The Academic Program and Curriculum Committee is made up of thirteen (13) voting members; three (3) from each University Division, one student appointed annually by the President of Student Government, one member of the Dean's Council appointed annually (ex-officio).

The Academic Program and Curriculum Committee held meetings on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

Faculty Document #907, Policies and Procedures for the Audit and Review of Undergraduate Programs at UWM: The Committee presented this document to the February Faculty Senate as a committee-of-the-whole item. The document has been modified for presentation at April Faculty Senate.

Routing and Signoff Authority on Curricula Matters: The Academic Program and Curriculum Committee prepared a memorandum which was distributed to all UWM Faculty clarifying the basis, procedure and clearance needed for various types of curricular actions which comprise two broad categories: a) course action requests, b) proposals for new academic programs.

Approval of Curricular Area #945: The Committee approved Curricular Area #945 for the Department of Urban Planning, School of Architecture.

Approval of Curricular Area #520: The Committee approved the request from the College of Letters and Science for the establishment of a new curricular area number involving the conversion of existing programs from several departments into a single Master of Arts in Foreign Languages and Literature.

Request of School of Architecture to change name of undergraduate degree from "Architectural Studies" to "Environmental Design". The Academic Program and Curriculum Committee reviewed this request. However, Committee vote disapproved the request. At the December Faculty Senate, the request was withdrawn.

Proposal for a Major in Ethnic Studies submitted by the College of Letters and Science: This proposal was reviewed and the Committee recommended that the College of Letters and Science be authorized to forward this proposal to the Faculty Senate with notation that our Committee has evaluated and approved the program.

Religious Studies: A proposal to include a Major in Religious Studies to the Ten-Year Plan was reviewed by the Committee and given a number two (2) (necessary) rating in accordance with previous establishment of rank order for new programs in Ten-Year Plan.

Revision of Undergraduate Curriculum in School of Nursing: Upon the suggestion of its Professions committee, the Committee recommended approval of revision of undergraduate curriculum in School of Nursing with advice to study their numbering system.

UWM and UWM System Academic Affairs Approval Matrix: The Committee discussed the memorandum and matrix from Assistant Vice Chancellor pertaining to revisions by Academic Program and Curriculum Committee.
Film Arts Program: In response to the Committee’s briefing on the development in the film arts program, the Academic Program and Curriculum Committee requested a written report from both School of Fine Arts and College of Letters and Science.

Review of new course proposals: The committee continued its regular function of reviewing new course proposals for possible overlapping or duplication of courses. 116 new course proposals were affirmatively approved, 21 new course proposals necessitated further review because of pending problems.

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