



Minutes
University Curriculum Committee
December 4, 2020 2:00 p.m.
Zoom Meeting

Chair Lyndall Muschell called the meeting to order.
Agenda was approved by unanimous vote.

Action Items: Modify Existing Major Requirements – B.S. Early Childhood Education – Recommended unanimously

Dr. Linda Bradley provided information on program changes including a new course and the modification of existing courses. These will address the need to provide students with knowledge and skills needed to support struggling readers and students with dyslexia.

Information Items:

New Course Proposal

- EDRD 3511 Literacy Assessment and Instruction: Dyslexia and Diverse Reading Profiles – Graduates will receive an embedded reading endorsement.

Modification of Existing Course- Approved by unanimous vote.

- EDRD 3221 Literacy Instruction I – Change the title of this course to EDRD 3221 Foundations of Language Acquisition and Literacy Development; define/refine course content to focus on oral language development along with key foundational literacy concepts.
- EDRD 4211 Literacy Instruction II – Change the title of this course to EDRD 4211 Designing Effective Literacy Instruction; define/refine course content to focus on teacher preparation and effectiveness in teaching literacy (i.e., reading, writing listening, speaking).

New Business

University System of Georgia is in the process of developing a redesigned academic program approval process for new programs. The new approval process is implemented now.

Attendance

Guest(s): Linda Bradley

Present: David de Posada (CoAS), Angel Abney (CoAS), Sally Humphries (CoB), Krystal Canady (CoHS), Jolene Cole (Library), Jamie Downing (CoAS), Mark Causey (CoAS), Bob Duesing (CoB),

Barbara Roquemoire (CoE), Lyndall Muschell (CoE), Kris White (CoAS), Eric Griffis (COAS), Gail Godwin (COHS), James Schiffman (Senate)

Regrets: Holley Roberts (Interim Associate Provost), Kay Anderson (Registrar), Shannon Gardner (Academic Affairs Administrative Assistant)

Absent: Cara Smith (SACSCOC liaison)

Meeting Adjourned at 2:25 PM.