



TRANSFER OF CREDIT COMMITTEE

Minutes of 9 September 2021

Call to Order

The regular meeting of the Western Michigan University Faculty Senate Transfer of Credit Committee was called to order at 2:03 p.m. on 9 September 2021 in room 204 of the Bernhard Center and via Webex video conferencing by Scott Hennessy, chair.

Members in Attendance: Scott Hennessy, Steve Miller, David Paul, Jeffrey Xie, Nicolas Witschi

Members Absent: Kerrie Harvey, Edward Kudzia, MK Mohanan

Advisory Members Absent: Alice Molvern

Ex Officio in Attendance: Carrie Cumming, Timothy Michael

Quorum

A quorum was present.

Agenda

[MOTION] It was moved by Nicolas, seconded by Paul, to accept the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

Minutes

The title of the Graduate Student Teaching and Research Awards title was corrected.

[MOTION] It was moved by Nicolas, seconded by Paul, to approve the 8 April meeting minutes as amended. The motion carried unanimously.

Cumming joined the meeting at 2:06 p.m.

Melinda Holohan (omitted from committee membership) joined the meeting at 2:15 p.m.

Reports of Officers

Chair Hennessy reported that MOA-21/02: *Creation of Transfer Minor Policy* has been approved.

Admissions is working to establish initiatives to focus on transfer students by inviting community college partners to campus, creating a campus partner group, and prioritizing the community colleges where most transfers originate.

Ex Officio Cumming reported that the Undergraduate Studies Council proposed a change via an MOA, which was accepted, regarding catalog year. The change will benefit both Early Middle College and Dual Enrollment students.

Ex Officio Michael reported that the Graduate Studies Council had not yet met.

Report of University Representative

Interim Curriculum Manager Witschi provided a report of the Ad Hoc Electronic Curriculum Process Committee that the use of Curriculog will begin with testing and is expected to launch the week of 13 September.

Unfinished Business

No unfinished business to report.

New Business

No new business to report.

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Announcements

Cumming stated that Michigan State University is seeing an uptick in the number of students transferring from four-year institutions.

Hennessy asked if there was anything of interest for the committee to pursue this semester. Miller mentioned that Holohan had asked the committee to explore prior learning experience.

Adjournment

[MOTION] It was moved by Michael, seconded by Paul, to adjourn the meeting at 2:27 p.m. The motion carried

Approval

Submitted by Steve Miller, Secretary

Minutes approved on 11 November 2021