

Minutes of the Teacher Education Committee  
November 26, 2003

Members Present: W. Baker, S. Bourquin, J. Byars, P. Carroll, S. Dickson, J. Fortune, J. Huffman, G. Jones, M. Klinikowski, A. Horton-Lopez, R. McBroom, D. Preston, L. Schultz, S. Sharp, S. Simmons, J. Smith, D. Thompson, T. Thompson, M. Vick, P. Wish

Members Excused: B. Brown, S. Davis, K. Hilton, T. Leach, R. Locklear, M. Oxendine, K. Stanley, S. Wilcher

Guests: Zoe Locklear, Janetta Bullard, Sandra Strickland

1. Call to Order at 3:33 pm by Dean Baker.
2. The Oct 29 2003 Minutes were approved.
3. Reports from Standing Committees
  - 3.1 Hearing Appeals Board – no report
  - 3.2 Long-Range Planning – no report
  - 3.3 Student Input – no report
  - 3.4 Policy Review – no report
  - 3.5 Technology – The Net Standards are being reviewed
  - 3.6 Professional Studies – no report
  - 3.7 Evaluation Oversight – Dr. Sharon Sharp presented two revised documents and one new document for the Evaluation Plan for Review of Program Continuation Policies. Revisions to the Assessment Guidelines and Procedures and the Policy Review Schedule (Move the review of CARE to '04-'05 and Assessment Policies II to '05-'06.) were approved unanimously. Regarding the Teacher Candidate survey and the TEC member survey, concerns were discussed regarding the asking of two questions in one. Suggested revisions included that there only be one part to each question, that the word “perceive” be added to the purpose statement, and that each question include the phrase “do you perceive”. A motion to accept with revisions was approved unanimously. Revisions will be made to the Teacher Candidate survey and reviewed by the university lawyer before being issued to the student interns in December. The TEC member survey will be distributed in January.
  - 3.8 Distance Education - no report
4. Unfinished Business - none
5. New Business

5.1 The following curricula changes in the School Counseling Program were approved unanimously:

5.1.1 Delete PCN 555.

5.1.2 Delete PSY 580.

5.1.3 Add PSY 5xx Crisis Intervention.

5.1.4 Add PCN 5xx College Counseling and Student Affairs

5.2 Dr. Tommy Thompson presented a new Academic Concentration in Exercise & Sports Science consisting of 18 hours of any combination of ATH 102, 103, 104, 200, 201, 204, 205, 300, 301, 303, 304, 305, 306, 404, 405, Health Promotion (HLTH) 106, 109, 200, 206, 225, 301, 304, 305, 329, 330, 332, 365, 375, 377, 410, 420, 525, 480, and/or Recreation (REC) 230, 300, 327, 332, 340, 400, 416, 425, 440, 450, 4xx; it was approved unanimously.

5.3 The following curricula changes to the Middle Grades Education Program were unanimously approved:

5.3.1 Change EDN 456 from 6 hours to 9 hours.

5.3.2 In the MA Ed Program, replace the current requirement of two 12-semester hour content area concentrations with one 21-semester hour concentration.

5.3.3 The Academic Concentration requirement for middle grades education majors will be met by one of the two required specialty areas from Language Arts, Social Studies, Mathematics, or Science.

5.4 Pam Carroll presented a list of 13 Teacher Education applicants/admits for November 2003 that was unanimously approved.

6. Announcements:

6.1 Copies of Teacher Turnover Data by County for 02-03 FYI were distributed to TEC members.

6.2 Dr. Baker announced that UNCW Teacher Education will begin offering courses at Southeastern Community College. The impact on UNCP's program was discussed.

6.3 Dr. Baker announced that the Troops to Teachers Program wants UNCP as a partner.

6.4 Dr. Baker announced that NCDPI is emphasizing meeting Lateral Entry Teacher Needs. A committee is currently working on a proposal for a MAT program designed to meet the needs of lateral entry teachers.

6.5 Dr. Baker announced that funding is available for faculty members to develop online courses. It was suggested that the possible uses of CUCMe technology be explored.

6.5 Dr. Baker announced that the Closing the Achievement Gap Conference will be held in March.

6.6 Dr. Baker announced that UNCP Music Educators Conference will be

held in April.

6.7 Dr. Baker announced that the UNCP MSA Leadership Symposium will be held in Jun.

6.8 Dr. Baker announced that a copy of the IHE Performance Report 2002-03 will be available in the Curriculum Lab.

7. The meeting was adjourned at 4:36 pm.

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Dr. Warren Baker, Chair

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Ms. Rachel McBroom, Sec-in-Rotation