



MINUTES

School of Art - Undergraduate Committee

Friday March 9, 2018 – 9:00-10:00am

409 ARTlab

Present: D. Foster (Chair), L. Bridges, P. Hess, M. Lacosse, H. Nicolson, D. Rey, E. Roy, C. Bakun (recorder)

Guests: D. Brueckner

Regrets: J. Bugslag, C. Janes, H. Kalberg, C. Wazny

1) APPROVAL OF AGENDA

P. Hess MOVED, seconded by D. Rey, THAT the agenda be approved as circulated.

CARRIED

2) APPROVAL OF MINUTES – February 9, 2018

L. Bridges MOVED, seconded by E. Roy, THAT the minutes be approved as circulated.

CARRIED

3) BUSINESS ARISING

a) Topics courses

A listing of the topics courses that have been offered was circulated to the committee. The list will be organized by year and by subject to better understand what is being offered. Heather will work on extracting this information from Aurora for discussion at the next meeting.

b) Committee work plan

Send suggestions for work plan to Corrine and she will collate. The topics courses will be added as an item.

4) **BFA ART HISTORY CURRICULUM COMMITTEE REPORT – tabled until next meeting**

David Foster met with Karen Wilson from Architecture to continue discussions about the course in Architecture. He reiterated concerns about the course

duplication and assignments. Architecture has taken steps to change the assignments to remove the confusion for students. Architecture will be continuing to offer this course to their students and will be taking steps to ensure that their students cannot take School of Art course. We will need to ensure that School of Art students cannot take the Architecture course. The following motion was carried:

D. Foster MOVED, seconded by J. Bugslag, to recommend to Undergraduate Committee THAT School of Art students are not able to take Architecture courses EVDS 1760 and EVDS 1770 for credit.

CARRIED

5) BFA STUDIO CURRICULUM COMMITTEE REPORT- tabled until next meeting

a) In the student feedback session, students expressed a lack of community amongst students. As a result of this discussion, this committee would like to recommend reinstating the 3rd year field trip as it builds a sense of community and exposure to both art history and contemporary art. The following motion was carried:

O. Botar MOVED, seconded by M. Neufeld, recommend to the Undergraduate Program Committee, THAT the 3rd year field trip be reinstated.

b) The committee would like to bring forward to Undergraduate Committee the idea of reinstating a dedicated common time for students and school events. This will encourage participation. The following motion was carried:

M. Neufeld MOVED, seconded by O. Botar, recommend to Undergraduate Program Committee, THAT a dedicated weekly common time be reinstated to foster student and school events.

ADJOURNMENT – 10:05am

Next meeting date: 9:00-10:00am room 409 ARTlab	Date agenda items to recording secretary to be included in next meeting agenda
Friday April 13, 2018	Friday March 30, 2018