

Development of an Undergraduate Major Committee (DUMC)

April 10, 2019, 2:00 – 3:00 pm, C021 Plant Sciences

NOTES

Attendees: Cini, Frank, Franck, Vamsi, Jane, Punya, and Tamla

New courses and program

- Work flow for courses has been started (Vamsi)
- Vamsi completed the one-page curriculum summary and is working on the 4-year plan
- Work flow for program will be started about May 1, with CPP attached.
- Update on AGRI 181 as a cross-college requirement (Franck). We will not include AGRI 181 in the curriculum now because it is an experimental course. When it is a regular course, we will add it to the curriculum.
- Update on Statistics course changes (Franck). We will change our curriculum as needed when the new courses are available.

Comprehensive Program Proposal

- **Complete your sections of the CPP by Monday, April 29.**
- Here is the link to the CPP document to edit:
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1eRol71RVsmYOAz-Ilbmr12CnFVtBFd9U0SdBxu-JqZl/edit>
- We will submit the CPP to Vice President for Undergraduate Affairs around May 1.

Section I. (Todd & Cini) – Cini will check with Todd about completing I.14 Summary of Program Rationale.

Section II. (Frank) – Frank has completed this section.

Section III. (Cini & Amy) – Working on it. Amy added a lot of material. Cini will work on adding quantitative data over the weekend.

Section IV. (Amy) – Amy will work on IV.1 . She added most of the information needed in the rest of it, with edits of curriculum by Vamsi.

Section V. (Cini & Amy) - Amy will work on V.1. She added material to all other sections. Needs finishing touches.

Section VI. (Vamsi) – Vamsi has completed this section.

- Need to check whether AUCC courses must be included in the CPP curriculum. **Cini** will help checking on this with Andrea Russo and/or Shelly Ellerby, if needed.
- Also, need to check on VI.d. **Vamsi** will ask Matt Camper about this.

Section VII. (Jane) – Jane has completed this section but wants to double check a couple of things with the Geography CPP. Jane asked for suggestions for parts of this section. We discussed setting up a Needs Assessment Committee to evaluate the success of the program. Vamsi mentioned surveys can be set up in Canvas to facilitate evaluation of program success.

Section VIII. (Vamsi) –

- VIII1. Need to check whether AUCC courses must be included in the CPP curriculum. Cini will help checking on this with Andrea Russo and/or Shelly Ellerby, if needed.

Section IX. (Amy) - Amy has a good start on this. **Janet** will help gather faculty CVs (2-pagers).

Section X. (Amy) – This is mostly complete. X4b still needs to be completed.

Section XI. (Amy) – This section is mostly complete.

Section XII. (Tamla) – This is complete.

Section XII. (Todd) – Complete. Only refining needed.

Section IV. (Amy) – Under construction.

Concentrations

Vamsi will change the “Plant Health” concentration to “Plant Health Management.”

Must students take a concentration? Yes. They must choose between Plant Health Management, Entomology, Plant Pathology, or Weed Science.

The next DUMC meeting will be **Wednesday, May 1, 2:00 pm, C021 Plant Sciences**