

UNIVERSITY STUDIES MINUTES
November 19, 2014

Present: Alatorre, Jones, Mihalick, Sandberg, Schettler, Slagter, Taegnoi
Excused: MacWilliams, Roth
Absent:

Administrative Representative: AVC Carleen Vande Zande
Academic Staff Representative: Victor Alatorre
Oshkosh Student Association Representative: Jordan Schettler
Registrar: Lisa Danielson
Guests: Liz Whalley

I. Call to order

David Jones called the meeting to order at 12:40 p.m.

II. Approval of the minutes of November 12, 2014

MOTION: Moved to approve as amended by Sandburg/Slagter. Passed

III. Old Business – None

IV. New Business/Action Items

A. Signature Question Requirements: proposal to reduce requirement to two SQs out of three

Discussion only: Both drafted proposals advantages and problematic issues were noted.

Intentions to keep USP standards and requirements that are structurally key for integrity are important. It was also noted that the bigger picture involves keeping QIII from having potential scheduling conflicts and/or advising and scheduling problems for students.

B. Transfer students and the USP: proposal to alter transfer student requirements in USP

MOTION: Moved to approve by Mihalick/Schettler. Passed Unanimously.

V. Discussion -

Quest II Faculty Group recommendations: rethinking of how we teach ethical reasoning in Quest II.

To be on the next agenda for future discussion.

VI. Items from Members

A. Discussion of USP being created with the intent of having students exposed to all three signature questions was held, and concerns with the challenges that brings.

Meeting adjourned at 1:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
April Dutscheck