptions.

3. Department of Foreign Languages and International Studies

- a. add FR/GER/SPAN 4003, Oral Communication, to the course descriptions; and
- b. (1) modify the catalog description on page 147, of the 2005-06 catalog, by the heading of Foreign Languages, as follows: change *requires 34 hours in a foreign language* to *requires 38 hours in a foreign language*; and (2) modify prerequisites

as follows:

(2a) SPAN 3003, Conversation and Composition I, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 2024 or permission of instructor;

(2b) SPAN 3013, Conversation and Composition II, change prerequisite from SPAN 3003 or equivalent to SPAN 3003 or permission of instructor;

(2c) SPAN 3113, Business Spanish, add prerequisite SPAN 3003 or permission of instructor;

(2d) SPAN 3123, Spanish Civilization and Culture, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2e) SPAN 3133, Spanish-American Civilization and Culture, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2f) SPAN 3213, Advanced Grammar and Usage, change prerequisite from: SPAN 3013 to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2g) SPAN 3223, Short Story, change prerequisite from SPAN 3013 to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2h) SPAN 4003, Oral Communications, add prerequisite SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2i) SPAN 4213, Spanish Literature, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3223 or permission of instructor;

(2j) SPAN 4223, Spanish-American Literature, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3223 or permission of instructor;

(2k) FR/GER 3003, Conversation and Composition I, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 2024 or permission of instructor;

(2l) FR/GER 3013, Conversation and Composition II, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3003 or equivalent to FR/GER 3003 or permission of instructor;

(2m) FR/GER 3113, Culture and Civilization, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2n) FR/GER 3213, Advanced Grammar and Usage, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3013 to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2o) FR/GER 3223, Short Story, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3013 to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2p) FR/GER 4003, Oral Communication, add prerequisite FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;

(2q) FR/GER 4213, French Literature to 1800/German Literature to 1832, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3223 or permission of instructor; and

(2r) FR/GER 4223, French Literature since 1800/German Literature since 1832, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3223 or permission of instructor.

4. Department of Music

- a. modify the course description for MUS 3702, Music Educational Technology.

5. Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy

- a. add HIST 2153, Introduction to Arkansas History, to the course descriptions;
- b. change the title for HIST 3033, The Age of Jefferson and Jackson, 1789-1840, to The Early American Republic;
- c. add HIST to the cross listing for ANTH/MUSM 4403, Interpretation/Education through Museum Methods;
- d. change the title for HIST 4483/5483, Economic History of Europe, to World Economic History, and modify the course description; and
- e. modify the course description for HIST 4713, Social Studies Methods for Secondary Teachers.

6. Department of Physical Sciences

- a. remove corequisite MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, from PHYS 3213, Modern Physics; and
- b. modify the Curriculum in Physical Science and Earth Science for Teacher Licensure as follows: delete MATH 1113, College Algebra; add MATH 1914, Precalculus; and delete one hour of PE Activity.

6. Department of Computer and Information Science

- a. change the title for COMS 1403, Computer and Information Science Orientation, to Orientation to Computing, Information, and Technology, and modify the course description;
- b. modify the course description for COMS 2333, Web Publishing II;
- c. add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory, to the course descriptions;
- d. modify the course description for COMS 2703, Computer Networks and Architecture;
- e. add COMS 2733, Introduction to Computer Forensics and Security, to the course descriptions;
- f. add COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors, to the course descriptions;
- g. add COMS 3523, Human Factors in Information Technology, to the course descriptions;
- h. add COMS 4063, IT Project Administration, to the course descriptions;
- i. add COMS 4213, Database Administration, to the course descriptions;
- j. add COMS 4313, Web Server Administration, to the course descriptions;
- k. add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory, to the course descriptions;
- l. add COMS 4713, Heterogeneous Networks, to the course descriptions;
- m. (1) remove COMS 2213, Data Structures, as a prerequisite for COMS 3903, Systems Software and Architecture; (2) replace COMS 2213, Data Structures, with COMS 2203, Foundations of Computer Programming II, as a prerequisite for COMS 4203, Database Concepts; (3) add COMS 2213, Data Structures, as a prerequisite for COMS 4303, Client/Server Systems; (4) add COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors, as a prerequisite for COMS 2213, Data Structures, COMS 4703, Data Communication and Networks, and COMS 4203,

Database Concepts; and (5) replace COMS 2104, Foundations of Computer Programming I, with “Passed COMS 2104 with a C or better” as a prerequisite for COMS 2203, Foundations of Computer Programming II; and

- n. (1) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory, as a corequisite for COMS 2703, Computer Networks and Architecture; and (2) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory, as a corequisite for COMS 4703, Data Communications and Networks, and COMS 4713, Heterogeneous Networks;
- o. add the Bachelor of Science Curriculum in Information Technology;
- p. modify the Curriculum in Computer Science as follows: (1) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory; (2) replace MATH 2703, Discrete Mathematics, with COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors; and (3) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory; and
- q. modify the Curriculum in Information Systems as follows: (1) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory; (2) replace MATH 2703, Discrete Mathematics, with COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors; and (3) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory.

