

**Western Colorado Community College  
Curriculum Minutes**

October 13, 2015  
BA Room 126

**Meeting called to order by Chair Carolyn Ferreira-Lillo at 3:29 p.m.**

**I. Roll Call** –See attached attendance sheet

**Committee members present:** Carolyn Ferreira-Lillo (Chair), Michael Carlton (WCCC-Machining Instructor), Glen Hoff (WCCC-Construction Instructor), David Miller (DevEd Math Instructor), Bill Campbell (WCCC-Welding Instructor), Scott Kessler (Vice Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee)

**Ex-Officio members present:** Steve Werman Designee for Academic Affairs

**Recording Secretary:** Tammy Murray (WCCC –Receptionist/Admin. Assist.)

Guest: Vail Shoultz-McCole- Presenter for EDEC

**II. New Business**

**A. Course Deletion:** Firefighter Type 1 Training

1. Deletion of FSWM 102 Firefighter Type 1 Training. The two courses are both required for the Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1) qualification and are somewhat redundant in the information presented. Incorporating the two courses into FSWM 156 and deleting FSWM 102 will increase academic synergy and reduce redundancy.

**B. Course Deletion:** Initial Attack Incident Commander.

1. Deletion of FSWM 140 Initial Attack Incident Commander. The two courses are both required for the Firefighter Type 4 (FFT4) qualification and are somewhat redundant in the information presented. Incorporating the two courses into FSWM 155 and deleting FSWM 140 will increase academic synergy and reduce redundancy.

**Motion to accept the course deletion by Glen Hoff.**

**Motion seconded by Bill Campbell. All approved.**

- C. Course Modification:** FSWM 156 Fellowship/Leadership, 1 Credit hour proposed change to Firefighter Type 1 and Fire Line Leadership, 2 Credit hours.

**Motion to accept the course changes with corrections and to be sent up to UCC by Bill Campbell. Motion seconded by David Miller. All approved.**

**D. Program Sheet Modification:** AAS Wildland Fire Management.

1. Combine FSWM 155 Intermediate Incident Command System/Facilitative Instructor, 2 semester hours with FSWM 140 Initial Attack Commander, 1 semester hour. The resulting class would be

FSWM 155 Intermediate Incident Command System/ Initial Attack Incident Commander, 2 semester hours.

2. Combine FSWM 156 Fellowship to Leadership, 1 semester hour with FSWM 102 Firefighter Type 1 Training, 1 semester hour. The resulting class would be FSWM 156 Firefighter Type 1 with Fire Line Leadership, 2 semester hours.
3. Sequence change:
  - i. FSWM 151 Basic Air Operations from 4<sup>th</sup> to 1<sup>st</sup> semester.
  - ii. FSWM 100 Basic Air Operations from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 1<sup>st</sup> semester.
  - iii. ENGL 111 English Composition, and KINA 127 Physical Conditioning from 1<sup>st</sup> semester to 2<sup>nd</sup> semester.
  - iv. KINE 100 Health and Wellness from 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> semester.
4. Delete FSWM 102 and FSWM 140

**Motion to accept the course changes with corrections and to be sent up to UCC by David Miller. Motion seconded by Glen Hoff. All approved.**

**E. Program Addition:** Technical Certification in Early Childhood Education-Teacher-Entry Level.

Vail Shoultz-McCole presented the reasoning for adding the program to EDEC. The state of Colorado received a 3.1 million dollar grant to expand quality and accessibility of care for infants and toddlers within the guidelines of Early Head Start. Mesa County was chosen as 1 of 4 pilot sites for these funds. Currently there are no other programs at CMU that offers the courses required by the state child care licensing.

**Motion to approve the Program Addition for the Technical Certification in Early Childhood Education-Teacher-Entry Level with corrections and to be sent up to UCC for notification by Michael Carlton. Motion seconded by Glen Hoff. All approved.**

**III. Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn by Glen Hoff, seconded by Bill Campbell.  
Meeting adjourned at 4:18 p.m.