

The Council on Academic Policy during Autumn 06 met four times:

Oct 12

Oct 30

Nov 14

Nov 27

We do not have formal minutes for the first three meetings.

Summary of meetings:

Oct 12: We reviewed the Nursing Minor, submitted last year, and the comments it received when posted on the web for faculty comment. We held a vote by email the next week after checking a few details and unanimously approved the minor (i.e. gave it the final, post-comment approval—the more substantial review having been conducted last spring).

Oct 30: We looked over proposed revisions to the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) designed to locate more of the code administration on each campus instead of the present Seattle-centered system. We introduced further suggested changes to the language of the code in keeping with the intent of the proposed changes. We will need another meeting to complete the review.

Nov 14 Bobbe Miller-Murry brought to the Council on Academic Policy the question of petitions (for reinstatement and the like) brought by students not yet enrolled in any program (such petitions are now handled by the programs). The wisdom of the Council is that such petitions should go the Gen Ed establishment headed by Beth Kalikoff.

We finalized the WAC revisions for handing on to the Executive Committee.

We took up the question of a UWT campus code that might follow the model of the code of UWS Law School. Plagiarism would be a major component of such a code.