

**MINUTES**  
**COMMISSION ON UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES AND POLICIES**  
**FEBRUARY 28, 2022**  
**VIA ZOOM, 3:00 PM**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 3:02 PM by S. Corcoran, Chair. Those in attendance and constituting a quorum were:

**PRESENT:** S. Corcoran (Chair); P. Deck; A. Dubner; M. Pleimling for R. Fricker; S. Sumner for A. Grant; H. Gumbert; K. Goyne; R. Holloway; A. Johnson; M. Kimbrell; G. Novack; K. Redican; J. Sible; S. Tatum; K. Thompson; K. Tran; C. Wood

**ABSENT:** K. Albright; A. Council; K. Edgar; D. Givens; L. Khansa; L. Learman; L. McClaskey; D. Stauffer; K. Swaby; A. Villar

**VISITORS:** J. Arthur; K. Boyle; G. Costello; A. Myers; R. Pitcher; R. Russell; V. Singal; B. Smith; R. Sparks; B. Tracy

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

A motion was made and seconded to approve the agenda. The motion to approve the agenda passed unanimously.

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPROVAL AND POSTING OF MINUTES**

S. Corcoran announced that the February 14, 2022 minutes were electronically approved and can be accessed via the University Registrar's website:

[https://www.registrar.vt.edu/content/dam/registrar\\_vt\\_edu/documents/Updates/governance/2021-2022/2-14/cusp\\_minutes\\_2\\_14\\_22.pdf](https://www.registrar.vt.edu/content/dam/registrar_vt_edu/documents/Updates/governance/2021-2022/2-14/cusp_minutes_2_14_22.pdf)

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Resolution 2021-22G** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Real Estate Finance, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Finance, Second Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for second reading Resolution 2021-22G *Resolution to Approve New Major, Real Estate Finance, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Finance.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22G.

Hearing no further discussion, a motion was made and seconded to APPROVE Resolution 2021-22G. This Resolution will be forwarded for review at University Council.

**The motion passed unanimously.**

**Resolution 2021-22H** *Resolution for the Establishment of the Department of Real Estate, Second Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for second reading Resolution 2021-22H *Resolution for the Establishment of the Department of Real Estate.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22H.

Hearing no further discussion, a motion was made and seconded to APPROVE Resolution 2021-22H. This Resolution will be forwarded for review at University Council.

**The motion passed unanimously.**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Resolution 2021-22I** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Human Resource Management, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management, First Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for first reading Resolution 2021-22I *Resolution to Approve New Major, Human Resource Management, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22I.

Discussion and clarification topics included the following:

- R. Sparks provided background information on degrees, majors and CIP codes within the Pamplin College of Business.

Hearing no further discussion, Resolution 2021-22I will be forwarded to Faculty Senate, Staff Senate, AP Faculty Senate, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Undergraduate Student Senate for comment. The second reading of Resolution 2021-22I will take place at the next available CUSP meeting.

**Resolution 2021-22J** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Entrepreneurship, Innovation & Technology Management, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management, First Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for first reading Resolution 2021-22J *Resolution to Approve New Major, Entrepreneurship, Innovation & Technology Management, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22J.

Discussion and clarification topics included the following:

- R. Sparks provided background information on degrees, majors and CIP codes within the Pamplin College of Business.

Hearing no further discussion, Resolution 2021-22J will be forwarded to Faculty Senate, Staff Senate, AP Faculty Senate, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Undergraduate Student Senate for comment. The second reading of Resolution 2021-22J will take place at the next available CUSP meeting.

**Resolution 2021-22K** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Management Consulting & Analytics, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management, First Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for first reading Resolution 2021-22K *Resolution to Approve New Major, Management Consulting & Analytics, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Management.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22K.

Discussion and clarification topics included the following:

- R. Sparks provided background information on degrees, majors and CIP codes within the Pamplin College of Business.

Hearing no further discussion, Resolution 2021-22K will be forwarded to Faculty Senate, Staff Senate, AP Faculty Senate, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Undergraduate Student Senate for comment. The second reading of Resolution 2021-22K will take place at the next available CUSP meeting.

**Resolution 2021-22L** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Integrated Agriculture Technologies, in Bachelor of Science in Plant Science, First Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for first reading Resolution 2021-22L *Resolution to Approve New Major, Integrated Agriculture Technologies, in Bachelor of Science in Plant Science.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22L.

Hearing no further discussion, Resolution 2021-22L will be forwarded to Faculty Senate, Staff Senate, AP Faculty Senate, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Undergraduate Student Senate for comment. The second reading of Resolution 2021-22L will take place at the next available CUSP meeting.

**Resolution 2021-22M** *Resolution to Approve New Major, Cybersecurity Management and Analytics, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Business Information Technology, First Reading*

S. Corcoran presented for first reading Resolution 2021-22M *Resolution to Approve New Major, Cybersecurity Management and Analytics, in Bachelor of Science in Business in Business Information Technology.*

S. Corcoran opened the floor for discussion on Resolution 2021-22M.

Discussion and clarification topics included the following:

- R. Sparks provided background information on degrees, majors and CIP codes within the Pamplin College of Business.

