Undergraduate Curriculum Council (UCC)
September 6, 2018 – 3:00-5:00 p.m. in ADMIN 102, Meridian 680D, Bennion Conference Room

AGENDA

A. PRELIMINARIES
1a. Attendance – Pre-notified Absences:
   Guests:
2. Minutes for August 23, 2018
3. Announcements
4. Report from the Executive Committee:
5. Information from Academic Affairs:
6. Current Subcommittee Activities:
   a. General Education Requirements Committee (GERC) –
      Last week’s meeting canceled – no business ready for council’s attention. GERC will meet
      next Tuesday with State Gen Ed Discipline Group members attending.
   b. BAS Committee –
7. Information from the Chair:
8. Information from the Faculty Senate and other Councils:
9. Other related information or questions:
   a. Undergraduate Curriculum Council 101:
      New members should peruse the UCC’s website (https://www.isu.edu/ucc) for detailed
      information on what to do and how to do it before today’s meeting.

B. INFORMATION ITEMS

C. CONSENT CALENDAR

Minor Catalog Changes (no proposal needed, just a memo showing the exact changes): none this week

1. Catalog Change Memo: Discontinue BA instead of BS in Economics
   The College of Business has decided to discontinue the B.A. in Economics rather than the B.S. in
   Economics. This change affects both State Proposal #2018-07 and UCC AY2020 Proposal #4 which
   were already endorsed and approved by UCC last spring.

   As there is currently no difference between the curricula of the two degrees, the UCC Executive
   Committee accepted the recommendation from the Registrar’s Office that this change memo be added
   to UCC’s consent agenda.

Curriculum, Course and Program Change Proposals: none this week
D. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

State Proposals: none this week

Curriculum, Course, and Program Change Proposals: REMAINS TABLED

1. Proposal #3 from Global Studies to discontinue the B.A degrees for Business and Professions in French, German, and Spanish. Requires SBOE approval of State Proposals #2018-03, 2018-04, and 2018-05; all three were endorsed by UCC on 4/12/2018. Proposal was tabled 4/26/2018 to encourage more interdepartmental discussion and collaboration between the interested parties on integrating Languages and Global Studies into a more cohesive and holistic entity.

E. NEW BUSINESS

State Proposals: (for UCC’s endorsement) – none this week

Minor Catalog Changes (no proposal needed, just a memo showing the exact changes) – none this week

Curriculum, Course, and Program Change Proposals:

1. Proposal #5 from English & Philosophy to create a new 12-credit Certificate in Biomedical Ethics along with two new courses PHIL 4452 and PHIL 4454. Changes affect Graduate Catalog. Contingent upon SBOE approval of the new Certificate (Request for LON not yet received by Academic Affairs.)

2. Proposal #6 from Theatre to remove the B.A. in Theatre, Film, and Video in accordance with specialized accreditation standards. Requires SBOE approval of State Proposal #2018-06.

Be sure to look over the Proposal Request Tracking Sheet and check in with your constituent POs between now and next meeting. Submission due date is September 20, 2018 – two weeks away!

F. ADJOURNMENT: