

**CURRICULUM COMMITTEE INPUT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING
SEPTEMBER 13, 2016**

After a lot of effort from a lot of members of the Curriculum Committee, we finalized the fall 2016 schedule and initial feedback is that we are on track for another interesting and stimulating semester. I can't say enough for the hard work that Alan Zirkle and Joe Alfred put in to make the final schedule a reality.

We had our first spring 2017 Curriculum Committee planning session on August 18, 2016, and a number of possible intriguing programs for the spring surfaced. Putting together the spring schedule is especially challenging in that we face a time crunch and have to have the final schedule finalized by early December so that the schedule can be part of the December newsletter.

Budgeting honorariums/donations is always a focus of the committee in cooperation with our treasurer. This year we budgeted \$7500 and spent approximately \$7300. Fortunately, the board always is supportive of the committee if we encounter any potential shortfall.