October 22, 2015

To: Dean Van Galen, Chancellor  
116 North Hall  
University of Wisconsin-River Falls

From: James Graham, Chair  
Faculty Senate  
University of Wisconsin-River Falls

Re: UWRF Faculty Senate Motion 2015-16/25

The following motion was approved unanimously by the Faculty Senate on October 21, 2015:

A motion from the Academic Programs and Policies Committee (Mialisa Moline, Chair) to approve the following:
  a. Course Cross-listing: ENGL/SASA 381 (See Attached)

Approved

Dean Van Galen, Chancellor  
Date 10/23/15
To: Tricia Davis, Associate Dean  
College of Arts and Sciences  
From: Marshall Toman, Chair  
Department of English  
Date: September 18, 2015  
Subject: Crosslisting ENGL 381, Screenwriting, with SASA as ENGL/SASA 381

The instructor, Joe Rein, SASA chair Robin Murray, and I have all agreed that crosslisting ENGL 381, Screenwriting, with SASA is a good idea.

At its department meeting today, the English Department approved the crosslisting unanimously.

I am writing as chair to affirm our desire for this crosslisting.

Copy: Robin Murray, Chair, SASA  
Joe Rein, Instructor, ENGL 381  
Erik Johnson, Lead Professor in SASA’s film offerings.

Attachment: 9-18-15 Dept. Minutes
Change in Prerequisites for 381

Robin Murray
To: Marshall Toman

We would certainly approve of this.
Robin
Robin Murray, Chair Stage and Screen Arts
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"An essential aspect of creativity is not being afraid to fail." --Edwin Land, American scientist and inventor
Agenda
English Department
September 18, 2015
140 KFA.

Expected: Brantley, Gaard, Klemp, Luebke, Margolis, Moline, Parkinson, Pavlov, Rein, Ross-Stroud, Schneider-Rebozo; Toman.
Absent:
APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES from August 24, 2015 (Doug, Michelle) declared passed unanimously.

REPORTS
1. Monthly Bulletin: Four times per year. Please contribute if you have things to insert. Get information to Sheri in Microsoft Word for the first 2015-2016 Bulletin by Friday, October 1.
2. River Falls Reads: Kitchens of the Great Midwest by J. Ryan Stradal
3. English Advising.
   a. The presumption was that most English majors will make the cutoff to go directly into ENGL 200 or will have transferred in ENGL 100. Therefore, ENGL 200.44 (for English majors) was offered in the fall. A good course for them to take in the spring will be ENGL 251 or ENGL 106.44:
      i. 251:01  100-150  MWF  Gaard
      ii. 251:02  200-315  TR  Ross-Stroud
      iii. 106.44  1000-1050  MWF  TBD (Tenureline faculty)
4. Library Liaison: Brad Gee.
   The change might result in more funding for English collection development. The Form to order books should go to Jane Betz. Brad would like to promote service to students in majors. The library is not staffing the research help desk. The circulation desk is the first stop. Reference librarians are on call and will be contacted if the circ desk determines that that sort of consultation is necessary. Promote Brad to English Majors. A student can request Brad in person any time and on the phone or via email to set up an appointment. Marshall commended the library.

2. Curriculum Matters
1. ENGL 379 for TTAP, still on hold due to CAS Dean’s Office’s developing a uniform international internship course. No change.
2. Changes to ENGL Broad Area Education major passed APP Wed., Sept. 9; Sen. 916
3. Changes to Professional Writing Major and Minor passed APP Wed., Sept. 9; Sen. 916

Assessment
1. Senior Exit Surveys for 2015-2016
   a. ENGL ED: TED 432 (Catherine F15.)
   b. Lit: 444 (Lissa F15.)
   c. Creative Writing: 482 (Jenny S16)
   d. Professional Writing: 494 (Mialisa S16)
e. TESOL: 420 (Annette S16)
f. TESOL MA: 620 (Annette S16)

7. Other Reports?
g. Other: Greta on Sheri. Get letters of support for Sheri to Greta.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

1. Change of designator: “ENGL” /“TESL.”
   a. Motion: “The ENGL designator for following courses should be changed to TESL: 701 and 720.” (701 is “Writing, Reading, and Research for TESOL” and 720 is “Educational Linguistics.”) (Steve, Michelle) The proposal approved unanimously.

2. ENGL 381: Screenwriting
   a. Suggested motion from the English Department Curriculum Committee: “ENGL 381, Screenwriting, shall be crosslisted as SASA 381, Screenwriting.” The motion passed unanimously.

3. Joe Rein spoke of the Web series, which will star Dr. Parkinson as a Women’s Studies Professor with three university gentlemen in her class who are failing it.

4. Marshall had brought the application form and information about the proposed new organization of the Liberal Arts.

MISC. BUSINESS

ADJOURN (Doug, Greta): declared passed unanimously.

Fall Dept. Meetings

Friday, September 18, 2:00, Room 140 KFA
Friday, October 16, 2:00, Room 140 KFA
Friday, November 6, 2:00, Room 140 KFA
Friday, December 4, 2:00, Room 140 KFA

Attachments: (1) Minutes of August 24, 2015