Senate Enrollment Committee Meeting Minutes
November 14, 2016

Present
Cora Lynn Deibler
Cameron Faustman
Nathan Fuerst
Idalis Garcia
Eva Gorbants
Mansour Ndiaye
Wendi Richardson
Brian Rockwood
Sebastian Wogenstein

Guests:  
Brian Boercherer (and Wendi Richardson), ECE
Jennifer Lease Butts & Patricia Szarek, Honors

1. The minutes of the October 17th meetings were approved.
2. A presentation on ECE was made (attached).
   a. A number of advantages/benefits of ECE for both students and the University were discussed. Introductory courses completed in high school mean less pressure in Storrs.
   b. ECE is currently trying to get high schools to diversify their ECE course portfolio beyond STEM offerings.
   c. 60% of ECE students are women.
   d. The Pre-College Summer program was also discussed. Units can propose to be included within this emerging and successful program.
3. A presentation on the Honors Program was made (attached).
   a. The numbers of qualified Honors students have continued to grow.
   b. Challenges to the program have been related to budget cuts which they are subject to as well as the overall University, and the need for more Honors core courses.