

Minutes

CALS Curriculum Committee Meeting
Tuesday, March 10, 2020, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.
253 Soils Hall

Voting Members Present: Balster, Wattiaux (departed 1:35pm), Goldman, Anderson, Courtenay, Kucharik

Student Members Present: Dolma

Ex Officio: Barber, Ackerman-Yost

Meeting started 1:03pm

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Review meeting minutes from February 25, 2020. Balster 1:00-1:10pm
2. **Course Discontinuation:**
GENETICS 660: Evolutionary Genomics
Effective Spring 2021
<https://next-guide.wisc.edu/courseadmin/?key=4692>

Items 1 and 2 approved by consent

ACTION ITEMS

1. **Change to subject listing (ENVIR ST → INTER-AG)** Courtenay 1:10-1:20pm
INTER-AG 117 Greenhouse Roots Seminar
Effective Spring 2021
<https://next-guide.wisc.edu/courseadmin/?key=11456>

Removed from agenda

2. **Program Change** All 1:30-1:40pm
(curricular changes and allowance for stand-alone certificate)
Certificate in Turfgrass Management
<https://next-guide.wisc.edu/programadmin/?key=1025>

Background: The proposal is to offer the certificate as a stand alone FISC certificate. To enable this, the program proposes to make slight edits to the Turfgrass Certificate curriculum to reflect the one-year option and increase the number of elective courses offered through this certificate.

Motion to approve: Goldman/Wattiaux

Vote: 6-0-0

3. **CALS Teaching and Advising Awards** Balster 1:40-2:30pm
a. WALSAA Outstanding Advisor Award /Ackerman-Yost

- b. Arthur J. and Ellen A. Maurer Extra Mile Award
- c. Spitzer Excellence in Teaching Award

Motion to nominate Dan Young for the WALSAA Outstanding Advisor Award

Vote: 6-0-0

Motion to nominate Dominique Brossard for the Arthur J. and Ellen A. Maurer Extra Mile Award

Vote: 6-0-0

Motion to nominate Michel Wattiaux for the Spitzer Excellence in Teaching Award

Vote: 5-0-0

INFORMATIONAL AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

Meeting adjourned 2:00pm