

MINUTES
UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC COUNCIL
Friday, February 24, 2017

Members present:

Seaver: Karen Martin

GSBM: John Mooney

GSEP: Farzin Madjidi, June Schmieder-Ramirez

SOL: Shelley Saxer, Jeff Baker

SPP: Mike Shires

University Libraries: Mark Roosa

Other: Jay Brewster [chair], Charles Hall, Lisa Bortman, Jody Semerau, Bryan Reeder, and Lindsay Jacobs [ex officio]

Members absent:

Seaver: April Marshall

GSBM: John Paglia

SPP: Luisa Blanco

Other: Hung Le

Guests:

Seaver: Paul Begin

GSBM: Augus Harjoto

GSEP: Steve Kirnon

I. Old Business

- A. Approve **Minutes** of Friday, January 27, 2017 University Academic Council (UAC) meeting
Approved

II. New Business

- A. Closing the loop with Advancement of Student Learning Council (ASLC) - Jay Brewster
Jay met with the Advancement of Student Learning Council (ASLC) in January to discuss academic approvals related to various programs in schools and how that process is communicated to UAC. Documents that are shared with ASLC would provide a background for decisions that come forward to UAC. Lisa Bortman explained that after program reviews, quality improvement plans are developed by the program; this might be helpful for UAC to review. UAC members discussed setting up an online database that would allow UAC to access these materials. There was also discussion around Lisa notifying UAC of any problems/issues with a program that UAC should know

about prior to voting. Jay concluded the discussion by saying that he would present a concrete plan for beginning this process at the next UAC meeting.

III. New Business--Action Items. The following proposal marked as a double-underscored number (E. 1-13) may be voted on as **Consent Agenda.***

- Go to Sakai <https://courses.pepperdine.edu>
- Click "Pepperdine Login."
- Enter your username and password.
- Click the "UAC" tab.
- Click "Resources."
- Click the UAC folder for the meeting date.

A. Seaver submits the following items for approval:

1. **Proposal for the Global Fellows Program** as described in *Seaver-1-IP-Global Fellows Program.pdf*
Approved
2. **Add INTS 250 Thinking Globally** as described in *Seaver-2-ISL-INTS 250.pdf*
Approved
3. **Add INTS 480 Global Leadership Seminar** as described in *Seaver-3-ISL-INTS 480.pdf*
Approved

B. Graziadio submits the following items for approval:

1. **Proposal for the Master of Science in Applied Finance curriculum revision** as described in *GSBM-1-MSAF revision.pdf*
Withdrawn; will resubmit with additional evidence for rationale at next UAC meeting.

C. GSEP submits the following items for approval:

1. **Proposal to offer existing Master of Arts in Social Entrepreneurship and Change in Santa Barbara** as described in *GSEP-1-ED-Santa Barbara location.pdf*
Approved (with one abstention), pending provost review and approval of budget implications.

2. Add EDEL 702 Participatory Action Research Outcomes: Leading Community and Policy Engagement as described in [GSEP-2-ED-EDEL 702.pdf](#)
Approved
3. Add EDEL 740 Participative Action Research Foundations: Leading a Shared Vision of Learning & Growth for All Learners as described in [GSEP-3-ED-EDEL 740.pdf](#)
Approved

D. SOL submits the following items for approval:

1. Proposal for a Masters of Legal Studies online program as described in [SOL-1- Masters of Legal Studies.pdf](#)
Approved, with amendment that permits students in the general track to take all general track courses and Dispute Resolution track courses as electives in the general track.
2. Add LAW 5001 Introduction to US Law and Legal Systems as described in [SOL-2-LAW 5001.pdf](#)
Approved
3. Add LAW 5002 Legal Research and Writing for Non-Lawyers as described in [SOL-3-LAW 5002.pdf](#)
Approved
4. Add LAW 5110 Contracts as described in [SOL-4-LAW 5110.pdf](#)
Approved
5. Add LAW 5111 Torts as described in [SOL-5-LAW 5111.pdf](#)
Approved
6. Add LAW 5112 Negotiation Theory and Practice as described in [SOL-6-LAW 5112.pdf](#)
Approved
7. Add LAW 5113 Property as described in [SOL-7-LAW 5113.pdf](#)
Approved
8. Add LAW 5114 Con Law (Structure and Rights) as described in [SOL-8-LAW 5114.pdf](#)
Approved
9. Add LAW 5115 Civil Procedure and Litigation as described in [SOL-9-LAW 5115.pdf](#)
Approved
10. Add LAW 5116 Criminal Law and Procedure as described in [SOL-10-LAW 5116.pdf](#)
Approved

