Minutes for Basic Programs Curriculum Committee
February 23, 2005; Noon
New Dean’s Conference Rm.

I. Minutes of January 25, 2005 were approved

II. Next Meeting Date

March 23, 2005, Noon, New Dean’s Conference Room unless informed otherwise

III. New student representative

Dana Siau, a student in the Special Education Program, will join us as our second student representative on the committee.

IV. New Business

Item #1: EDEC 342 and 342P, change in content/hours so both courses are 3 semester hours credit. Changes approved with following editorial revision:

a. Clarify and highlight what is shifted from 342 to 342P so that it is evident how the work in one course is reduced and the other increased to make each worth 3 hours credit.

The committee agreed that the clarifications did not have to come back before the committee so long as Dr. Stevenson working with ITE approved of the forthcoming changes.

Item #2: EDSE 547, adding a statement about need prerequisite. Changes approved with the following editorial revisions:

a. Expand the justification so that it is clear what prerequisite is also required for the MAT, or how lesson planning is addressed in another format in that option.

b. Remove the bulletin description change, since the only alternations will be to the prerequisite.

The committee agreed that the clarifications did not have to come back before the committee so long as Dr. Stevenson working with ITE approved of the forthcoming changes.

Item #3: EDSE 775B, 776B, 778B, 781B, changing the four courses to apply to high school certification only. Changes approved with the following editorial revision:

a. Reword justifications to more clearly state that the proposals are made to separate middle school and high school certification requirements as required by the South Carolina Department of Education.

The committee agreed that the clarifications did not have to come back before the committee so long as Dr. Stevenson working with ITE approved of the forthcoming changes.
V. Associate Dean Report:
a. Provided update on issues with getting proposals processed through the Graduate Council in a timely fashion.

VI. Good of the order: NA

Meeting adjourned