7. Department of Mathematics

- a. (1) delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and MATH 4163 Mathematical Modeling II, from the course descriptions; and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling to the course descriptions;
(2) modify the Curriculum in Mathematics Education as follows: delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling; and
(3) modify the Curriculum in Mathematics: delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling

8. Department of Military Science

- a. add MS 4013, United States Military History, to the course descriptions;
- b. add MS 4903, Advanced Officership I, to the course descriptions; and
- c. add MS 4913, Advanced Officership II, to the course descriptions.

IV. Adjournment

**Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University**

The Curriculum Committee met in Pendergraft, Room 325, on Friday, October 28, 2005, at 3 p.m. The following members were present:

Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Ms. Jennifer Helms, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Cathy Baker, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, and Dr. Lyman Harris were present. Dr. Glen Bishop, Mr. Lance Fetters, and Ms. Nicole Goodlett were absent. Dr. Jeff Robertson, Dr. Don Carnahan, Dr. Larry Morell, Mr. Rick Massengale, Mr. Ron Robinson, Dr. David Bell, Dr. Glenn Sheets, Ms. Denise Sery, and Dr. Deborah Barber were guests.

**CALL TO
ORDER**

As Chair Elect, Dr. Tarver called the meeting to order in Dr. Bishop's absence. Dr. Tarver asked for approval of the Minutes from the September 16, 2005. Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the minutes with corrections. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to allow consideration of the tabled proposal from the Department of Physical Sciences. Motion carried.

Department of Physical Sciences

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Carter, to approve the modification of the Curriculum in Pre-Pharmacy. Motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS:
CURRICULAR
ITEMS**

Department of Curriculum and Instruction

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) add MLED 4023/5023, Teaching the Young Adolescent, to the course descriptions; (2) add MLED 4033/5033, Young Adolescent Growth and Development, to the course descriptions; (3) add MLED 4043/5043, Diversity in the Middle Level Classroom; and (4a) change MLED 2002, Introduction to Education, to MLED 2003; (4b) modify the Curriculum in Middle Level Education (Curriculum in Mathematics and Science Licensure) as follows: change MLED 2002, Introduction to

Education, to MLED 2003, and delete one hour of elective; and (4c) modify the Curriculum in Middle Level Education (Curriculum in English Language Arts/Social Studies Licensure) as follows: change MLED 2002, Introduction to Education, to MLED 2003, and delete one hour of elective. Motion carried.

Department of Health and Physical Education

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) add PE 1301, Beginning Ballet I, to the course descriptions; (2) add PE 1311, Beginning Ballet II, to the course descriptions; (3) add PE 1321, Intermediate Ballet I, to the course descriptions; (4) add PE 1331, Intermediate Ballet II, to the course descriptions; (5) add PE 1341, Intermediate Ballet III, to the course descriptions; (6) add PE 1351, Intermediate Ballet IV, to the course descriptions; (7) add PE 1361, Advanced Ballet I, to the course descriptions; and (8) add PE 1371, Advanced Ballet II, to the course descriptions. Motion carried.

Department of Foreign Languages and International Studies

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Baker, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) add FR/GER/SPAN 4003, Oral Communication, to the course descriptions; and modify the catalog description on page 147, of the 2005-06 catalog, by the heading of Foreign Languages, as follows: change *requires 34 hours in a foreign language* to *requires 38 hours in a foreign language*; and (2) modify prerequisites as follows: (2a) SPAN 3003, Conversation and Composition I, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 2024 or permission of instructor; (2b) SPAN 3013, Conversation and Composition II, change prerequisite from SPAN 3003 or equivalent to SPAN 3003 or permission of instructor; (2c) SPAN 3113, Business Spanish, add prerequisite SPAN 3003 or permission of instructor; (2d) SPAN 3123, Spanish Civilization and Culture, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor; (2e) SPAN 3133, Spanish-American Civilization and Culture, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor; (2f) SPAN 3213, Advanced Grammar and Usage, change prerequisite from: SPAN 3013 to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor; (2g) SPAN 3223, Short Story, change prerequisite from SPAN 3013 to SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor; (2h) SPAN 4003, Oral Communications, add prerequisite SPAN 3013 or permission of instructor; (2i) SPAN 4213, Spanish Literature, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3223 or permission of instructor; (2j) SPAN 4223, Spanish-American Literature, change prerequisite from SPAN 2024 or equivalent to SPAN 3223 or permission of instructor; (2k) FR/GER 3003, Conversation and Composition I, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 2024 or permission of instructor; (2l) FR/GER 3013, Conversation and Composition II, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3003 or equivalent to FR/GER 3003 or permission of instructor;

(2m) FR/GER 3113, Culture and Civilization, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;
(2n) FR/GER 3213, Advanced Grammar and Usage, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3013 to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;
(2o) FR/GER 3223, Short Story, change prerequisite from FR/GER 3013 to FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;
(2p) FR/GER 4003, Oral Communication, add prerequisite FR/GER 3013 or permission of instructor;
(2q) FR/GER 4213, French Literature to 1800/German Literature to 1832, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3223 or permission of instructor; and
(2r) FR/GER 4223, French Literature since 1800/German Literature since 1832, change prerequisite from FR/GER 2024 or equivalent to FR/GER 3223 or permission of instructor. Motion carried.

