



School of Education
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

Academic Planning Council Minutes
September 25, 2019

Attendees: Kelley, Diffie, Worth, Lisowski, Smedema, Tochon, Halbach, Mitchell, Corby, Wallace, Fillback Watt, Kendall, Quintana

Ex-Officio: Hitchcock, Jach, Gerloff, Hendrickson

Guest: Branden Martz (Art Department)

Meeting called to order at 10:05 AM

Approved May Minutes

Approved Agenda for September

Proposal to Make the MA in Art a Non-Admitting Major

Martz explained that students in Art are admitted the MFA program. Currently, students can receive the MA on the way to the MFA if they so desire. By making the MA non-admitting students will know that they need to apply to the MFA program to be admitted into the master's degree. They will be informed that they can receive the MA through advising once they are in the MFA program.

The proposal was moved and seconded and approved.

Art Studio Certificate Program 5-Year Review

The five-year review is required for all new programs. The program has grown dramatically; contiguous with the review, the Art Department decided to pull out the Graphic Design specialization from the Art Studio Certificate to create a separate Graphic Design Certificate. The review directed the department to better assess the achievement of learning outcomes of students in the program; this could be done through a review of student performance in course-level assessments.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 AM

Notetaker: Bowe

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