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Date: November 22, 2006
To: Faculty of Arts and Sciences-Newark
From: Edward G. Kirby 
Dean of Faculty
Re: **Faculty Meeting and Continuation of Open Forum of the Report of
The Committee on Assessment of Undergraduate Programs**

There will be a meeting of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences-Newark on Monday, December 4, at 11:30AM. in Room 220, Smith Hall. This month's meeting will again consist of a brief business session, including the report of the Courses of Study Committee and the University Senate report followed by adjournment.

The continuation of the campus-wide Open Forum to discuss the report of the Committee on Assessment of Undergraduate Programs will begin promptly at 12:00 noon in 220 Smith Hall following our faculty meeting. The full text of the Committee's report is available at: <http://chemistry.rutgers.edu/uac>.

The agenda for the meeting of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences-Newark follows:

- I. Approval of Minutes
- II. Committee Reports
 - a. Courses of Study
- III. University Senate

Adjournment

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Date: November 27, 2006
To: Faculty of Arts and Sciences – Newark
From: Frances Bartkowski, Chair
Courses of Study Committee



The committee recommends approval for the following course requests:

I. New Courses

Department of Classical and Modern Languages and Literatures

21&62:810:133, 134 Portuguese for Spanish Speakers (3, 3 credits)

Department of History

21&62:510:339 The West, Islam, and the Middle East (3 credits)

Honors College

62:525:100 Freshman Colloquium (3 credits)

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES MEETING
Wednesday, November 1, 2006

Present:

Austin, Baker, Beer, Booker, Bonder, Boylan, Buechner, Creese, Cowans, N. Diaz, Ehrlich, Feighn, Y. Ferguson, Fischer, Foley, Floreen, Friedman, Gardiner, Gates, Graham, Guo, Gunkel, Hadas, S. Hall, Herman, Holmstrom, Holzapfel, Hull, Josephson, Keigher, Keys, Kiniry, Kynard, A. Laguna, Lalancette, Langhorne, Lewis, Loftin, Michael-Luna, Lurie, Lynch, Mao, Miller, Morrison, Mosher, Peterman, Sloan-Power, Randall, Raynor, Robbins, Rollins, C. Russell, F. Russell, G. Russell, Sadovnik, Satter, Schlegel, Segers, Shane, Shelstad, Shiffrar, Sternberger, Stubblefield, Sturm, Swarts, Thompson, Tiger, Wibrowski, White, Wou .

Excused:

B. Ferguson, Collins, Golden, Hartjen, E. Laguna, Loeb, Martin, Znayenko.

Approval of Minutes

The Minutes of the April 26, 2006 meeting were approved with the following amendments: Professors Li Guo name was added to the roster of those in attendance.

Dean's Report

Dean Kirby began by calling on Professor Frances Bartkowski and Professor Stan Hall for their Committee's reports.

Courses of Study Committee

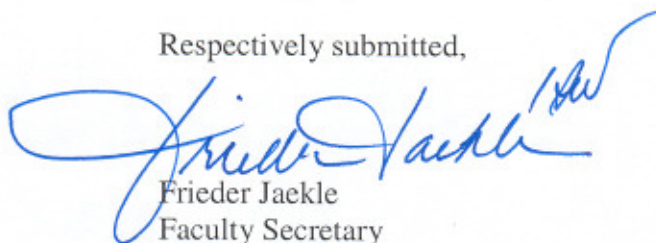
Professor Frances Bartkowski, Chair of the Committee, moved for the adoption of Section I of the Committee's October 24, 2006 report. Her motion was seconded and approved.

University Senate

Professor Stan Hall, University Senate, reported President McCormick gave the Annual Address and discussed concerns regarding a potential merger with UMDNJ. Professor Hall noted that a special election was conducted for staff senators; Dean Kirby and Provost Dennis both gave separate reports on the initiatives in undergraduate education at the Newark campus and Camden campus; Instruction, Curricula and Advisory Committee discussed the availability of syllabi during add/drop; and the Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee submitted a proposal to increase information content of student transcripts. The proposal was passed.

There was no New Business/Old Business. The meeting adjourned at 2:55pm.

Respectively submitted,


Frieder Jaekle
Faculty Secretary

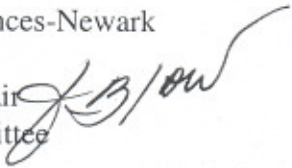
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Interdepartmental Communication

Date: October 24, 2006

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