



**MINUTES: Curriculum Committee**

**Monday, February 6, 2014**

**Time: 5:15 pm**

**Location: D4-16**

**Members Present:** R. Rey, G. Childs, I. Bhattacharyya, M. Yanes, P. Harrison, N. Clark, V. Sposetti, E. Bushhousen, S. Cooper

**Not Present:** E. Lense, D. Culp, T. El-Kerdani, H. Freymiller, N. Isaacs, C. Stewart

**Guests:** DrEcheto, Dr. Willis

Agenda	Item	Presenter/Discussion	Action/Motion	Timeline
<b>Minutes</b>	Approval of Minutes	January 16, 2014 Minutes	<b>Motion:</b> (Rey/Sposetti) Approve the January 16, 2014 Minutes <b>Approved</b>	
<b>Student Recommendations</b>	Different course grade ranges in each class  Request for a Graduate Prosthodontic Rotation	Dr. Echeto reported that she was working with Dr. O'Neill on this rotation. For its first implementation it may be an elective for seniors completed with their clinical expectations. Students would need to assist in identify where time for another rotation would occur.	Deferred because N. Issacs was not present.  M. Yanes	
<b>Department Presentations</b>	Restorative Dental Sciences/ Prosthodontics Report  Restorative Dental Sciences/TEAM Program	Dr. Echeto reviewed the Department of Restorative Dental Sciences/Prosthodontic Report to the Curriculum Committee (See Handout)	Using the recommendations from the discussion G. Childs will edit the template and return to the department for review.  This report was deferred to the next meeting.	
<b>Curriculum Management</b>		DEN 8303, Advanced Radiologic Interpretation, Debriefing  <i>Reminder: Syllabi evaluations are due Feb. 18</i>  New Course Director: DEN 6213, Fundamentals of Occlusion, Dr. Maggie Riberiro Dasilva	Deferred to next meeting	

<b>Outcomes Review</b>	DEN 8960L and NERB Benchtop Outcomes  Draft CT/EBD Database Report		Deferred to next meeting	
<b>New Business</b>	Elective Request- Operative Skill Development  SPEC – Identifying and Assigning DMD Endodontic Patients	Dr. N. Clark presented a request for a new elective, Operative Skill Development for Spring 2014. This elective is to keep the Class of 2016 preparing teeth for operative restorations in preparation for Clinical Exam 1. Dr. Clark was asked to include peer evaluation of the preparations prior to submission for faculty review.	<b>Motion:</b> Approve the new elective, Operative Skill Development for Spring 2014 for one credit hour of independent study with peer and faculty feedback. <b>Approved.</b>  Deferred to next meeting	
<b>Future Items</b>	Case Review and Implementation Process  Best Practices for Classroom Teaching and Student Evaluation in the DMD Education Program Revision  Evidence-Based Dentistry Teaching Methods  Leadership Elective Proposal  Rotation Proposal			

	Implementation			
<b>Adjourned</b>		6:35 p.m.		