AGENDA
MEETING OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARDS
of the General College and the College of Arts and Sciences
Wednesday, April 20, 2011
3:00–5:00 PM Steele Building

1. Welcome by Senior Associate Dean Bobbi Owen

2. Study Abroad proposals and SAO Advisory Board report
   - Spring Semester Field Studies Program in Ecuador
   - University of Warwick exchange program
   - Burch Field Research Seminar in German history, culture, and politics
   - Burch Field Research Seminar in Maya cultural heritage

3. School of Education: New minor in education

4. BA degree with a major in Religious Studies: Jewish Studies concentration

5. Curriculum Changes:
   - Department of Economics
     *B.A. degree with a major in economics and the minor in entrepreneurship*
     Require a grade of C or better in ECON 101 as a gateway course for the major and a prerequisite course for the minor
   - Department of Physics and Astronomy
     *B.A. degree with a major in physics and astronomy—astronomy option*
     Delete “one PHYS course numbered above 200’ from the requirements for the major; delete “PHYS 631 and 632” as an alternative for “MATH 528 and 529; add ASTR 111L as a substitute for ASTR 101L; add ASTR 102 and 301 to the core requirements for the major; add as a core requirement “three additional courses chosen from the following list: ASTR 501, 502, 503, 505, 519; PHYS 331 (if taken, the project should be on an astrophysics topic).”
     With the approval of the B.S. degree with a major in physics and astronomy—astrophysics option, retile the current B.S. major in physics and astronomy the “standard option,” and delete “PHYS 631 and 632” as an alternative for “MATH 528 and 529.”

   *Minor in astronomy*
   Change the courses in the minor from “three semesters of introductory physics and astronomy (PHYS 116, 117; ASTR 101/101L) and two courses chosen from ASTR 291, 301, and 519” to “four semesters of introductory physics and astronomy (PHYS 116, 117; ASTR 101, 102); 1-credit of introductory astronomy laboratory (ASTR 101L or 111L); and ASTR 391 or 519.”
• **Department of Public Policy**
  Add PLCY 205, PLCY 527, HNRS 352, HPM 404, and HPM 435 to the list of elective and field concentration courses satisfying requirements for the major.

6. Curriculum Committee report. Associate Dean Erika Lindemann

7. Announcements

8. Adjournment to the terrace at the Carolina Inn

Fall meetings:
Tuesday, September 27, 3:30 pm, 3020 Steele Building
Tuesday, October 25, 3:30 pm, 3020 Steele Building
Tuesday, November 29, 3:30 pm, 3020 Steele Building