

BRONX COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Of The City University of New York

COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC STANDING
Minutes of the Meeting of April 5, 1978
South Hall Conference Room 109 - 2:00 P.M.

PRESENT

Faculty and Administration Representatives

Prof. Hayde, presiding; Dr. Kleiber; Professors Barnette, Chiswick, Genova, Greenfield, Heinz, Lankevich, Lerner, O'Neill, Palmer, Read, Rodzianko, Wahlin, Wilson, Zimmerman; Mr. Lewis.

I. MINUTES

1. Minutes of the Meeting of March 15, 1978.

MOTION: To approve these minutes as read.

ACTION: Carried 11 - 0 - 3

2. Special Meeting of the Committee on Academic Standing of March 29, 1978.

By agreement of the assembly, since this was a special meeting of this Committee to discuss Student Retention Standards at which no substantive action was taken, no minutes of this meeting were produced. The Recording Secretary, however, stated that an attendance list for this meeting was in his possession for inspection by any interested party.

3. Minutes of the Meeting of February 16, 1977.

It was reported to the Committee that these minutes have been lost, and therefore by order of the Chair, reference to these minutes will be stricken from future agendas.

II. COMMUNICATIONS

1. Letter, dated January 13, 1978, from the Department of Modern Languages to this Committee stating a position in favor of the Tyson - Shopkow proposal for a new grading system.
2. Letter, dated April 3, 1978, from Prof. Linda Barker, Department of Special Educational Services, to this Committee proposing use of the "Y" grade for students who must repeat the ESL 01 course to attain minimum proficiency for passing.
 - A. MOTION: To place this item as the first item of new business.
ACTION: Carried without objection.
 - B. MOTION: To place the issue of restructuring of the Committee on Academic Standing as the second item of new business.
ACTION: Carried without objection.
 - C. MOTION: To place a reconsideration of the use of the "WU" grade as the third item of new business.
ACTION: Carried without objection.

III. STUDENT APPEALS

1. Minutes of the Meeting of March 15, 1978 of the Subcommittee on Student Appeals, Professors Barnette, Chiswick, Gardinier, Greenfield, and Mr. McEvady sitting.

A. MOTION: To sustain the recommendations of the Subcommittee, excepting the case of Ronald Bruno.

ACTION: Carried 14 - 0 - 0

a. Cases Approved:

<u>Name and Student Number</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Appeal</u>	<u>Subcommittee Recommendation</u>
Cain, Gloria 274-1809	MC17	1) Change all Fall, 1977 grades to grades of "NC." 2) Readmit after suspension.	1) Grant. 2) Readmit for for Fall, 1978 on Matric Probation.
Cintron, Milagros 977-0851	MC32	Change all grades received in Fall, 1977 to "NC."	Grant.
Feliciano, Louisa 976-3481	MC12	Change all grades received in Fall, 1977 to "NC."	Grant.
Hamilton, Jannette 277-0076	MC01	Change grade of "WU" in BIO 23, Spring, 1977, to grade of "W."	Grant.
Lamour, DeEsther 271-0213	MC18	Change all grades received in Fall, 1976 and Spring, 1977 semesters to "NC."	Grant.
Munoz, Felix 974-3406	MC13	Remove from probation for Rate of Progress.	Deny with explanation.*

[* N.B.: At this time, the CUNY Council of Presidents has suspended the regulation dealing with expulsion of students who fail to meet minimum Rate of Progress standards. Until the status of this regulation is clarified further, students who become probationers for Rate of Progress will be carried ad infinitum on probationary status and will not be dropped from Bronx Community College for this reason. (Such a student on probation for Rate of Progress could conceivably graduate from the College still on probation!) The explanation referred to above in the Subcommittee recommendation is simply a statement of these facts.]

Perez, Ronald 277-0439	MC13	Remove from probation for Rate of Progress.	Deny with explanation.
Perry, Veronica 977-1030	MC12	Change all grades received in Fall, 1977 to grades of "NC."	Grant.
Pough, Darnell 974-4611	MC99	Readmit after second suspension.	Deny.

