

Curricular Affairs Committee Draft Agenda April 20 2011 1-2 pm Kayak room

1. GERK subcommittee report: where to from here?????

2. motions approved by Core Committee that you should be aware of...

MOTION:

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to amend the policies on course compression and course approval by adding the following language (below):

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Any course compressed to less than six weeks must be approved by the college or school's curriculum council. Furthermore, [[any]] core course**S MAY NOT BE** compressed to less than six weeks [[must be approved by the Core Review Committee]].

Any new course proposal must indicate those course compression formats in which the course will be taught. Only those formats approved will be allowed for scheduling.

EFFECTIVE: Fall 2011

RATIONALE: There is currently no compliance of assessment of compressed core courses. The 1996 amendment to the original course compression motion has not been assessed and the Core Review Committee deems that compression of core courses is not in agreement with the intent of the core.

MOTION:

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to enforce core assessment compliance across delivery methods.

EFFECTIVE: Fall 2011

RATIONALE: This motion ensures that courses bearing the core designator will be assessed in the same manner across delivery methods. Currently many correspondence courses and summer session courses do not observe the core assessment.

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ALL UAF COURSES BEARING A CORE DESIGNATION MUST COMPLY WITH CORE ASSESSMENT. THIS INCLUDES COURSES OFFERED THROUGH DISTANCE DELIVERY AS WELL AS COURSES NOT OFFERED IN FALL/ SPRING SEMESTERS.

3. Report from the Joint GACK-CAC subcommittee on Stacked Courses

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