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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
FLORIDA BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY
COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTING EDUCATION
TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL
April 23, 2019

MINUTES

I. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m. by Dr. Fennema, Chairman.

II. Roll Call

The roll was called by Barbara Whitney, Regulatory Specialist II, and reflected the following:

Committee Members Present:

Dr. M.G. Fennema, Chairman
Dr. Nicholas Mastracchio
Dr. Gary McGill
Dr. Richard Morton
Dr. Gregory Trompeter

Absent Committee Members:

Michael Kridel

Staff Members Present

Veloria Kelly, Director
Karan Lee
Trecia Jenkins
Barbara Whitney
Avon Witherspoon

Others Present:

Rachelle Munson, Assistant Attorney General and Board Counsel
Christopher Graham, Applicant
Vesinder B. Saint Louis, Applicant
Les Moore, Employer of applicant, Vesinder B. Saint Louis
Karen Nuzie, FICPA
Aimee Fernandez, Nova Southeastern University
William Hahn, Southeastern University

III. Ratify Minutes from January 10, 2019, meeting

Motion was made by Dr. Trompeter and seconded by Dr. McGill to approve the January 10, 2019, minutes. Upon vote, motion passed unanimously.

IV. Individual Curriculum Review

A. Christopher Graham – Initial Licensure Applicant # 401392 – Keller Graduate School

ACCT 560, Advanced Federal Taxes & Management Decision

Motion was made by Dr. McGill and seconded by Dr. Trompeter to deny the course listed above for three (3) semester hours of upper-division accounting. Upon vote, the motion passed unanimously.

B. Vesinder B. Saint Louis – Examination Applicant # 399477 – Southern Adventist University

BUAD 510, Accounting for Control & Decision Making

Motion was made by Dr. McGill and seconded by Dr. Trompeter to deny the course listed above for three (3) semester hours of upper-division accounting. Upon vote, the motion passed unanimously.

V. College/University Curriculum Review

A. Nova Southeastern University

ACT 5730, Accounting Analytics

The Committee deferred a decision on the course listed above and requested additional course material from the school.

TXX 5760, Survey of Taxation: Individuals, Entities, and Property

Motion was made by Dr. McGill and seconded by Dr. Morton to approve the course listed above for three (3) semester hours of graduate accounting. Upon vote, the motion passed unanimously.

ACT 5783, Modern Business Law for Accountants

Motion was made by Dr. Mastracchio and seconded by Dr. McGill to approve the course listed above for three (3) semester hours of graduate business law credit. Upon vote, the motion passed unanimously.

B. Southeastern University

FINC 4163, Financial Statement Analysis

Motion was made by Dr. McGill and seconded by Dr. Mastracchio to approve the course listed above for three (3) semester hours of upper-division accounting. Upon vote, the motion passed unanimously.

C. University of Phoenix

ACC 547, Taxation

The Committee deferred a decision on the course listed above and requested additional course material from the school.

ETH 557, Accounting Ethics

The Committee deferred a decision on the course listed above and requested additional course material from the school.

VI. Administrative Matters

A. Laws and Rules (informational)

B. Executive Director/Licensing Supervisor Comments.

Ms. Kelly had no comments.

VII. Set future meeting date

June 24, 2019, at 9:00 a.m.

VIII. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 10:18 a.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M.G. Fennema". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "M" and "F".

Dr. M.G. Fennema, Chair