University Senate Curriculum Committee  
October 1, 2013  
Minutes  
Approved 10/7/2013

Present: Barbara Liu (chair), Catherine Tannahill (associate chair), Leslie Ricklin, Anita Lee, Carolyn Coates, Jennifer Huoppi (ex-officio)

Absent: Jennifer Leszczynski, Zoran Pazameta, SGA representative

The meeting was called to order at 12:31 pm.

Minutes from the meeting on September 23, 2013, were approved.

Other reports: changes to Senate website are coming and some documents, such as committee minutes, will be moving to SharePoint. The Entrepreneurship Minor (approved by the committee but not the Senate last spring) may be resubmitted this year. Sherona Ramsay and Emily McDonald have been appointed as our SGA representatives. The deadline for submissions to the Online Course Subcommittee is October 11, and so we can expect to see proposals forwarded to us soon after that.

Proposals considered:

a. Environmental Earth Science  
EES 306: Sustainable Buildings  (Drzewiecki)  
Remove from LAC Tier 3; remove “LAC stu with 2 Tier II courses... and other changes  
Approved.

b. Visual Arts Department  
ART 403: Advanced 3-D Animations (Dawson)  
Change prerequisites: Digital Art and Design Portfolio OR Art 343, change enrollment from 20 to 18 and other changes for spring 2013  
Tabled: Because the contact hours are changing please supply a more complete syllabus that documents the contact hours within the larger context of the course. Please also include more complete information on course assignments and assessments.

c. Biology Department  
BIO 228: Introductions to Public Health (Online) (Colurso/Nsiah)  
Online course approval  
Referred to the Online Course Subcommittee.

d. Psychology Department
Psychology Program – Psychology: General Psychology Concentration (Everton)
Program modification not requiring a bill for spring 2014
Approved.

e. **Psychology Department**
Psychology Program – Psychology: Industrial-Organizational Concentration (Everton)
Program modification not requiring a bill for spring 2014
Approved.

f. **Psychology Department**
Psychology Program – Psychology: Children and Youth Concentration (Everton)
Program modification not requiring a bill for spring 2014
Tabled: please clarify which version of the new requirements is correct (the two versions in the rationale don’t agree; the list in the table appears to be in error).

g. **Performing Arts Department**
THE 378: Costume Design (Pellegrini/Calissi)
New Course Proposal for fall 2013
Approved.

h. **Performing Arts Department**
THE 379: Pattern Making (Pellegrini/Calissi)
New Course Proposal for fall 2013
Approved.

i. **Performing Arts Department**
THE 473: Producing and Directing   (Pellegrini/Calissi/Brodie)
New Course Proposal for spring 2014
Approved.

j. **Performing Arts Department**
Costume and Fashion Design Minor (Pellegrini/Calissi)
Program modification not requiring BOR and BOGHE approval for fall 2013
Tabled: please provide some evidence that the Visual Arts department supports the use of its courses in the minor (an email message is sufficient). Also, please proofread and clarify which courses carry which numbers; as it is written now we cannot be sure which courses are being proposed for the minor.

k. **Performing Arts Department**
B.A. in Theatre Program (Pellegrini/Calissi)
Program modification not requiring a bill for spring 2014
Approved.
I. **Health and Physical Education Department**
Physical Education Teacher Education Program (Williams)
Program modification not requiring BOR and BOGHE approval for spring 2014
Approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:12 pm.