

MBA Policy Committee

11/5/03
1:00 PM
BS 3023

Attendees: Steve Jones, Julie Magid, Rich Rogers, Phil Powell, Todd Saxton, Tony Cox, Jane Lambert

Agenda

Approval of October Minutes	S. Jones
Report on Academic Counsel vote on joint MBA/Purdue MS Engineering & Science programs	S. Jones
Discussion of possible joint MSMT/Purdue BS in Engineering & Science	S. Jones/J. Hassell
Possible distance course with School of Medicine	S. Jones
Continued discussion of "integrating" the Evening MBA Core	S. Jones
SAB business: Upcoming social/faculty advisor?	S. Jones
Other business	

Additional Information

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Meeting called by: Steve Jones
Note taker: Julie Moore

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Approval of October Minutes S. Jones

Discussion: October minutes were reviewed and approved with no changes

Conclusions:

Action items:

Person responsible:

Deadline:

Report on Academic Counsel vote on joint MBA/Purdue MS Engineering & Science programs S. Jones

Discussion: Steve Jones reported the Academic Counsel passed the proposal on the joint MBA/Purdue MS in Engineering & Science programs. The proposal will now go before the full faculty for approval.

Conclusions:

Action items:

Person responsible:

Deadline:

S. Jones/J. Hassell

**Discussion of possible joint
MSMT/Purdue BS in Engineering &
Science**

S. Jones/J. Hassell

Discussion: Continued

Conclusions:

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Person responsible:

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**Possible distance course with School
of Medicine**

S. Jones

Discussion: Information was distributed on a possible distance course with the School of Medicine "*Roles of Physicians and Scientists in the Business World*". Committee viewed this course as more of a "seminar" or as course packet material.

Conclusions: The committee would not give academic credit for this series but would consider jointly sponsoring with the School of Medicine as a seminar series or possibly building a course around this material, but would need a syllabus to approve a course.

Action items: Steve to indicate above to Roger.

Person responsible:

Deadline:

S. Jones

**Continued discussion of "integrating"
the Evening MBA Core**

S. Jones

Discussion: Core faculty need to meet in December to discuss what each other covers and scheduling of exams.

Todd Saxton reported shortening J501 to 8 weeks was difficult, he plans to coordinate more material with other Module II classes, G512 and F523 .

Student attitudes and work ethic seem to be getting worse – students are not coming to class prepared. Changing grade policy to limit the number of "Cs" was discussed. Two groups – one works, one slides. Advisors need to tell students to check Oncourse regularly and before 1st class.

Conclusions:

Action items:

Person responsible:

Deadline:

SAB business: Upcoming social/faculty advisor?

S. Jones

Discussion: MBA Student Advisory Board is also struggling with student apathy. Few students attend social gatherings. Steve asked that faculty/staff support the upcoming family bowling night at Woodland Bowl in Carmel.

Conclusions:

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Other business

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