

Undergraduate Council Report

submission by Katherine Ambroziak, Chair

The Undergraduate Council met on October 18, 2016.

Minutes (unapproved) are posted on the Council's webpage.

- Tom Gill, CASNR Institute for Agriculture Director for International Programs, presented a brief overview of the proposed Peace Corps Prep Program which is designed to encourage service and global/intercultural engagement and give students an advantage when applying to the US Peace Corps. The program will be formally submitted for review for the January meeting of the Undergraduate Council Curriculum Committee, to go into effect in fall 2017.
- Committee reports were heard from Appeals, Curriculum, and General Education. Actions taken include the approval of curricular consent items and curricular proposals from the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences and the College of Social Work. Of note was a new honors program by CEHHS, adding a minor in leadership studies. Also approved were two courses that satisfy general education Arts and Humanities requirements, pending College and UGC Curriculum approval of the added courses.
- As a follow-up on the new R- and S- designated courses and their approval process, Katherine Ambroziak presented proposed text to be added to the UGC Curriculum Committee Operating Guidelines regarding the function and structure of Experiential Learning Subcommittees. The text was reviewed, revised, and approved.