Department of Music

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposals as follows: modify the course description for MUS 3702, Music Educational Technology. Motion carried.

Department of Social Sciences and Philosophy

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) add HIST 2153, Introduction to Arkansas History, to the course descriptions; (2) change the title for HIST 3033, The Age of Jefferson and Jackson, 1789-1840, to The Early American Republic; (3) add HIST to the cross listing for ANTH/MUSM 4403, Interpretation/Education through Museum Methods; (4) change the title for HIST 4483/5483, Economic History of Europe, to World Economic History, and modify the course description; and (5) modify the course description for HIST 4713, Social Studies Methods for Secondary Teachers. Motion carried.

Department of Physical Sciences

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Baker, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) remove corequisite MATH 3243, Differential Equations I, from PHYS 3213, Modern Physics; and (2) modify the Curriculum in Physical Science and Earth Science for Teacher Licensure as follows: delete MATH 1113, College Algebra; add MATH 1914, Precalculus; and delete one hour of PE Activity. Motion carried.

Department of Computer and Information Science

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Hoelzeman, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) change the title for COMS 1403, Computer and Information Science Orientation, to Orientation to Computing, Information, and Technology, and modify the course description; (2) modify the course description for COMS 2333, Web Publishing II; (3) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory, to the course descriptions; (4) modify the course description for COMS 2703, Computer

Networks and Architecture; (5) add COMS 2733, Introduction to Computer Forensics and Security, to the course descriptions; (6) add COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors, to the course descriptions; (7) add COMS 3523, Human Factors in Information Technology, to the course descriptions; (8) add COMS 4063, IT Project Administration, to the course descriptions; (9) add COMS 4213, Database Administration, to the course descriptions; (10) add COMS 4313, Web Server Administration, to the course descriptions; (11) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory, to the course descriptions; (12) add COMS 4713, Heterogeneous Networks, to the course descriptions; (13a) remove COMS 2213, Data Structures, as a prerequisite for COMS 3903, Systems Software and Architecture; (13b) replace COMS 2213, Data Structures, with COMS 2203, Foundations of Computer Programming II, as a prerequisite for COMS 4203, Database Concepts; (13c) add COMS 2213, Data Structures, as a prerequisite for COMS 4303, Client/Server Systems; (13d) add COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors, as a prerequisite for COMS 2213, Data Structures, COMS 4703, Data Communication and Networks, and COMS 4203, Database Concepts; and (13e) replace COMS 2104, Foundations of Computer Programming I, with “Passed COMS 2104 with a C or better” as a prerequisite for COMS 2203, Foundations of Computer Programming II; (14a) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory, as a corequisite for COMS 2703, Computer Networks and Architecture; and (14b) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory, as a corequisite for COMS 4703, Data Communications and Networks, and COMS 4713, Heterogeneous Networks; (15) add the Bachelor of Science Curriculum in Information Technology; (16) modify the Curriculum in Computer Science as follows: (16a) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory; (16b) replace MATH 2703, Discrete Mathematics, with COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors; and (16c) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory; and (17) modify the Curriculum in Information Systems as follows: (17a) add COMS 2700, Networking and Architecture Laboratory; (17b) replace MATH 2703, Discrete Mathematics, with COMS 2903, Discrete Structures for Technical Majors; and (17c) add COMS 4700, Networking Laboratory. Motion carried.

Department of Mathematics

Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Ms. Helms, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and MATH 4163 Mathematical Modeling II, from the course descriptions; and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling to the course descriptions; (2) modify the Curriculum in Mathematics Education as follows: delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling; and (3) modify the Curriculum in Mathematics: delete MATH 3163, Mathematical Modeling I, and add MATH 4123, Mathematical Modeling. Motion carried.

Department of Military Science

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Hoelzeman, to approve the proposals as follows: (1) add MS 4013, United States Military History, to the course descriptions; (2) add MS 4903, Advanced Officership I, to the course descriptions; and (3) add MS 4913, Advanced Officership II, to the course descriptions. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, November 18, 2005
Pendergraft 325

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the October 7, 2005, and October 28, 2005, meetings

II. New Business

1. Department of Accounting

- a. add ACCT 3023, Accounting Information Systems, to the course descriptions.

2. Department of Business and Economics

- a. change the title of MGMT 3103, Production Management, to Operations Management; change the prerequisite from *COMS 1003, Introduction to Computer Based Systems, or BUAD 2003, Business Information Systems, and BUAD 2053, Business Statistics, and MGMT 3003, Management and Organizational Behavior*, to *MGMT 2013, Management Productivity Tools, BUAD 2053, Business Statistics, and MGMT 3003, Management and Organizational Behavior*; and modify the course description; and
- b. add MGMT 2013, Management Productivity Tools, as a prerequisite for MGMT 4013, Management Information Systems.

