The Faculty Senate Academic Affairs Committee was scheduled to convene for a meeting on March 21, 2006. Due to spring break and anticipated absences of many members of the committee, the committee decided to have agenda items approved electronically for those items needing timely committee approval before the March 27, 2006 Faculty Senate Executive Committee. The agenda was published on March 8, 2006, and motions were made electronically. After time for discussion, a vote was taken by email on March 14 & 15.

1. A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approval the March 7, 2006 minutes. Motion carried.

2. Course and Curriculum Changes

   A. Undergraduate Education

      1. A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approve undergraduate course and curriculum changes approved by the College of Agriculture on February 24, 2006:

      **COURSE CHANGES**
      
      **Agricultural Economics – Prerequisite changes only to the following courses**

      AGEC 202 Small Business Operations  
      From: ECON 110 To: ECON 110 or AGEC 120 or ECON 120, not open to AGEC or AGBUS majors.

      AGEC 415 The Global Agricultural Economy, Hunger, and Poverty  
      From: ECON 110 and AGEC 120 or ECON 120  To: AGEC 120 or ECON 120

      AGEC 445 Agribusiness Internship  
      From: Junior standing and prior departmental approval  To: Consent of the Instructor

      AGEC 490 Computer Applications in Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness  
      From: AGEC 105, AGEC 120 or ECON 120, MATH 100  To: AGEC 120 or ECON 120, MATH 100

      AGEC 505 Agricultural Market Structures  
      From: ECON 110 and AGEC 500  To: AGEC 500

      AGEC 516 Agricultural Law and Economics  
      From: ECON 110, Junior standing  To: ECON 110 or AGEC 120 or ECON 120, Junior standing

      AGEC 525 Natural Resource and Environmental Economics  
      From: ECON 120 or AGEC 120, Junior standing  To: AGEC 120 or ECON 110 or ECON 120, Junior standing

      AGEC 598 Farm Management Strategies  
      From: AGEC 120, AGEC 308, AGEC 500, AGEC 513  To: AGEC 308 or AGEC 318, AGEC 500, AGEC 513 or FINAN 450

      AGEC 599 Food and Agribusiness Management Strategies  
      From: AGEC 318, AGEC 500, AGEC 513 or FINAN 450, AGEC 515  To: AGEC 318, AGEC 500, AGEC 513 or FINAN 450 Recommended: AGEC 515

      **Agronomy- Prerequisite changes only to the following courses**

      AGRON 360 Crop Growth and Development  
      From: Pr.: AGRON 220 and 305  To: Pr.: CHM 110 or 210. Rec. Pr.: AGRON 220 and 305

      AGRON 560 Field Identification of Range and Pasture Plants (Delete prerequisites)
The following courses in Agronomy are changing their prerequisites to recommended prerequisites:

AGRON 335 Environmental Quality
AGRON 375 Soil Fertility
AGRON 415 Soil Judging
AGRON 450 Crops Team
AGRON 455 Computer Appl in Agronomy
AGRON 515 Soil Genesis and Classification
AGRON 550 Forage Management & Utilization

Animal Sciences & Industry
The following courses in Animal Sciences & Industry are changing their prerequisites to recommended prerequisites:

ASI 105 Animal Sciences & Industry
ASI 310 Poultry & Poultry Product Evaluation
ASI 318 Fundamentals of Nutrition
ASI 320 Principles of Feeding
ASI 422 Livestock Sales Management
ASI 450 Principles of Livestock Selection
ASI 515 Beef Science
ASI 595 Contemporary Issues Animal Sci. & Ag.