Hearing no further discussion, Resolution 2021-22M will be forwarded to Faculty Senate, Staff Senate, AP Faculty Senate, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Undergraduate Student Senate for comment. The second reading of Resolution 2021-22M will take place at the next available CUSP meeting.

**REPORTS AND MINUTES FROM COMMISSION COMMITTEES/SUB -COMMITTEES**

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Academic Support Committee**

No report.

**Academic Policies Committee**

K. Goyne presented the February 2, 2022 minutes of the Academic Policies Committee. A motion was made and seconded to accept the February 2, 2022 minutes of the Academic Policies Committee.

**The motion passed unanimously.**

**Athletics Committee**

H. Gumbert presented the February 10, 2022 minutes of the Athletics Committee. A motion was made and seconded to accept the February 10, 2022 minutes of the Athletics Committee.

**The motion passed unanimously.**

**Commencement Committee**

No report.

**Honor Council**

No report.

**Library Committee**

No report.

**Undergraduate Curriculum Committee**

K. Redican presented the report of the February 11, 2022 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee. A motion was made and seconded to approve the February 11, 2022 report of the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee.

**The motion passed unanimously.**

**UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE REPORT—**

**FEBRUARY 11, 2022**  
**2:00-4:00PM VIA ZOOM**

**FOR “FIRST AND SECOND READING”**  
**UNANIMOUS APPROVAL**

**COURSES**

**New:**

**Summer 2022**

**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences**

CSES 4234: Agrosience Data Integration (CM-7066)

**New:**

**Fall 2022**

**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences**

ENSC 4244: Ecological Restoration (CM-7002)

CSES 4524: Drone Applications in Ag Systems (CM-7067)

**College of Engineering**

CHE 4404: Machine Learning in Chemical Sciences and Engineering (CM-7070)

AOE 3564: Principles of Project Design and Management (CM-7174)

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

IS 3694 (PSCI 3694): Far-right Violence in the United States (CM-7073)

IS 3795, 3796 (PSCI 3795, 3796): Global Terrorism and Counterterrorism (CM-7083)

CHN 3524: Introduction to Chinese Translation (CM-7132)

RLCL 4014: Religion and the Public Sphere (CM-7133)

**College of Natural Resources and Environment**

FIW 4244: Applied Epidemiology of Fish & Wildlife Diseases (CM-7182)

**Pamplin College of Business**

ACIS 1104: Careers in Accounting and Information Systems (CM-7162)

**College of Science**

BDS 4864 (ECON 4864): Developing Behavioral Science Policies & Interventions (CM-7172)

**Revised:**

**Fall 2022**

**College of Architecture and Urban Studies**

BC 2114: Information Technology in Design and Construction (CM-7095)

BC 3014: Building Physics & Environmental Systems (CM-7094)

BC 4314: Building Performance & Energy Management (CM-7093)

**Discontinue:**

**Fall 2022**

**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences**

ENSC 3244: Ecological Restoration (CM-7002)

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

IS 3794 (PSCI 3794): Terrorism and Counterterrorism (CM-7083)

**New:**

**Spring 2023**

**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences**

BCHM 2354: Biochemical Techniques (CM-7089)

BCHM 2364: Biochemical Techniques Laboratory (CM-7092)

**College of Science**

GEOS 4614: Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry (CM-7163)

**Revised:**

**Spring 2023**

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

FMD 4274: International Sourcing of Apparel Products (CM-7074)

**DEGREES, MAJORS, OPTIONS, MINORS**

**Major:**

**Revised:**

**Effective Catalog 2022-2023**

**College of Science**

Revised Major: Microbiology (MICB) under Degree: Bachelor of Science in Business in Microbiology (BSMIC), effective for student date of entry under UG catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7157)

**Major Concentration/Option:**

**Rename/Revised:**

**Effective Catalog 2022-2023**

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

Rename/Revised Major Concentration/Option: Social and Political Justice (SPJ) under Degree: Bachelor of Arts (BA), effective for student date of entry under UG catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7086)

**Revised:**

**Effective Catalog 2022-2023**

**College of Science**

Revised Major Concentration/Option: Biomedical (MICM) under Degree: Bachelor of Science in Microbiology (BSMIC), Major: Microbiology (MICB), effective for student date of entry under UG catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7158)

**Discontinue:**

**Effective Catalog 2022-2023**

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

Discontinue Major Concentration/Option Name: Political Theory (POLT) under Degree: Bachelor of Arts (BA), Major: Political Science (PSCI); last term and year to enroll: Spring 2022, last term and year to graduate: Fall 2025 (CM-7086)

**Minor:**

**Revised:**

**Effective Catalog 2022-2023**

**College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences**

Revised Minor: Music (MUS), effective for student date of entry under UG catalog 2022-2023 (CM-7126)



## **CONSTITUENT REPORTS**

### **Commission on Administrative and Professional Faculty Affairs**

No report.

### **Staff Senate**

No report.

### **Faculty Senate**

No report.

### **Undergraduate Student Senate**

No report.

### **Graduate and Professional Student Senate**

No report.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 3:18 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Becki Smith  
*Office of the University Registrar*