3. Department of Music

- a. move the listing in the course descriptions from the Music section to the Musical Performance section for MUS 1601/3601, Orchestral Repertoire, and modify the course description.

4. Department of Biological Sciences

- a. modify the Curriculum in Fisheries and Wildlife Biology as follows: (1) add FW 3173, Biostatistics, as an upper-division mathematics alternative; and (2) add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, as a physiology alternative; and

5. Department of Nursing

- a. (1) change the course number for NUR 3502, Nursing Skills II, to 3513; (2) modify the Curriculum in Nursing as follows: (a) change NUR 3502, Nursing Skills II, to NUR 3513; and (b) reduce the upper division Nursing Electives by one hour.

6. Department of Agriculture

- a. add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business, to the course descriptions;
- b. add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture, to the course descriptions;
- c. modify the course description for AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance;
- d. add AGBU 4053, Agricultural Price Analysis, to the course descriptions;
- e. add AGBU 4063, Agricultural Investments, to the course descriptions;
- f. change the course number of AGSS 2013, Soils, to AGSS 2014; add two hours of laboratory; and modify the course description;
- g. change the title of AGPS 1003, Field Crops, to Principles of Crop Science; and modify the course description;
- h. change the number and title of AGPS 1023, General Horticulture, to AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; add two hours of laboratory, and modify the course description accordingly;
- i. change the course numbers as follows for the indicated courses, add two hours of laboratory to each, and modify the course descriptions accordingly: (1) AGAS 1013, Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014; (2) AGAS 3003, Reproduction in Farm Animals, to AGAS 3004; (3) AGAS 3013, Beef Cattle Management, to AGAS 3014; (4) AGAS 3103, Swine Management, to AGAS 3104; (5) AGPS 3023, Forage Crops and Pasture Management, to AGPS 3024; (6) AGPS 3043, Plant Propagation, to AGPS 3044; (7) AGPS 3063, Vegetable Growing, to AGPS 3064; and (8) AGPS 3073, Floriculture, to AGPS 3074;
- j. (1) Agricultural Animal Science courses: prerequisite changes for AGAS 2083, Feed and Feeding, AGAS 3004, Reproduction in Farm Animals, AGAS 3014, Beef Cattle Management, AGAS 3104, Swine Management, and AGAS 3113, Light Horse Production from AGAS 1013 (old number) to AGAS 1014 (new number); (2) Agricultural Business and Economics courses: addition of prerequisite of AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business, to AGBU 2063, Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics, AGBU 2073, Principles of Agricultural Microeconomics, and AGBU 4003, Agri-Business Management; and change the course description of AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (3) Agricultural Engineering/Mechanization courses: prerequisite change for AGEG 3413, Agricultural Waste Management, from AGSS 2013 (old number) to AGSS 2014 (new number); (4) Agricultural Plant Science courses: add AGPS 1003, Principles of Crop Science, as a prerequisite for AGPS 3024, Forage Crops and Pasture Management; and add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture, as a prerequisite for AGPS 3044, Plant Propagation, AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control, AGPS 3064, Vegetable Growing, AGPS 3074, Floriculture, AGPS 3083, Small Fruit and Nut Culture, AGPS 3093, Greenhouse Operation and Management, and AGPS 4103, Crop and Garden Insects; (5) Agricultural Soil Science courses: prerequisite change for AGSS 3033, Soil Fertility, from AGSS 2013 (old number) to AGSS 2014 (new number). (Note: all other changes indicated are covered in previous proposals.)
- k. modify the Curriculum in Agricultural Business as follows: (1) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (2) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (3) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (4) add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; (4) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (5) delete AGAS 2083, Feeds and Feeding; (6) AGBU 3133, Intermediate

Agricultural Macroeconomics; (7) delete 3 hours of Agricultural Electives; (8) delete 3 hours of Electives; (9) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number); and (10) change AGSS 2013 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number);

