College of Education  
Advanced Programs Governance Committee  
Minutes of Meeting, March 18, 2004

Members Present: Lorin Anderson, Josh Gold, Steven Liu, Murray Mitchell, Diane Stephens, & Robin Burden (student representative)

Members Absent: Mac Brown, Jacque Jacobs, & Matthew Lemberger (student representative)

Others in Attendance: Irma Van Scoy (ex officio), Elna Moses (ex officio)

The meeting was called to order by the chair, Murray Mitchell, at 2:05 PM. Prior to approving the minutes, a brief discussion took place concerning the committee’s next meeting date and time. It was decided that the committee would next meet at 2:00 PM on Thursday, April 22, 2004. This will be the last meeting of the 2003-2004 academic year. Chair Mitchell will e-mail the faculty announcing the last meeting of the APGC and reminding them that any materials related to new business must be given to Holly Rauch in the Dean’s Office no later than Monday, April 5, 2003, at 5:00 PM. Josh Gold, Chair-Elect, will be responsible for calling the first meeting of the 2004-2005 academic year. He will not be responsible for any business transacted during the April 22nd meeting unless the business carries over to Fall, 2004. At the conclusion of this discussion the minutes of the February 17th meeting were approved.

Under Old Business, the committee considered the resubmission of the proposal for EDSE 849, The Evolving Field of Science Education: An Historical Perspective. Several typographical errors were pointed out and a few suggested changes were offered. The first suggested change was to include in the justification a statement as to whether the course is required or an elective. A second suggested change was to include the International Handbook of Science Education under Books rather than under Potential Articles. A third suggested change was to include a grade of F under Assessment, with an “F” being assigned to any score less than 70. The committee voted to approve the new course proposal, with Chair Mitchell responsible for seeing that these relatively minor changes are made.

Under New Business, the committee approved changes to the M. A. T. and M. Ed. in Special Education. The changes were needed to match the terminology in the catalog to that used by the Council for Exceptional Children, the accrediting body for special education programs.

There were no items under Good of the Order and the meeting was adjourned at 2:35 PM.

Respectively submitted,

Lorin Anderson, Secretary