

Kelley School of Business – Indianapolis
MBA Policy Committee Minutes
4/5/2005

Present: Steve Jones, John Hassell, Cathy Bonser-Neal, Darrell Brown, Sue Mantel, Todd Saxton, Jane Lambert, Phil Powell

- I. February minutes were reviewed and approved with no changes.
- II. Discussion of how academies would work within the program continued
 - Required for all students in Module 1B or 2A (Spring only) 120 students
 - Proposed three (3) academies with an enrollment of 25 max in each. Cap on enrollment will encourage enrollment in others.
 - Instructors for each of the academies will get a 1.5 administrative relief per year
 - In order to keep enrollments up, we will need to reduce the number of electives each year, by the number of hours added in the academies. Students will also reduce the number of electives needed by 1.5 – 4.5 hrs.
 - Some suggestions to cut/change were:

F528/F529 out of summer	+ 3 hrs
one offering of K510/K516	+ 3 hrs
F560 to 1.5 hrs & team with F517	+1.5 hrs
W516 to 1.5 hrs and add another elect.	+ 1.5 hrs
 - Todd suggested perhaps we should go to each department and ask them to make the choices to cut up to 6 hours from their own department.
 - Cathy raised the point of KD requirements and teaching loads
 - Steve Jones pointed out that with the new program structure, students in the academies could overload to 9 hours in one semester and get out in 2-1/2 years.
- III. A proposal was made for an ‘expression of support’ from the committee for the program change of adding the academies. All members voted in favor of the expression of support.