

COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND ADVISING
Minutes of the Meeting for November 13, 2007

The committee met on Tuesday, November 13, 2007, at 11:00 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present: Banwart, Blackmore, Bradley, Burrigh, Carlson, Childs, Coon, Crandall, Crosby, D'Anieri, Dickey, Kuczera, Ledom, Madden, Manning, McNeley, Mort, Shaw

MINUTES The minutes for October 23, 2007, were approved.

CHAIR'S REPORT Professor Crandall re-distributed the Order of Motions on the General Education Task Force Report as well as letters received concerning the Task Force's General Education recommendations.

DEAN'S REPORT Professor D'Anieri reported the A+ grading proposal approved by College Academic Council (CAC) had also been approved by Academic Policies & Procedures (AP&P) and forwarded to University Senate.

CLA&S STUDENT ACADEMIC SERVICES REPORT Dr. McNeley reported the deadline for course withdrawal had been Monday, November 12, 2007. Based on the numbers and issues processed on the deadline date, it needed further review.

SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIR REPORTS

A. **ADVISING & AWARDS**—The scholarship application for the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences has been updated for 2008-2009 and will be posted under News and Events on the College website. The deadline for students to apply is March 31, 2008.

B. **CURRICULAR CHANGES/DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

1. Curricular Changes

FULL COMMITTEE ACTION:

Approval was granted for: ATMO 506, ATMO 531, ITAL 430, ITAL 440, LA&S 400, PUAD 435, PLSH 312

2. Degree Requirements

FULL COMMITTEE ACTION:

Approval was granted for

- a. Change to Polish Concentration of Slavic Major
- b. Change to Polish Studies Minor
- c. Change to Russian Concentration in Slavic Major
- d. Change to Slavic Cultures in Transition Minor

C. **ACADEMIC STANDARDS**—Professor Carlson reported they continued to hear petitions.

OLD BUSINESS No Report.

NEW BUSINESS

General Education Task Force Recommendations for the B.G.S. degree

Professor Crandall called for discussion on recommendations by the General Education Task Force for the B.G.S. degree. Following discussion, two motions were made, seconded and called for vote:

FULL COMMITTEE ACTION:

Motion approved unanimously: Replace the current Junior/Senior Concentration with a CLAS approved minor,
(with one abstention) co-major or major.

Motion failed: Add one year of foreign language study for the B.G.S. degree.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:35 P.M.