

COLLEGE OF THE SISKIYOU

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING – MEETING NO. 5

12 P.M., Wednesday, October 7, 2015

Science 7-210

Present: Neil Carpentier-Alting, Dave Clarke, Jodi Dawson, Michael Graves, Sunny Greene, Eric Houck, JonMichael Patterson, