

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA
Undergraduate Council
Minutes of April 26th, 2010

Present: Michael LeVan (Chair), Chad Michaels, Ken Christensen, Sherman Dorn, Garnet Butchart, Jay Coble, Karla Davis-Salazar, Laura Gonzalez, Khalid Hassouneh, Cassandra Hanjian

Absent: Kay Perrin (excused), Kathy Hyer, Sarah Niewold

Guests/Ex Officio: Janet Moore (UGS), Michael Kanning (UGS), Diane TeStrake (CAS), Jackie Nelson, Michael Fountain, JoAnne Larsen, David A. Williams, Daphne Thomas, Catherine Batsche, Beatrice Smith, Danielle Dennis, Kathryn Laframboise,

- i) MUG3xxx Advanced Conducting Provides USF music education majors with a competency-based lab experience in conducting while placing an emphasis on developing advanced skills necessary to lead an ensemble in rehearsal and performance. Restricted to Music Education Majors. Course was **approved**.

Substantive Change proposals

- a) MAE4320 Mathematics Teaching in the Middle Grades Changes **approved**.
- b) MAE4330 Teaching High School Senior Mathematics Changes **approved**.
- c) MAE4551 Reading the Language of Mathematics Changes **approved**.
- d) MAE4652 Technology for Teaching Secondary Mathematics I Changes **approved**.
- e) MAE4653 Technology for Teaching Secondary Mathematics II Changes **approved**.

Non-substantive changes

- a) **Approved** via consent agenda: MUE2090, MUE3421, MUE3422, MUE3423, MUE4311, MUE4331, MUE4332, MUE4936, MUE4940.

4 New Business

- a) College of Business proposal for a laptop requirement Jackie Nelson spoke to the council regarding this proposal. The College of Business is already experiencing problems sharing the existing computer labs, and recent changes will decrease the number of labs available for use. As a result, the college would like to require laptops. Instituting such an explicit requirement makes laptops able to be purchased using student aid funds. There were concerns that this policy may appear to solve an institutional problem by passing it on to students.