UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE – 2009-2010
Mr. David E. Shipley, Chair
Agricultural and Environmental Sciences - Dr. Timothy L. Foutz
Arts and Sciences - Dr. Roxanne Eberle (Arts)
Dr. Rodney Mauricio (Sciences)
Business - Dr. James S. Linck
Ecology - Dr. James W. Porter, absent
Education - Dr. Yvette Q. Getch, absent
Environment and Design - Mr. Scott S. Weinberg
Family and Consumer Sciences - Dr. Jan M. Hathcote
Forestry and Natural Resources - Dr. Ronald L. Hendrick
Journalism and Mass Communication - Dr. Wendy A. Macias
Law – No representative
Pharmacy - Dr. Keith N. Herist
Public and International Affairs - Dr. Jerome Legge
Public Health – Dr. Phaedra S. Corso absent, Dr. Monica Gaughan substituting
Social Work – Dr. Patricia M. Reeves
Veterinary Medicine - Dr. K. Paige Carmichael absent, Dr. Harry Dickerson substituting
Graduate School - Dr. Malcolm R. Adams
Undergraduate Student Representative – Cameron Seccor
Graduate Student Representative – Robert Shostak

Guests:
Dr. Kirk Cureton
Dr. Mark Ferrara
Dr. Barbara Biesecker
Dr. Jennifer Samp
Dr. Randall Tackett
Dr. Christopher Cornwell
Dr. Richard Neupert
Dr. Denise Mewborn

The University Curriculum Committee met on October 9, 2009, at 3:00 p.m. in room 401 Franklin House. Minutes of the April 24, 2009, meeting were approved.

The committee approved the following proposals which have been forwarded to the Executive Committee of University Council for consideration:
Proposal for a new Major in Athletic Training (B.S.Ed.)
Proposal for a non-thesis option under the Major in Speech Communication (M.A.)
Proposal for a non-thesis option under the Major in Pharmacy (M.S.)
Proposal for a non-thesis option under the Major in Foods and Nutrition (M.S.)
Proposal to Terminate the Minor in Textile Science
Proposal to Terminate the Certificate in Eastern Central European Studies
Proposal to offer a Major in Science Education (M.A.T.) as an External Degree on the Gwinnett Campus
Proposal to offer a Major in Science Education (Ed.S.) as an External Degree in Jackson County
Proposal to revise Academic Affairs Policy Statement #7: Centers and Institutes

The committee approved an Area of Emphasis in Public Policy under the Major in Economics (A.B.).

The committee approved a proposal for two new prefixes: THEA, Theatre, and FILM, Film, to replace DRAM, Drama.

After much discussion, the committee tabled a proposal for a new prefix: FCAS, Franklin College of Arts and Sciences.

The committee approved a proposal to remove High-Demand status from the Major in Furnishings and Interiors (B.S.F.C.S.).

The committee elected the following subcommittee chairs for the 2009-2010 academic year:
   Physical Sciences and Mathematics: Dr. Rodney Mauricio
   Biological Sciences: Dr. Sarah Covert
   Social Sciences: Dr. Jerry Legge
   Humanities and Fine Arts: Dr. Jan Hathcote
   Other Professional Courses: Dr. James Linck

The Environmental Literacy Subcommittee chair, Malcolm Adams, reported that the subcommittee had met and decided to review the courses that currently satisfy the Environmental Literacy requirement. The subcommittee will evaluate each course to determine if it satisfies the criteria specified in the policy. The subcommittee will report the results of the review to the full University Curriculum Committee.

The meeting adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

David E. Shipley, Chair
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Dr. Arnett C. Mace, Jr.
    Professor Jere W. Morehead