- l. modify the Curriculum in Agriculture Business (Horticulture Business Option) as follows: (1) add AGAS 1014, Principles of Animal Science; (2) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (3) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (4) add AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (5) AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (6) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (7) delete AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control; (8) delete 12 hours of Agricultural Electives; (9) delete 2 hours of Electives; (10) change AGPS 1023 (old number), Principles of Horticulture, to AGPS 1024 (new number); (11) change AGPS 3043 (old number), Plant Propagation, to AGPS 3044 (new number); (12) change AGPS 3063 (old number), Vegetable Growing, to AGPS 3064 (new number); and (13) change AGSS 2013 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number);
- m. modify the Curriculum in Agricultural Business (Animal Science Option) as follows: (1) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (2) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (3) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (4) add AGEG 3413, Agricultural Waste Management; (5) add AGPS 1003, Principles of Crop Science; (6) add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; (7) add AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (8) add CHEM 1114, A Survey of Chemistry; (9) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (10) delete AGAS 1011, Principles of Animal Science Laboratory; (11) delete AGAS 3113, Light Horse Production; (12) delete 3 hours of Poultry Science; (13) delete BIOL 3054, Microbiology; (14) delete CHEM 2124, General Chemistry I; (15) delete CHEM 2134, General Chemistry II; (16) delete 10 hours of electives; (17) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number); (18) change AGAS 3003 (old number), Reproduction in Farm Animals, to AGAS 3004 (new number); (19) change AGAS 3013 (old number), Beef Cattle Management, to AGAS 3014 (new number); (20) change AGAS 3103 (old number), Swine Management, to AGAS 3104 (new number); and (21) change AGSS 2103 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number); and
- n. change the title for the Curriculum in Pre-Veterinary Medicine to Curriculum in Agriculture Business (Pre-Veterinary Medicine Option) and modify the curriculum as follows: (1) add ACCT 2003, Principles of Accounting I; (2) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (3) add AGBU 2063, Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics; (4) add AGBU 2073, Principles of Agricultural Microeconomics; (5) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (6) add AGBU 4003, Agri-Business Management; (7) add AGBU 4013, Agricultural Marketing; (8) add AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (9) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (10) add AGEG 3413, Agricultural Waste Management; (11) add AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (12) add BUAD 2033, Legal Environment of Business; (13) add 3 hours of fine arts; (14) add MATH 2163, Introduction to Statistical Methods; (15) add 2 hours of Physical Activity; (16) add 6 hours of social sciences; (17) delete the 3 hour Animal or Poultry Science Elective; (18) delete AHS 2013, Medical Terminology; (19) delete BIOL 4054, Vertebrate

Histology; (20) delete 3 hours electives; (21) delete MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry; and (22) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number).

7. Department of Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration
 - a. modify the course description for RP 3093, Interpretive Methods;
 - b. add RP 3503, Recreational Sport Management, to the course descriptions;
 - c. change the title for RP 3993, Advanced Firefighting-Wildland/Urban Interface, to Wildland Fire Practices in Natural Resource Management, and modify the course description;
 - d. modify the course description for RP/HA 4001, Internship Preparation;
 - e. modify the course description for HA 4063, Beverage Management;
 - f. modify the course description for HA 4073, Hospitality Financial Analysis;
 - g. modify the course description for RP/HA 4116, Internship;
 - h. (1) delete RP/HA 1001, Orientation to Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration from the course descriptions and affected curricula; and (2) add one hour of elective to the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Recreation Administration Emphasis, Therapeutic Recreation Emphasis, Park Administration Emphasis, Turf Management Emphasis, and Interpretation Emphasis and the Curriculum in Hospitality Administration;
 - i. modify the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Turf Management Emphasis as follows: (1) delete RP 1001, Orientation to Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration; (2) delete AGSS 2013, Soils; (3) delete AGPS 1023, General Horticulture; (4) delete LBMD 2001, Introduction to Library Resources; (5) delete CHEM 2143, Environmental Chemistry; (6) delete RP 3053, Natural Resources Management and Planning; (7) delete HA 4023, Hospitality Facilities Management and Design; (8) delete RP 4093, Resort Management; (9) delete one hour of approved electives; (10) add AGE 3003, Solving Agricultural Problems; (11) AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control; (12) AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (13) AGSS 3033, Soil Fertility; (14) AGPS 1024, General Horticulture; and (15) AGSS 2014, Soils; and
 - j. modify the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Recreation Administration Emphasis as follows: (1) add RP 3503, Recreational Sport Management; and (2) delete 3 hours of approved electives.

III. Review of General Education Goals

IV. Adjournment

**Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University**

The Curriculum Committee met in Pendergraft, Room 325, on Friday, November 18, 2005, at 3 p.m. The following members were present: Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, Dr. Lyman Harris, and Mr. Lance Fetters. Dr. Cathy Baker, Ms. Jennifer Helms, and Ms. Nicole Goodlett were absent. Dr. Pam Carr, Dr. Williams Hoefler, Dr. Tim Howe, Dr. Joe Stoeckel, Dr. Rebecca Burris, and Dr. Molly Brant were guests.

**CALL TO
ORDER**

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order and asked for approval of the Minutes from the October 7, 2005 and October 28, 2005. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the minutes with corrections. Motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS:
CURRICULAR
ITEMS**

Department of Accounting

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Mr. Fetters, to approve the proposal as follows: add ACCT 3023, Accounting Information Systems, to the course descriptions. Motion carried.

Department of Business and Economics

Motion by Dr. Hoelzeman, seconded by Dr. Wilson to approve the proposals as follows: (a) change the title of MGMT 3103, Production Management, to Operations Management; change the prerequisite from *COMS 1003, Introduction to Computer Based Systems, or BUAD 2003, Business Information Systems, and BUAD 2053, Business Statistics, and MGMT 3003, Management and Organizational Behavior*, to *MGMT 2013, Management Productivity Tools, BUAD 2053, Business Statistics, and MGMT 3003, Management and Organizational Behavior*; and modify the course description; and (b) add MGMT 2013, Management Productivity Tools, as a prerequisite for MGMT 4013, Management Information Systems. Motion carried.