11. **Add LAW 5117 Administrative Law & Regulatory Compliance** as described in [SOL-11-LAW 5117.pdf](#)
Approved
12. **Add LAW 5201 Law in Practice** as described in [SOL-12-LAW 5201.pdf](#)
Approved
13. **Add LAW 5202 Law and the Legal System and Society** as described in [SOL-13-LAW 5202.pdf](#)
Approved
14. **Add LAW 5301 Health Law** as described in [SOL-14-LAW 5301.pdf](#)
Approved
15. **Add LAW 5302 Business Organizations** as described in [SOL-15-LAW 5302.pdf](#)
Approved, with title changed to Law of Business Organizations.
16. **Add LAW 5303 Trial Advocacy** as described in [SOL-16-LAW 5303.pdf](#)
Approved
17. **Add LAW 5304 Education Law** as described in [SOL-17-LAW 5304.pdf](#)
Approved
18. **Add LAW 5305 Intellectual Property** as described in [SOL-18-LAW 5305.pdf](#)
Approved
19. **Add LAW 5401 Mediation Theory and Practice** as described in [SOL-19-LAW 5401.pdf](#)
Approved
20. **Add LAW 5402 Arbitration Practice and Advocacy** as described in [SOL-20-LAW 5402.pdf](#)
Approved
21. **Add LAW 5403 Cross Cultural Conflict and Dispute Resolution** as described in [SOL-21-LAW 5403.pdf](#)
Approved
22. **Add LAW 5404 Conflict Management in Corporations & Organizations** as described in [SOL-22-LAW 5404.pdf](#)
Approved
23. **Add LAW 5405 Psychology of Conflict and Communications** as described in [SOL-23-LAW 5405.pdf](#)
Approved

E. SPP submits the following items for approval:

1. **Drop MPP 623 Law and Economics** as described in [SPP-1-MPP 623.pdf](#)

2. Approved
Drop MPP 624 **Urban and Regional Economics** as described in SPP-2-MPP 624.pdf
3. Approved
Drop MPP 626 **Labor Economics** as described in SPP-3-MPP 626.pdf
4. Approved
Drop MPP 631 **International Aid** as described in SPP-4-MPP 631.pdf
5. Approved
Drop MPP 641 **Public Policy and Social Regulation** as described in SPP-5-MPP 641.pdf
6. Approved
Drop MPP 644 **Public Policy and the Family** as described in SPP-6-MPP 644.pdf
7. Approved
Drop MPP 649 **Opinions, Passions, and Interests** as described in SPP-7-MPP 649.pdf
8. Approved
Drop MPP 654 **American Strategies in World Politics** as described in SPP-8-MPP 654.pdf
9. Approved
Drop MPP 655 **Contemporary American Ideologies** as described in SPP-9-MPP 655.pdf
10. Approved
Drop MPP 660 **Statecraft from Machiavelli to Kissinger and Beyond** as described in SPP-10-MPP 660.pdf
11. Approved
Drop MPP 661 **The World Leadership Role of the United States** as described in SPP-11-MPP 661.pdf
12. Approved
Drop MPP 669 **International Institutions and the New Diplomacy** as described in SPP-12-MPP 669.pdf
13. Approved
Drop MPP 673 **Contending Approaches to International Politics** as described in SPP-13-MPP 673.pdf

* **Consent Agenda.** Suggested criteria for including items on the Consent Agenda are as follows:

1. Title and description changes
2. Clarification of requirements
3. Removal of a course

4. Changes in prerequisites
5. Moving courses around
6. Cross-listing courses
7. Conform catalog to existing PeopleSoft practices
8. Reactivate a course