

Education Council (EC) Meeting Minutes

April 18, 2017

EC members present	J Nixon	
B Englander	J Gauer	
Y Shimizu	S Slattery	
S van den Hoogenhoff	K Murrary	
A Johns	D Power	
D Patel	D Nascene	
P Schommer	R Michaels	
M Belinski	J Pearson	
B Benson	K Diebel	
M Wagar	C Hedberg	
M Flint		
M Rosenberg		
M Epping		
J Pacala		
J Andrews		
H Thompson Boom		

I. Proposal to move to pass/fail grading in years ½

Bob Englander

See attached powerpoint for details

- ❖ This change would apply to incoming students only

Motion to approve P/F grading system: Passed. The Education Council voted 18-0 (with one abstention) to approve this measure with the expectation that outcomes be studied and reported prospectively.

II. Year 2 Questionnaire (Y2Q)

Suzanne van den Hoogenhoff

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- ❖ We now have 3 years of data on Y2Q
- ❖ 67.8% of students responded to the survey
- ❖ Duluth experienced a decrease in student satisfaction, which was noted to be most likely as a result of 2 faculty leaving the program who were heavily involved and included a PBL based courses
- ❖ Interest in longitudinal data from the Year 2 Questionnaire to Graduation Questionnaire was an area of interest
- ❖ Questions: What are schools in the top quartile doing to address these topics? Are we making a statistically significant jump toward the goal over time?

III. Match 2017

Bob Englander

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- ❖ Largest increase in number of matched was Emergency Medicine
- ❖ 48.2% of students matched in primary care
- ❖ 45.4% of students matched in MN
- ❖ Approximate dollar amount spent by students on the process was an area of interest