Department of Music

Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the proposal as follows: move the listing in the course descriptions from the Music section to the Musical Performance section for MUS 1601/3601, Orchestral Repertoire, and modify the course description. Motion carried.

Department of Biological Sciences

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the proposal as follows: modify the Curriculum in Fisheries and Wildlife Biology as follows: add FW 3173, Biostatistics, as an upper-division mathematics alternative; and add BIOL 3174, Physiological Ecology, as a physiology alternative. Motion carried.

Department of Nursing

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the proposals as follows: (a) change the course number for NUR 3502, Nursing Skills II, to 3513; and (b) modify the Curriculum in Nursing as follows: change NUR 3502, Nursing Skills II, to NUR 3513; and reduce the upper division Nursing Electives by one hour. Motion carried.

Department of Agriculture

Motion by Dr. Carter, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the proposals as follows:

- (a) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business, to the course descriptions;
- (b) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture, to the course descriptions;
- (c) modify the course description for AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance;
- (d) add AGBU 4053, Agricultural Price Analysis, to the course descriptions;
- (e) add AGBU 4063, Agricultural Investments, to the course descriptions;
- (f) change the course number of AGSS 2013, Soils, to AGSS 2014; add two hours of laboratory; and modify the course description;
- (g) change the title of AGPS 1003, Field Crops, to Principles of Crop Science; and modify the course description;
- (h) change the number and title of AGPS 1023, General Horticulture, to AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; add two hours of laboratory, and modify the course description accordingly;
- (i) change the course numbers as follows for the indicated courses, add two hours of laboratory to each, and modify the course descriptions accordingly: (1) AGAS 1013, Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014; (2) AGAS 3003, Reproduction in Farm Animals, to AGAS 3004; (3) AGAS 3013, Beef Cattle Management, to AGAS 3014; (4) AGAS 3103, Swine Management, to AGAS 3104; (5) AGPS 3023, Forage Crops and Pasture Management, to AGPS 3024; (6) AGPS 3043, Plant Propagation, to AGPS 3044; (7) AGPS 3063, Vegetable Growing, to AGPS 3064; and (8) AGPS 3073, Floriculture, to AGPS 3074;
- (j) (1) Agricultural Animal Science courses: prerequisite changes for AGAS 2083, Feed and Feeding, AGAS 3004, Reproduction in Farm Animals, AGAS 3014, Beef Cattle Management, AGAS 3104, Swine Management, and AGAS 3113, Light Horse Production from AGAS 1013 (old number) to AGAS 1014 (new number); (2) Agricultural Business and Economics courses: addition of prerequisite of AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business, to AGBU 2063, Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics, AGBU 2073, Principles of Agricultural Microeconomics, and AGBU 4003, Agri-Business Management; and change the course description of AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (3)

Agricultural Engineering/Mechanization courses: prerequisite change for AGEG 3413, Agricultural Waste Management, from AGSS 2013 (old number) to AGSS 2014 (new number); (4) Agricultural Plant Science courses: add AGPS 1003, Principles of Crop Science, as a prerequisite for AGPS 3024, Forage Crops and Pasture Management; and add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture, as a prerequisite for AGPS 3044, Plant Propagation, AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control, AGPS 3064, Vegetable Growing, AGPS 3074, Floriculture, AGPS 3083, Small Fruit and Nut Culture, AGPS 3093, Greenhouse Operation and Management, and AGPS 4103, Crop and Garden Insects; (5) Agricultural Soil Science courses: prerequisite change for AGSS 3033, Soil Fertility, from AGSS 2013 (old number) to AGSS 2014 (new number). (Note: all other changes indicated are covered in previous proposals.)

- (k) modify the Curriculum in Agricultural Business as follows: (1) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (2) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (3) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (4) add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; (4) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (5) delete AGAS 2083, Feeds and Feeding; (6) AGBU 3133, Intermediate Agricultural Macroeconomics; (7) delete 3 hours of Agricultural Electives; (8) delete 3 hours of Electives; (9) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number); and (10) change AGSS 2013 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number);
- (l) modify the Curriculum in Agriculture Business (Horticulture Business Option) as follows: (1) add AGAS 1014, Principles of Animal Science; (2) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (3) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (4) add AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (5) AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (6) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (7) delete AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control; (8) delete 12 hours of Agricultural Electives; (9) delete 2 hours of Electives; (10) change AGPS 1023 (old number), Principles of Horticulture, to AGPS 1024 (new number); (11) change AGPS 3043 (old number), Plant Propagation, to AGPS 3044 (new number); (12) change AGPS 3063 (old number), Vegetable Growing, to AGPS 3064 (new number); and (13) change AGSS 2013 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number);
- (m) modify the Curriculum in Agricultural Business (Animal Science Option) as follows: (1) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (2) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (3) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (4) add AGEG 3413, Agricultural Waste Management; (5) add AGPS 1003, Principles of Crop Science; (6) add AGPS 1024, Principles of Horticulture; (7) add AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (8) add CHEM 1114, A Survey of Chemistry; (9) delete ACCT 2013, Accounting Principles II; (10) delete AGAS 1011, Principles of Animal Science Laboratory; (11) delete AGAS 3113, Light Horse Production; (12) delete 3 hours of Poultry Science; (13) delete BIOL 3054, Microbiology; (14) delete CHEM 2124, General Chemistry I; (15) delete CHEM 2134, General Chemistry II; (16) delete 10 hours of electives; (17) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number); (18) change AGAS 3003 (old number), Reproduction in Farm Animals, to AGAS 3004 (new number); (19) change AGAS 3013 (old number), Beef Cattle Management, to AGAS 3014 (new number); (20) change AGAS 3103 (old

