MINUTES
College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Meeting
October 18, 2010

Present:
George Landon    John Bowes    Jessica Lair
Thomas Couvillon Mary Tortorici Karen Baxley
Margaret Yoder  Darrin Smith   Minh Nguyen
Jonathan Austad Glenn Rainey  Gyan Pradhan
Pamela Black   Gerald Nachtwey Rose Perrine
Gary Kuhnhehn   David Eakin  Deborah Core
Derrick Morton

Absent:

Alternates:

Visitors:

The meeting was called to order by Deborah Core at 1:30 p.m.

AGENDA

Department of Anthropology, Sociology & Social Work
Course Revision
SOC 460 (Sociological Theory 1-Classical Writers) - Change the title and course description of Sociological Theory I – Classical Writers (SOC 460) to reflect it being merged with Sociological Theory II – Contemporary Writers (SOC 461), which is to be dropped (see other form). WITHDRAWN

Program Revision
Sociology- Drop SOC 461 from program listing. Reduce the total number of sociology credits needed for a degree from 36 to 30. Reduce the number of upper division elective credit hours required by sociology majors from 15 to 12. Increase the Free Electives from 35 to 41. WITHDRAWN

Dropped Course
SOC 461 (Sociological Theory II-Contemporary Writers)- Contingent upon our course change for SOC 460 being accepted, we need to drop Sociological Theory II – Contemporary Writers from the course catalog. WITHDRAWN

Department of Art & Design
Course Revision
ART 313 (Figure Painting) - Change course title and description and add first semester offering. APPROVED
ART 314 (Painting Media) - Change course title and description and add second semester offering. **APPROVED**
ART 360 (Intro to Materials Inquiry) - To change the ART prefix to AED. **APPROVED**
ART 460 (Materials Inquiry in Art Education) - To change the ART prefix to AED and to add a prerequisite. **APPROVED**

**New Course**
ARH 464 (Renaissance and Baroque Art) - Create an undergraduate elective in the art history of the Renaissance and Baroque periods. **WITHDRAWN**

**Program Revision**
Minor in Art (Art History) - Add the list of courses available for the minor. **WITHDRAWN**

**Dropped Courses**
ARH 594/794 (Italian Renaissance Art) - Following up on changes and additions in the Art & Design department’s art history curriculum. **APPROVED**
ARH 595/795 (Baroque and Rococo Art) - Following up on changes and additions in the Art & Design department’s art history curriculum. **APPROVED**

**Department of English and Theatre**
**Course Revision**
ENG 806 (Topics in Modern Rhetoric:______) - Remove the pre-requisite of ENG 510 or 710 or equivalent. **APPROVED**
ENG 515 (English as Second Language) - Make ENG 510, Introduction to Linguistic Theory, a prerequisite for ENG 515, English as a Second Language. **APPROVED**
ENG 715 (English as Second Language) - Make ENG 710, Introduction to Linguistic Theory, a prerequisite for ENG 715, English as a Second Language. **APPROVED**

**New Course**
ENG 801 (Introduction to Graduate Study) - To create a new introductory course on graduate-level writing and scholarship, and the demands of the profession, which will be common to all students in the Master of Arts in English program. **APPROVED**
ENG 895 (Mentored Scholarly Project) - Create a credit-bearing course for the work required on the end-of-program Mentored Scholarly Project, similar to credits awarded for thesis work. **APPROVED**

**Program Revision**
Master of Arts in English - Change the core course requirement of ENG 809 OR ENG 812 with ENG 801 **WITHDRAWN**

**Department of Foreign Languages and Humanities**
**Program Revision**
Comparative Humanities - Delete HUM 490 from Area III requirement, change six elective hours to nine elective hours in Area III, and drop the number of free electives from the Comparative Humanities requirement from 43 to 35 hours. **APPROVED**
**Department of History**

**Course Revision**

HIS 310 (History of Science) - Remove this course from General Education. *APPROVED*

HIS 363 (History of Russia to 1855) - Change the name of the course to History of Russia to 1855 to reflect the wording of the course description. *APPROVED*

HIS 365 (History of Russia since 1855) - Change the name of the course to History of Russia to 1855 to reflect the wording of the course description. *APPROVED*

**Department of Government**

**Course Revision**

POL 445 (Queer Theory and Politics) - To cross-list POL 445 with WGS 445 *APPROVED*

**Department of Music**

**Program Revision**

Master of Music- Add additional text to the Admissions section II and clarification of electives *WITHDRAWN*