

MU CORE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
APPROVED MINUTES FROM 2/24/2010

IN ATTENDANCE: Monahan, Shuter, Peterson, Curran, Mynlieff, LaBelle, Zeps, Uglan, Meus, Geiser, Mattox, Factor

Meeting called to order at 3:35 PM.

Reflection offered by Jane Peterson.

Minutes from February 10th meeting were discussed and a minor error corrected. Motion was offered by Zeps to approve the minutes, and seconded by Peterson. Motion was unanimously approved.

Dr. Margaret Bloom and Connie Bennett discussed the MU transfer policy as it relates to the MU core. Dr. Bloom argued that MU's transfer policy, one that presently entails college-by-college decisions susceptible to inconsistency, is confusing to transfer students. With significantly increasing number of US students electing to attend two year colleges, it is in MU's best interest, argued Bloom, to modify Marquette's transfer policy to ensure that core classes taken at two year colleges can more easily transfer to Marquette. An animated discussion ensued. It was agreed that the discussion would be continued at the next meeting on March 10, 2010.

There was also a brief discussion of a review policy for core courses with Dr. Bloom.

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 PM