Minutes of the Engineering Undergraduate Studies Committee (EUSC)

March 30, 2016

Present, EUSC: Masten (ENE), Genik (AES), Lee (CHEMS), Rothwell (ECE), Buch (DE), Brereton (ME), Owen (CSE), Frahm (Student), Miles (Student)

Absent, EUSC: Mahapatra (ECE, UCC), Liao (BAE)

Also present: Idema (DE), Pease (DE), D. Briedis (CHE), G. Blanchard (CEM), S. Poulios (CEM) and L. Posey (CEM)

1. Agenda: APPROVED

2. Draft Minutes of February 3, 2016 were APPROVED.

3. Gary Blanchard, Steven Poulios and Lynmarie Posey from Chemistry were present to inform the EUSC of reforms to the Chemistry curriculum. The revised CEM 141 and 142 were discussed. Chemistry is considering petitioning to have the equivalency of CEM 141 and CEM 151 and the equivalency of CEM 142 and CEM 152 removed. For students in CE, ME, AES, EE, CpE, should the CEM requirements should be the same. There is a lot of major changing among CE, ME and AES, and between EE and CpE. There was some discussion about creating a “new” Chemistry course that will serve the needs of the engineering students, pending discussions with the Chemistry faculty. Susan Masten agreed to send a table comparing the content in the “original” CEM 141 and CEM 141 (CLUE).

4. CHE Program Change, CHE Course Changes: CHE 210, CHE 301 were APPROVED with effective dates of US17 or FS17.

5. MSE Course Changes: MSE 310, MSE 331, MSE 381, MSE 466 were APPROVED with effective dates of US17 or FS17.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:10 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Neeraj Buch