

Meeting Minutes from September 27, 2018

Curriculum Committee

Voting Members: Fernando Agudelo-Silva, Maula Allen, Paul Cheney, Maria Coulson, Gina Cullen, Luna Finlayson, David King, Karen Koenig, Bob McCoy, Sara McKinnon, Lisa Morse, A Joe Ritchie, Becky Reetz, Karen Robinson

Nonvoting Members: Sheldon Carroll, Cari Torres-Benavides

Guests:

Chair: A Joe Ritchie

Agenda for September 27, 2018

- Motioned to approve: Karen Robinson
- Second the motion: Bob McCoy
- Approval status: Approved

Minutes from September 20, 2018

- Motioned to approve: Karen Robinson
- Second the motion: Fernando Agudelo-Silva
- Approval status: Approved
- Members voting no:
- Members abstaining: Joanna Pinckney

Discussion:

1. There are two possible issues with the Community Education course proposals
 - a. Civics and Citizenship – Community Education and ESL (Sara McKinnon) are trading emails to get the specifics. Likely to not be supported.
 - b. Beginning Fashion Design – Drama (Lisa Morse) will contact Community Education questioning where students in this class will be sewing. Likely to not be supported if this will be done in the Drama department due to access and space limitations.
2. Gina has created a table of Departments/Disciplines where CC members can choose to be responsible for the course reviews. The document was distributed to the CC and members will let the CC know what their preferences are.
3. Paul Cheney addressed the CC regarding the Honors classes. Various points were raised during the discussion. Among them:

- a. A separate Articulation would need to be pursued as for example a POL 101 / POL 101H would be two separate outlines. This is most likely a 2-year process.
 - b. Offering a 249 level class was suggested as an option for piloting how to deliver the Honors level rigor. However, the student would not see anything denoting Honors on their Transcript.
 - c. Calling together faculty interested in an Honors program for COM is suggested to explore how this might be done at COM through review of what other Colleges are doing it.
 - d. Paul is welcome to share all news he has on this topic in future CC meetings.
4. At 3pm A Joe and other CC members went to AC 116 to support eLumen activities
 - a. Visits from Kevin Muller, Kathleen Smyth, Jeannie Langinger, and Dayna Quick to work on eLumen courses.

Interesting Facts

1. Music Faculty Recital on Friday 9/28/2018 at 7:30. Free admission and parking!