The committee met on Tuesday, October 25, 2016, at 11:15 a.m. in Room 210 Strong Hall. The following were present: Anthony-Twarog, Atchley, P., Brackett, Cotten-Spreckelmeyer, Daley, Grund, Ledom, Li, Maley, Maude, Morris, Rockey, Schwien, Weis

Guests:

Chair's Welcome: Professor Morris called the meeting to order at 11:19 a.m.

Approval of CUSA Minutes: A motion was made to approve the September 13, 2016 meeting minutes of the Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising as amended. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Dean's Office Update: No updates at this time.

SAS Office Update: Ms. Ledom reported that BGS career preparation course proposals are beginning to be submitted by departments and will be reviewed at the next subcommittee meeting.

Subcommittee Reports:
A. Policy and Awards Subcommittee
1. Professor Anthony-Twarog reported that the committee has been continuing to discuss the Dean’s charges including the apparent bottleneck for progression to sophomore status related to MATH 002 and ways in which resources such as CTE can help faculty engage with students to promote progression and retention.

B. Curricular Changes/Degree Requirements/ KU Core Proposals
Professor Weis reported that it has come to the attention of the Curricular Changes & Degree Requirements subcommittee that there is a new minor available through the School of Education that may not meet the minimum standards of the College. Professor Morris and Professor Weis will follow up with the School of Education for further discussion regarding accepting this minor for College students earning a BGS degree.

1. Consent Agenda:
Professor Weis presented the Curricular Changes nominations included in the consent agenda. A motion was made to approve the Curricular Changes as presented in the consent agenda. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

   Course Changes: BIOL 242, BIOL 440, BIOL 616, BTEC 501, BTEC 540, BTEC 599, BTEC 640, EALC 420, EALC 620, EURS 604, GEOG 102, HA 576, ITAL 301, SLAV 660

   Course Deactivations: ANTH 440, ANTH 482, ANTH 510, ANTH 672, HA 575, ITAL 302

   Change to existing Major: European Studies, Co-Major Geography, BS

   Change to existing Minor: Anthropology, Minor
   Indigenous Studies, Minor
   Leadership Studies, Minor

   Change to existing Program: University Honors Program

2. Items for Full Consideration:
Professor Weis presented the curricular nominations for new courses. A motion was made to approve the curricular nominations for new courses. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

   New Courses: ANTH 210, ANTH 511, BIOL 524/GEOL 524, EVRN 405, EVRN 673, HIST 205, HIST 229, HIST 356, POLS 643, SPLH 516, SPLH 588, SPLH 589, WGSS 664, YDSH 410

Professor Weis presented the nominations for program changes. A motion was made to approve the nomination for program changes. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

   Change to existing Major: Biology, BS
   Religious Studies, BA/BGS
Change to existing Minor: Religious Studies, Minor
Speech-Language-Hearing, Minor

Professor Weis presented the KU Core Proposal nominations. A motion was made to approve the nominations. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

KU Core Nominations: ANTH 569, EALC 420, EALC 620, HIST 229, PHSX 210, WGSS 361/HIST 361

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Professor Morris at 12:02 p.m.