Communications – Prerequisite changes only to the following courses
AGCOM 400 Agricultural Business Communications
From: Pr.: ENGL 100 To: Pr.: ENGL 100 and sophomore standing or above

AGCOM 410 Agricultural Student Magazine
From: Pr.: MC 400 To: Pr.: MC 200. Rec. Pr.: MC 241, MC 331

AGCOM 420 Topics in Agricultural Communication
From: - To: Pr.: Instructor permission

AGCOM 550 Internship in Agricultural Communications
From: Pr.: Junior Standing and departmental approval To: Pr.: Instructor permission

Entomology
ADD:
ENTOM 599 Problems in Entomology

Food Sciences & Industry – Prerequisite changes only to the following courses
The following courses in Food Sciences & Industry are changing their prerequisites to recommended prerequisites:

FDSCI 430 Food Products Evaluation
FDSCI 501 Food Chemistry

General Agriculture
Course description change:
GENAG 200 Topics in Agriculture

Grain Science & Industry – Prerequisite changes only to the following courses
The following courses in Grain Science & Industry are changing their prerequisites to recommended prerequisites:

GRSC 100 Principles of Milling
GRSC 110 Flow Sheets
GRSC 405 Grain Analysis Techniques
GRSC 500 Milling Science I
GRSC 510 Feed Tech I
GRSC 591 Commercial Feed & Food Mfg Intern

**Horticulture, Forestry and Recreation Resources**
HORT 525 Horticulture for Special Populations (Delete prerequisites)
HORT 530 Horticultural Therapy Case Management (Delete prerequisites)
HORT 540 Horticultural Therapy Field Experiences (Delete prerequisites)

The following courses in Horticulture, Forestry and Recreation Resources are changing their prerequisites to recommended prerequisites:

FOR 510 Park and Urban Forestry
HORT 201 Principles of Horticultural Science
HORT 350 Plant Propagation
HORT 374 Woody Plant Materials I
HORT 375 Woody Plant Materials II
HORT 508 Landscape Maintenance
HORT 515 Turf Management
HORT 519 Turfgrass Pest Management
HORT 550 Landscape Irrigation Systems
HORT 551 Landscape Contract. & Construction
HORT 575 Nursery & Garden Center Operations
HORT 582 Horticultural Pest Management
HORT 585 Arboriculture
HORT 590 Horticulture Internship
RRES 310 Outdoor Recreation Leadership

**Plant Pathology**
Changes to course descriptions and prerequisites:
PLPTH 300 Microbes, Plants, and the Human Perspective
PLPTH 500 Principles of Plant Pathology
PLPTH 590 Landscape Diseases
PLPTH 599 Undergraduate Research in Plant Pathology

**CURRICULUM CHANGES**
Reorganization of the Agricultural Technology Management Minor (See last page of white sheets for further information and rationale)

Motion carried.

2. A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approve undergraduate course and curriculum changes approved by the College of Human Ecology on February 27, 2006:

**COURSE CHANGES**
*School of Family Studies and Human Services*
ADD:
FSHS 531 Core Conflict Resolution
FSHS 532 Conflict Resolution across Cultures & Contexts
FSHS 533 Prevention & Intervention of Violence
FSHS 534 Conflict in Organizations
FSHS 535 Divorce & Child Custody Mediation

**CURRICULUM CHANGES**
*School of Family Studies and Human Services*
New: Undergraduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution (See pages 4-8 of white sheets for details)

Motion carried.

3. A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approve undergraduate course and curriculum changes approved by the College of Education on February 28, 2006:

**COURSE CHANGES**

*Department of Elementary Education*

- EDEL 200 Teaching as a Career (change in prerequisites)
- EDEL 230 Early Field Experience (change in prerequisites)
- EDEL 310 Foundations of Education (change in prerequisites)

Motion carried

B. Graduate Education – A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approve graduate course and curriculum changes approved by the Graduate Council on March 7, 2006:

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Geoenvironmental Engineering Certificate Program (delete Engineering from the title)
Microbiology PhD requirements (extended list of courses)

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Motion carried.

3. Graduation lists and/or additions

A. A motion was made by Erickson and seconded by Sachs to approve an addition to a graduation list. December 2005

Jeremy Edward Romain – Bachelor of Science in Business Administration
Nicholas R. Reynolds – Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Motion carried.