<u>Name and Student Number</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Appeal</u>	<u>Subcommittee Recommendation</u>
Ritchie, Natalie 966-5864	MC19	Remove from index calculation the grades in MTH 02 (Fall, 1966), ENG 11 (Fall, 1967), and SOC 21 (Fall, 1968). [The Subcommittee minutes did not state what these grades were.]	Grant by Statute of Limitations.
Rivera, Zoraida 974-3416	MC01	Change all grades in Fall, 1976 semester to grades of "NC."	Grant.
Santana, Wallace 977-0423	MC32	Change grades of "WU" in BUS 11 and MTH 11, both Fall, 1977, to grades of "W."	Grant.
Scales, Erminie 964-0284	MC11	Remove from index calculation all grades from the Fall, 1964, Spring, 1965, and Spring, 1966 semesters.	Grant by Statute of Limitations.
Smith, Kevin 977-1909	MC12	Change all grades in the Fall, 1977 semester to "NC."	Grant.
Smith, Leo 977-6643	MC11	Change grade of "WU" in PEA 12, Fall, 1977, to grade of "W."	Grant.
Stockham, Lisa 676-6139	?	1) Delete from record grade of "NC" in PSY 11, section 7237, Spring, 1977. 2) Add to record the grade from PSY 11, section 7236, Spring, 1977.	1) Grant. 2) Grant.
Tauber, Ava 977-5032	MC12	Remove from probation for Rate of Progress.	Deny with explanation.
Tuzo, Guy 977-1039	MC32	Change all grades received in Fall, 1977 to grades of "NC."	Grant.
Vick, Denis A. 276-0415	MC13	Remove from probation for Rate of Progress.	Deny with explanation.
Vidal, Richard 974-4500	MC05	1) Extend deadline to resolve grades of "INC" in PHL 11 and PEA 22, both Fall, 1974. 2) Delete grade and registration in ART 12 from Fall, 1974 record.	1) Grant extension to May 1, 1978. 2) Grant.
Weissman, Allan 976-4986	MC13	Remove from probation for Rate of Progress.	Deny with explanation.
Wilkins, Deborah 974-5099	MC01	1) Extend deadline to resolve grade of "INC" in HIS 12, Fall, 1976. 2) Delete MTH 16 grade of "WU," Fall, 1976, from record.	1) Grant. [New time limit not stated.] 2) Grant.
Wilson, Julie R. 971-7580	MC13	Change grade of "WU" in CMS 14, Fall, 1977, to grade of "W."	Grant.

b. Case Considered Separately:

<u>Name and Student Number</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Appeal</u>	<u>Subcommittee Recommendation</u>
Bruno, Ronald 275-2523	MC19	Change grade of "WU" in CMS 11, Spring, 1977, to grade of "W."	Deny.

1. MOTION: To sustain the Subcommittee recommendation.
ACTION: Carried 12 - 0 - 2

IV. OLD BUSINESS

1. Specialization Limitations. (See minutes of March 8, 1978, page 5.)

Debate on this item expired at 3:24 P.M.

- a. MOTION: To extend the time for debate.

ACTION: Failed 6 - 1 - 7 for lack of a majority for or against.

2. Advanced Standing Criteria.

This item was briefly debated.

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. Use of the Grade of "Y" in ESL 01.

The rationale for this proposal was stated as being that a temporary measure was desired by the Department of Special Educational Services for those students who make progress in their first semester of ESL 01 which is not enough to pass the course but is enough to not warrant an "F" grade. Such students would be required to retake ESL 01 a second time--one repetition only--and the proponents wanted the "Y" as a non-punitive grade (versus the "R") which would still allow repetition of the course. The use of the "Y" would be temporary, to serve only until ESL 02 (which has been passed by the Curriculum Committee) can become operational.

Debate of this matter stopped at 3:50 P.M., the established time of adjournment of meetings of this Committee.

VI. ADJOURNMENT AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING

1. The date of the next regular meeting of this Committee was announced as April 12, 1978 at 2:00 P.M.
2. This meeting was adjourned at 3:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

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