Members Present: Chuck Booth, Ann Higginbotham, Sandy Brooks, Delar Singh, Gail Gelburd, David Belles, Bob Wolfe

1. Review of minutes of 3/28/08 – accepted (Singh, Higginbotham)

2. Announcements, Reports and Correspondence
   Chuck announced that small grants are available for work in the critical thinking area. Gail reported that
   the Critical Thinking ICE has been working on implementing an assessment grant this past year and has
   results to report. The committee suggested that the ICE continue working on assessment and
   professional development related to critical thinking.
   a. Senate Executive Committee – no report
   b. Curriculum Committee – nothing is pending for this committee
   c. Academic Affairs – no report
   d. First Year Program Committee – no report
   e. Implementation Team – there is concern about the use of transfer credits in the LAC. The LAPC is
      encouraged to be as flexible as possible in accepting transfer credits into the LAC. Chuck, David, and
      Richard will meet to work out how many seats and courses are needed for next year. David will request
      enrollment information from Brian Lashley.

Old Business
3. Review of resubmitted courses:
   BIO 200 – approved (Higginbotham; Wolf)
   EES 300 – approved (Singh; Gelburd)
   BIO 200 and EES 300 – both approved for temporary placement in the LAC as well (Higginbotham; Singh)

New Business (moved up on agenda)
6. Review of new courses:
   PSC 308 – approved for both full and temporary inclusion (Higginbotham; Gelburd)
   CSC 215 – approved for both full and temporary inclusion (Singh; Belles)

4. LAC Tier III requirement – Capstone and other culminating projects from other liberal arts schools were discussed.
   Discussion will continue at the next meeting with a specific review of Tier III outcomes and examples of the types of
   activities that could meet these outcomes. A summary of this discussion will be sent out to faculty by the end of this
   semester, with forums planned for early fall semester. The forums and Tier III requirement can be mentioned in the chair’s
   report at the University meeting in the fall. The LAP should also present the curriculum to new faculty at their orientation in
   the fall.

7. Online LAC courses – more discussion is needed regarding online courses in the LAC.

Adjourned 10:45 a.m. (Wolf; Higginbotham)

Minutes respectfully submitted by Sandy Brooks, 4/11/08

Next meeting: Friday 4/18/08, 9-10:45 a.m. in Webb Hall 258

Approved 4/18/08