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# The Faculty Senate of Liberty University

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## Senate Minutes

**Thursday, December 1, 2005, 3:20pm, DH 1104**

**Call to Order** – *B. Gutierrez*

**Invocation** - *D. Beck*

**Administrative Comments** – *B. Rist*

**Presentation of Minutes** – *D. Love*

**Update on Constitutional Revisions (Ad Hoc) & “Voting Ex Officio Members”** - *B. Gutierrez*

In Article IX B. *"Among the ex officio members of the Faculty Senate, only those who are full-time faculty of Liberty University shall be voting ex officio members of the Senate."*

Since the only definition we presently have on "full-time faculty" is what is written in a faculty member's contract and since the Senate Elections committee does not see contracts, then the question of voting will be left to the integrity of the individual ex officio members. This is also true of the Senate Committee ex officio members.

## Reports

**Proposal for a change the title of Interiors and Fashion Merchandising Major (INFM) to Fashion Merchandising and Interiors (FMIN).** The new name aligns itself with the other majors in the Family and Consumer Sciences Department.

(For information only)

**Undergraduate Curriculum Committee** – *K. Prior*

## Old Business

**SB 1802 (Undergraduate Curriculum) Proposal for a new concentration in music performance.**

MUSC 1X1 Private Music Instruction (Fr)	0-1 hours
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MUSC 2X1 Private Music Instruction (So)	1 hour
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MUSC 3X1 Private Music Instruction (Jr)	1 hour
MUSC 398 Junior Recital	1 hour
MUSC 4X1 Private Music Instruction (Sr)	1 hour
Upper level music electives	<u>7-8</u> hours
Total:	14-16 hours

**Proposed new course:**

MUSC 398 Junior Recital

1 credit hour

Pre-requisites: completion of the DFA Junior Candidacy Review, completion of one semester of junior level private music performance instruction, and co-enrollment in the second semester of junior level private music performance instruction.

(2<sup>nd</sup> Read)

*Passed Unanimously*

**SB 1803 (Curriculum Committee) Proposal for new courses in Music.**

MUSC 194 Wind Ensemble 1 hour

An auditioned ensemble specializing in advanced instrumental repertoire. The ensemble prepares for an extensive concert tour in the Spring, annual Spring Concert, and other local performances. Lab fee.

MUSC 494 Wind Ensemble 1 hour

Prerequisite: 4 semesters of MUSC 194. A Continuation of MUSC 194. An auditioned ensemble specializing in advanced instrumental repertoire. The ensemble prepares for an extensive concert tour in the Spring, annual Spring Concert, and other local performances. Lab fee.

(2<sup>nd</sup> Read)

*Passed Unanimously*

**SB1804 (Curriculum Committee) Proposal for New Specialization in Psychology: Industrial & Organizational Psychology Specialization**

Required courses:

PSYC 315 Applied Psychology

PSYC 316 Industrial & Organizational Psychology (new course)

12 hours chosen from among the following courses would be required:

PSYC 235 Adult Psychology

PSYC 305 Substance Abuse

PSYC 312 Social Psychology

PSYC 320 Behavior Management

PSYC 405 Group Dynamics

PSYC 421 Psychological Measurement

BUSI 342 Human Resources Management

HLTH 453 Health Planning & Promotions

**Proposed new course:**

PSYC 316 Industrial & Organizational Psychology

3 hours

Industrial and Organizational (I/O) Psychology is the application of the scientific study of human behavior and mental processes to work organizations. This course will examine the major tasks of the I/O psychologist and examine the various theories pertaining to employee recruitment, selection, training, evaluation, motivation,

leadership, and job attitudes. Additional time will be dedicated to the investigation of engineering psychology and consumer behavior.

PREREQUISITES: PSYC 101 General Psychology or PSYC 210 Development Psychology

(2<sup>nd</sup> Read)

*Passed Unanimously*

**New Business**

**SB1805 (General Education Committee) Integrative credit will be applied to the following courses: THEA 450/ENGL 450, and SPAN 324.**

(1<sup>st</sup> Read)

*A motion was raised and seconded to officially send SB1807 back to Gen. Ed. Committee requesting further clarifying information.*

**SB1806 (Curriculum Committee) Proposal for a new course NURS 420**

NURS 420 Comprehensive Pain Management 3 credit hours

Prerequisites: NURS 210, 215, 221, 301, 302, 305, 306 or permission of the professor

**Proposal for a new course NURS 420**

NURS 420 Comprehensive Pain Management 3 credit hours

Prerequisites: NURS 210, 215, 221, 301, 302, 305, 306 or permission of the professor

### **Course Description**

This course emphasizes the development of the nurse as an advocate pertaining to pain management. Areas of study include societal bias, ethnic and gender biases related to pain management, ethical and legal considerations, and the nurse's role in the development of a therapeutic culture for pain management. This course will establish a sound foundation for nurses to take a leadership role in pain management.

(1<sup>st</sup> Read)

**Additional Business**

- **Jim Pickering- The Elections Committee would like to remind the senators to be prepared with their nominations for Executive Committee by the March meeting.**

**Adjourned at 3:57 PM**

Respectfully Submitted,

Donald R. Love III