

CEPC

November, 2011 - April, 2012

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** CEPC has worked to voice the opinion of the faculty in curriculum issues to the Dean, Student Affairs, the administration for the new curriculum and in Dean's Council meetings. The Dean has been very receptive to faculty input and has implemented faculty recommendations.*

CEPC activities November, 2011 - March, 2012 have included:

Current Curriculum Oversight

1. Electives

- a. worked with Registrar to analyze elective registration for 2008 – 2010
- b. updated information on active electives and eliminated inactive electives
- c. spearheaded and developed an elective evaluation form with Klara Papp which is already in use . At least 60 electives have been evaluated.
- d. approved one new Surgery elective

2. Spearheaded revision of the Residency Program Director survey and the development of a PGY-1 survey with Klara Papp

CEPC activities November, 2011 - March, 2012 have included:

3. Developed **guidelines for MS1 and MS2 Block Directors** (approved by Executive Committee and Dean's Council)
4. Revisited **Career Exposure Opportunities guidelines**
 - a. set criteria for structure
 - b. developed a proposal form to solicit these from all departments
 - c. plan to improve visibility for MS1 and MS2 students
 - d. currently have 18 proposals and working with Student Affairs office to arrange posting on PRIME

New Curriculum Oversight

1. Reviewed and approved start of the new **MS3 Core Clerkship year** to begin July 2012 for current MS2s
 - CEPC recommended conditions for two week electives
 - Established elective guidelines and structure be established
 - Required increased clarity on the Primary Care Longitudinal Experience
2. Facilitated faculty discussion on new grading policy leading to approval by Dean Taylor of new **Pass/Fail with Distinction policy**
3. Began **Unit by Unit review** of new curriculum
Unit 1 subunit 1 (Systems Overview)
4. Led brainstorming sessions on **integrated basic science/clinical medicine selective**