

**AGENDA  
POLICY COUNCIL  
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

November 11, 2009

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

School of Education

IUB - Room 2140

IUPUI - Room 3138E

- I. Approval of the Minutes from October 7, 2009 Meeting **(10.14M)**
- II. Announcements and Discussions
  - Dean's Report
  - Agenda Committee
- III. Old Business
  - Diversity Topic – Presentation by Gayle Buck and Dionne Cross– Pathway Initiative Grant
- IV. New Business
  - a. Proposal for Distance Education Literacy, Culture and Language Education Master's **(10.16)**
  - b. Procedures for Selection of Curriculum and Instruction Department Chair **(10.17)**
  - c. Proposal for Urban Education Ph.D. program **(10.18)**
- V. New Courses/Course Changes
  - The following courses are open for 30 day remonstrance

New Course

G510 Introduction to Drug and Alcohol Counseling      3 credits      BL/IUPUI  
 This course is an introduction to social and behavioral theories concerning the causation and maintenance of alcohol and drug addiction. The study and application of research-based theories will be emphasized. The history of alcohol and drug addiction treatment and recent developments and issues in the field will also be discussed. Justification: There is a paucity of training in this subject matter.

Course Change

P516 Adolescent Development      3 credits      BL/IUPUI  
 Examination of major theories and findings concerning biological, cognitive, social, and emotional development during adolescence, emphasizing educational and clinical implications. Topics may include: puberty and adolescent health, identity development, decision-making, the role of families, peers and romantic relationships, schools and achievement, and socioemotional problems in adolescence. Justification: Updated course description reflecting emphasis on major theories and research, which is consistent with recent past and current syllabi for this course. Also included an updated list of topics.