number), Swine Management, to AGAS 3104 (new number); and (21) change AGSS 2103 (old number), Soils, to AGSS 2014 (new number); and

(n) change the title for the Curriculum in Pre-Veterinary Medicine to Curriculum in Agriculture Business (Pre-Veterinary Medicine Option) and modify the curriculum as follows: (1) add ACCT 2003, Principles of Accounting I; (2) add AGBU 1013, Principles of Agricultural Business; (3) add AGBU 2063, Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics; (4) add AGBU 2073, Principles of Agricultural Microeconomics; (5) add AGBU 3213, Career Development in Agriculture; (6) add AGBU 4003, Agri-Business Management; (7) add AGBU 4013, Agricultural Marketing; (8) add AGBU 4023, Agricultural Finance; (9) add AGBU 4033, Agricultural Policy; (10) add AGE 3413, Agricultural Waste Management; (11) add AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (12) add BUAD 2033, Legal Environment of Business; (13) add 3 hours of fine arts; (14) add MATH 2163, Introduction to Statistical Methods; (15) add 2 hours of Physical Activity; (16) add 6 hours of social sciences; (17) delete the 3 hour Animal or Poultry Science Elective; (18) delete AHS 2013, Medical Terminology; (19) delete BIOL 4054, Vertebrate Histology; (20) delete 3 hours electives; (21) delete MATH 1203, Plane Trigonometry; and (22) change AGAS 1013 (old number), Principles of Animal Science, to AGAS 1014 (new number). Motion by Dr. Tarver, seconded by Dr. Smith, to approve the above proposals with addition of the Departmental Notification sheet submitted to the Registrar. Motion carried.

Department of Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Dr. Hoelzeman, to approve the proposals as follows:

- (a) modify the course description for RP 3093, Interpretive Methods;
- (b) add RP 3503, Recreational Sport Management, to the course descriptions;
- (c) change the title for RP 3993, Advanced Firefighting-Wildland/Urban Interface, to Wildland Fire Practices in Natural Resource Management, and modify the course description;
- (d) modify the course description for RP/HA 4001, Internship Preparation;
- (e) modify the course description for HA 4063, Beverage Management;
- (f) modify the course description for HA 4073, Hospitality Financial Analysis;
- (g) modify the course description for RP/HA 4116, Internship;
- (h) (1) delete RP/HA 1001, Orientation to Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration from the course descriptions and affected curricula; and (2) add one hour of elective to the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Recreation Administration Emphasis, Therapeutic Recreation Emphasis, Park Administration Emphasis, Turf Management Emphasis, and Interpretation Emphasis and the Curriculum in Hospitality Administration;
- (i) modify the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Turf Management Emphasis as follows: (1) delete RP 1001, Orientation to Parks, Recreation, and Hospitality Administration; (2) delete AGSS 2013, Soils; (3) delete AGPS 1023, General Horticulture; (4) delete LBMD 2001, Introduction to Library Resources; (5) delete CHEM 2143, Environmental Chemistry; (6) delete RP 3053, Natural Resources Management and Planning; (7) delete HA 4023, Hospitality Facilities Management and Design; (8) delete RP 4093, Resort Management; (9) delete one

hour of approved electives; (10) add AGEG 3003, Solving Agricultural Problems; (11) AGPS 3053, Weeds and Weed Control; (12) AGPS 3244, Plant Pathology; (13) AGSS 3033, Soil Fertility; (14) AGPS 1024, General Horticulture; and (15) AGSS 2014, Soils; and

- (j) modify the Curriculum in Recreation and Park Administration: Recreation Administration Emphasis as follows: (1) add RP 3503, Recreational Sport Management; and (2) delete 3 hours of approved electives. Motion carried.

Department of Curriculum and Instruction

Motion by Dr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Fetters, to approve the proposals as follows: (a) correction to course number for MLED 4023/5023 Teaching the Young Adolescent to MLED 4013/5013. MLED 4023 is currently taught as Guided Field Experiences; and (b) modify the Curriculum in Early Childhood Education, Middle Level Education in Mathematics and Science Licensure, and Middle Level Education in English Language Arts/Social Studies Licensure as follows: delete HIST 4153, History of Arkansas, and add HIST 2153, Introduction to Arkansas History. Motion carried.

