Minutes

Faculty Senate Academic Affairs Committee February 27, 2020

Present: Wendy Cook, Dan Lipori, Megan Matheson, Andy Piacsek, Josh Welsh, Ke Zhong, David Douglas, Jeff Stinson (for Gail Mackin), Rose Spodobalski-Brower, and Julia Stringfellow Absent: Eric Foch and Jaclyn Krause

The meeting was called to order at 3:10 pm.

Approval of February 13, 2020 minutes.

Chair Updates

Charge 8: Student Behaviors in Academic Settings policy has gone on to the deans for their review. Will present language outlining the role of the Academic Affairs Committee in interpreting academic policy at next Faculty Senate meeting March 4.

Old Business

a. Charge 14: Class Attendance Policy (EC Feedback). Passed changes as presented in email correspondence between Josh and Walter. Moved by Piacsek. Second by Lipori.

New Business

a. Proposed Revisions to Transfer Policy on DTA

Reviewed CWUP 5-90-030 Acceptance of Transfer Credit.

Discussed that cumulative GPA to earn DTA should be 2.00 as stated in ICRC handbook. If the GPA is changed, the policy and catalog will need to be updated to include the change.

Discussed section 4. (E) Military Credit. Students may receive up to 30 credits. In 4. (E) Military Credit #2, change "applied to" to "counted toward."

Reviewed CWUR 5-90-030 Acceptance of Transfer Credit.

(2) (D) language was discussed, specifically "Reverse Transfer." This has now been mandated by a House Bill. Change language to "Reverse Transfer Credit."

Add language "Students will be notified after completing 30 credits."

"Reverse Transfer" language should be added to the policy to be consistent with the procedure. With the changes, Dan moved to approve the procedure and Andy seconded.

c. Charge 12: Academic Appeals Policy and Procedure

Dan suggested there be one committee for Academic Appeals and Student Behaviors.

Julia will research peer institutions to see if they have one or separate committees for Academic Appeals and Student Behaviors.

Josh will ask Walter about frequency of students issuing complaints about faculty that are not Title 9 related. Where does that go and in what policy?

Adjournment