

Teacher Education Council (TEC)
MEETING NOTES
Wednesday, April 15, 2009, 3:30 p.m.
Stayer Hall – Rm 402

1. Roll Call.

Nanette Marcum-Dietrich, EDFN (acting chair); Jane Bray, Dean, SOE; Sharon Brusica, ITEC; Dominique Dagit, BIOL; Kimberly Heilshorn, ELED; Marcia Nell, ELED; Thomas Neuville, SPED; Chip Schaeffer, WESS; Phillip Tacka, MUSI; Scott Warner, ITEC; William Wolf, ART.

Excused: Sandra Deemer, EDFN (chair)

2. Approval of April 1, 2009 Meeting Minutes. Not submitted.

Note: Trish Salvadia, SOE Dean's Office, to provide minutes for February 4, 2009 meeting.

3. Report from the Chair.

Thanks to all for your service this year. Sandy will be in touch via email about electronic votes on today's proposals prior to the end of the semester. Also, she will communicate this summer via email about our fall meeting dates. The meetings will be held at the same time on Wednesdays.

4. Update on EDW Workshop Approvals/Re-Approvals.

No report/re-approvals.

5. Course and Program Approvals.

WELL 240: Health, Safety, and Nutrition for the Developing Child (new DL course) – Dr. Adele Ruszak, WSSD

Discussion:

- Thomas Neuville will assist Adele in adding a SPED objective.
- Re *Course Objective 6*. Online course needs a way to implement this objective if the Wellness Fair is deleted in the online version. (Possible solution: Wiki-WellnessFair.)
- Include information about how to accommodate special needs students in the classroom and in play (Dr. Bray).
- Re *Course Content Outline, VI*, revised language. *VI. Using these methodologies for successful completion and implementation of healthy teaching lessons.*
- Re *DL Course Proposal, III D 1. Assessment methods... Students will be evaluated in the following ways: 1. Tests – students will complete 2 tests...* (Correction: 2 tests, not 3 tests)
- Add sexuality back to curriculum.
- Dr. Bray would like letters of support for the course from SPED and ELED.
- Marcum-Dietrich, acting chair, to email Deemer, chair, changes.

Middle Level Program Proposal (Grades 4-8): Science concentration. Dr. Lillie West.

No discussion.

- Motion: Approve and waive the 2-meeting rule if school council approves and if ESCI 202 prerequisite changed to PHYS 101 or PHYS 132.
Motion: Thomas Neuville
Second: Marcia Nell
- Motion received to vote:
Motion: Sharon Brusica
Second: Phil Tacka
Approved

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6. Old Business / Voting – Still awaiting for edited proposals.

MATH 204: Algebraic Foundations for the Middle Level Teacher – Dr. Tavis K. Miller/Dr. Dorothee Blum

MATH 205: Geometry for the Middle Level Teacher – Dr. Elizabeth Sell/Dr. Michael Wismer

MATH 230: Data Analysis and Probability for the Middle Level Teacher – Dr. Kevin Robinson/

Dr. James Fenwick.

7. Policy and Information
Dr. Jane Bray, Dean, School of Education

8. New Business. None

9. Adjournment.

Sincerely submitted,

Cyndi Stehli

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