MINUTES Undergraduate Council March 26, 2019

Members present: Kurt Boniecki, (chair), Beula Magimairaj, Jeff Hill, Alana Reid, Ed Powers, Ben Rowley, Leslie Gomes, David Kim, Jen Talbot, Carl Frederickson, Jennie Case, Bernard Chen, Paige Rose, Janet Filer, Jim Downey, Debbie Dailey and Audrey Scaife for Jennifer Cale.

Member absent: Kathleen Atkins, Kerry Jordan, Jia Zhu, ShaVon Taylor, Becky Rasnick, and Dee Lance

Dr. Boniecki called the meeting to order at 1:40 pm

Action Items:

- 1. Dr. Rose, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to remove a proposal from the table from the Biology and Physics department for new course BIOL/PHYS 3315 Women and Minorities in Stem. Dr. Rowley seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Motion passed 15 in favor and 1 opposed to remove the item from the table. Dr. Rose then made a motion to approve the proposal and Ms. Scaife seconded the motion. Discussion ensued concerning whether a scientist can teach history, and also the broader question of who should teach the history of a discipline. The motion passed, 13 in favor, 1 opposed and 2 abstentions.
- 2. Dr. Rose, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to approve a proposal from the Physics and Astronomy department for a new degree program of Engineering Physics

4. Dr. Rose, on behalf of subcommittee one, made a motion to approve a proposal from the School of Communication/Writing to change WRTG 4385 Internship in Writing

- 4. From the School of Communication: convert PRLS 3101 to online delivery.
- 5. From Chemistry: revise course description for CHEM 3520.
- 6. From Chemistry: revise course description for CHEM 4451.
- 7. From the College of Education: add Computer Science as major option for teaching license through the STEM Teach/STEM education minor.
- 8. From Family and Consumer Sciences: change course descriptions for FACS 1370, 2341, 2351, 2380, 3173, 3311, 3318, 3360, 3361, 3372, 3456, 4V30, 4301, 4355.
- 9. From Film, Theatre and Creative Writing: chd Consumer Sciences: change c-8(1)4(7)-(