REVIEW OF GENERAL EDUCATION GOALS

The committee will start the review process of the general education goals at the next meeting. Dr. Tarver will distribute a letter to the committee.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, December 9, 2005
Pendergraft 325

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the November 18, 2005, meeting

II. New Business

- A. Review of General Education Goals

III. Adjournment

**Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University**

The Curriculum Committee met in Pendergraft, Room 325, on Friday, December 9, 2005, at 3 p.m. The following members were present: Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Tim Carter, Dr. Richard Smith, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, Dr. Lyman Harris, Dr. Cathy Baker, Ms. Jennifer Helms, and Ms. Nicole Goodlett. Dr. Deborah Wilson, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, and Mr. Lance Fetters were absent.

**CALL TO
ORDER**

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order and asked for approval of the Minutes from the November 18, 2005. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Hoelzeman, to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS:
REVIEW OF GENERAL
EDUCATION GOALS**

Members reviewed the draft of the letter to be sent to department heads. Dr. Hoelzeman provided written comments for possible revision of the draft. Dr. Smith agreed to make the discussed revisions to the draft that will be distributed to the members for review.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, February 10, 2006
Pendergraft 325
3:00 p.m.

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the December 9, 2005, meeting

II. New Business

- A. Discussion of Review of General Education Goals
- B. Student Involvement in Review of General Education Goals
- C. Review Letter to Departments

III. Adjournment

Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University

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Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Richard Smith, Ms. Tammy Rhodes, Dr. Lyman Harris, Dr. Cathy Baker, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, and Ms. Nicole Goodlett. Ms. Casey Stephens, Dr. Tim Carter, and Ms. Jennifer Helms were absent. Guests were Dr. David Underwood and Dr. Carey Roberts.

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order and asked for approval of the Minutes from the December 9, 2005. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: REVIEW OF GENERAL EDUCATION GOALS

Dr. Smith asked for clarification of the role of the Curriculum Committee in regards to the request for review of the General Education goals. Dr. Underwood indicated that the Curriculum Committee might ask the following questions: Are the current goals still appropriate? Should any of the current goals be revised? Should any of the current goals be deleted? Should new goals be added? Dr. Underwood indicated that the goals should reflect what a generally educated student should know. Dr. Underwood stated that the Curriculum Committee was not responsible for determining assessment of the goals.

Ms. Goodlett requested that members of the student body be allowed to assist in the process of the review of General Education goals by assisting members with research. Ms. Goodlett and other students will research goals of other Arkansas schools and present finding to the committee. Ms. Rhodes will provide Ms. Goodlett with a list of schools with contact information.

After discuss, the committee decided to send the department heads the letter requesting faculty involvement in review of the goals. Dr. Tarver and Ms. Rhodes agreed to make final revisions of the letter and distribute to the department heads. Friday, March 17, was suggested as the deadline for department head to respond to the letter.

MEETING DATE AND TIME

The next Curriculum Committee meeting will be held on Friday, March 31, 2006, in RPL 325, at 3:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:08 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary

Curriculum Committee
AGENDA
Friday, March 31, 2006
Pendergraft 325
3:00 p.m.

I. Call to Order

- A. Approval of minutes for the February 10, 2006, meeting

II. Old Business

- A. General Education Goals

- 1. Review Department Recommendations
- 2. Update of Student Involvement

III. New Business

VI. Adjournment

Minutes of
Curriculum Committee
Of
Arkansas Tech University

The Curriculum Committee met in Pendergraft, Room 325, on Friday, March 31, 2006, at 3 p.m. The following members were present: Dr. Glen Bishop, Dr. Sherman Alexander, Dr. Micheal Tarver, Dr. David Hoelzeman, Dr. Richard Smith, Dr. Lyman Harris, Dr. Deborah Wilson, Dr. Randy Kirkpatrick, Ms. Jennifer Helms, and Ms. Nicole Goodlett. Ms. Tammy Rhodes, Dr. Cathy Baker, Ms. Casey Stephens, and Dr. Tim Carter were absent.

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Bishop called the meeting to order and asked for approval of the Minutes from the February 10, 2006. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

Dr. Tarver presented the results of the polling of the faculty regarding TECH's mission statement and general education goals. Returns were received from approximately fifty percent of the academic departments. Discussion of these comments as well as the mission statements and general education goals of other Arkansas institutions of higher education followed. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Kirkpatrick that a subcommittee of Drs. Tarver, Carter, and Wilson be formed to prepare a draft of TECH's general education goals reflecting the faculty input. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was no new business.

MEETING DATE AND TIME:

The next meeting of the Curriculum Committee will be held on Friday, April 28, 2006, in RPL 325, at 3:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Glen Bishop, Chair

Dr. Richard Smith, Secretary