

UNIVERSITY STUDIES MINUTES
September 29, 2016

Present: Hones, Jones, Loiacono, Mihalick, Price, Robson, Sandberg, Szromba
Excused: McNiel, Roth
Absent:

Administrative Representative: AVC Carleen Vande Zande
Academic Staff Representative: Lisa Szromba
Oshkosh Student Association Representative: TBD
Registrar: Lisa Danielson
Guests: Liz Whalley, Debbie Grey-Patton

I. Call to order

Chair, Emmet Sandberg called the meeting to order at 1:34 p.m.

II. Election of Chair

D. Robson nominated E. Sandberg for chair. Nomination was accepted. No further nominations made, nominations closed.

MOTION: Move to approve the appointment of chair to Emmet Sandberg by Robson/Jones. Passed Unanimously.

III. Approval of the minutes of May 5, 2016 & September 15, 2016.

MOTION: Moved to approve both sets of minutes as amended by Robson/Hones. Passed Unanimously

IV. Old Business – None

V. New Business/Action Items -

- A. Explore: ANTHRO 122 – Living and Learning in a Global Community
- B. Explore: ART 209 – Art History Survey I
- C. Explore: ART 210 – Art History Survey II
- D. Explore: HISTORY 101 – Early Civilization

MOTION: Moved to approve items A-D by Mihalick/Price. Passed Unanimously

- E. E-Portfolios – can we waive the requirement? –

MOTION: Move to waive the E-Portfolio requirement, with it being revisited in the future, by Robson/Price. Passed Unanimously

- F. Syllabus Checklists -

MOTION: Move to endorse the updated checklists by Robson/Jones. Passed Unanimously

VI. Discussion

- A. USP 100 – Concerns over if the course is still necessary or serving its purpose were shared. It could serve a retention tool, but could something else if it is this is eliminated? A draft proposal for a potential alternate plan will be coming before the committee at an upcoming meeting.
- B. Quest II - Not discussed
- C. USP data compilation for the past three years - Not discussed
- F. SQ's in WBIS and Comm – How to Judge - Not discussed

VII. Announcements - None

Moved to adjourn by Robson at 2:30.

Respectfully submitted,
April Dutschek