

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

UNDERGRADUATE COMMITTEE OF THE FACULTY SENATE

Minutes for January 25, 2023

Hybrid Meeting (Microsoft Teams and MD Anderson 306)

3pm – 5pm

Members Present: Melahat Almus, Whitney Breslin, Samuel Brower, Dan Burleson, Barbara Carlin, Nikhil Celly, Arkadiusz Czader, Bret Detillier, Veronica Douglas, Medhat El Nahas, Jerry Evans, Rebecca Forrest, Dustin Gish, Mark Goldberg, Susie Gronseth, Kristen Hassett, Rachel Honora, Michelle Ivey, Briget Jans, Heidi Kennedy, Julia Kleinheider, Shonnita Leslie, Teri Longacre, Holley Love, Patrick Lukingbeal, Ana Medrano, Mike Murray, Andrew Pegoda, Melissa Pierson, Daryl Robinson, Todd Romero, Pattie Schrader, Lori Selzer, David Shattuck, Elizabeth Simas, James Simpson, Chris Taylor, Monica Thompson, Chad Wayne, David Womble, Blerina Xhabli, Zhiwen Xiao

Members Absent: Aryana Azizi, Julia Babcock, Daniel Chang, Lisa Farmer, Jeff Feng, Tejendra Gill, Mardell Maxwell, Scott Sawyer, Natalie Sumrow

I. **Call to Order** - The Committee was called to order by Holley Love, UC Chair, at 3:02 pm
Minutes from the [December 07, 2022](#) UC meeting were approved with amendments to the attendance record

II. **Welcome & Announcements**
a) A message from Faculty Senate President, David Shattuck

III. **UC Business**

Proposal Status <https://uofh.sharepoint.com/sites/uc/SitePages/Home.aspx>

Proposals Submitted for the 2023-2024 UC Catalog Implementation Cycle: *as of 1/25/2023*

Total proposals: 341

Course proposals: 208

Degree programs: 65

Administrative: 1

Policy: 12

Approved by UC to date: 288

Withdrawn: 13

IV. **Subcommittee Reports**

a. Breslin Subcommittee – Tech / CLASS – Poli Sci and COMD (Whitney Breslin, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 3211 22F	College of Technology Laptop Policy	Tech
UC 3284 23S	ILT Department Name Change	Tech

- b. Burleson Subcommittee – Ed / CLASS – Hist and Soci (Dan Burleson, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 2979 22F	CUIN 3352 - Perspectives Math and Science	College of Education
UC 2984 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update 4-8 science	College of Education
UC 2985 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update 4-8ELA	College of Education
UC 2983 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update 4-8math	College of Education
UC 2986 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update 4-8SS	College of Education
UC 2988 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update EC6 Gen SPED ESL	College of Education
UC 2989 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update EC6 Generalist	College of Education
UC 2987 22F	CUIN T&L core curriculum update EC6-Bilingual	College of Education
UC 3025 22F	Human Development and Family Sciences, B.S. with Nonprofit Leadership Alliance Certification	College of Education
UC 2982 22F	Teacher Ed program change to admissions timeline	College of Education

- c. Brower Subcommittee – Hobby / HRM / Bauer / Nursing / COTA / CLASS (Samuel Brower, presented and [submitted a report](#))

The following proposals were presented, discussed and **approved** by UC in vote:

UC 3213 22F	AAS 3325 - African American Studies Theory, Methods and Research	CLASS
UC 3216 22F	AAS 3370 - Poverty and Inequality in Urban America	CLASS
UC 3218 22F	AAS 3377 - Black Feminist Thought	CLASS
UC 3220 22F	AAS 4310 - The Black Middle Class	CLASS
UC 3177 22F	ANTH 3382 - Cultures and Capitalism in India and Asia	CLASS
UC 3178 22F	ANTH 3383 - The Global South Before WWII	CLASS
UC 3051 22F	GHL 2160 - Professional Development	HRM
UC 3052 22F	GHL 4360 - Hospitality Internship	HRM
UC 3247 22F	PSYC 4354 - Brain and Behavior	CLASS
UC 3249 22F	PSYC 4388 - Latino Health and Disparities	CLASS
UC 3221 22F	African American Studies - Bachelor of Arts - Catalog Revisions	CLASS
UC 3222 22F	African American Studies MINOR - Catalog Revisions	CLASS
UC 3176 22F	Anthropology Major - BA Catalog Revision	CLASS
UC 3187 22F	Anthropology Major - BS Catalog Revision	CLASS
UC 3053 22F	Changes to HRM BS Transfer Admission Requirements	HRM
UC 3253 22F	CLASS Diversity Requirement Course List Additions	CLASS

The following proposals were **withdrawn** by proposer:

UC 3068 22F	THEA 3330 - Text and Shakespeare course proposal	College of the Arts
UC 2959 22F	POLC 1311 - Public Policy Laboratory	Hobby School of Public Affairs

- d. Hassett Subcommittee - Honors / NSM / CLASS – MCL (Kristen Hassett, no report presented or submitted)

e. Medrano Subcommittee – Engr / CLASS – Engl (Ana Medrano, no report presented or submitted)

V. **Old Business**

VI. **New Business**

UC vote for [Integrated Studies Bachelor of Science](#) held for Special Meeting on February 8, 2023

Review of Last day to drop policy

VII. **Meeting Adjourned at 4:06 p.m.**

Resources

a. **Meeting Location:** All meetings are held in room 306 (Faculty Senate Office), M.D. Anderson Library unless otherwise noted (2022-2023 meetings are hybrid and have a Teams option).

b. **Scheduled meetings for 2022-2023:**

Fall 2022: August 24 (orientation meeting), August 31, September 28, October 26, November 16, December 7

Spring 2023: January 25, February 22, March 29, April 26, May 10

c. **Helpful Websites:**

- Undergraduate Committee: www.uh.edu/undergraduate-committee/
- Current (2022-2023) Undergraduate Catalog: <http://publications.uh.edu/index.php>
- UH Core Curriculum section: www.uh.edu/academics/corecurriculum/

d. **E-mail Listservs:**

- i. UC General Membership: UNDERGRAD-COMMITTEE@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
- ii. UC Executive Committee: UC-EXEC@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
- iii. UC Subcommittees:
 - BRESLIN-SUBCOMMITTEE@LISTSERV.UH.EDU
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