College of the Biological Sciences Curriculum Committee Friday, May 13th, 2005 9:00 – 10:15 a.m., 105 Biological Sciences Building

Minutes

Present: Baker, Patel, Gross, Eakins, Breitenberger, Lando, Weinstein, Masters

Discussion of an Arts and Sciences Undergraduate Research Number Guest: Linda Schoen, Assistant Executive Dean

PCMB H494, group studies course request Introduction to Experimental Plant Molecular Biology

Approved. In the future, when these courses are offered, Caroline will approve them and then bring it the to committee if there are any concerns.

EEOB 640, new course request (cross-listed with Molecular Genetics) The Genetical Basis of Evolution

Approved, with a small change: to change the word to genetic. In addition, Mol Gen needs to file a course change form to include the exclusion and cross-listing

EEOB 711, new course request (cross-listed with Molecular Genetics) Molecular Evolution

Approved, Mol Gen needs to file a course change form to include the exclusion and cross-listing

Biochemistry 706, course change request

Approved, with the expectation that the syllabus should be fleshed out

Caroline passed out a sheet of proposed Honors requirements and asked the committee to think about the requirements. We will formulate a department by department set of expectations for Honors students to retain their H status. This will be starting in Au06. We will flesh the requirements out at the next meeting.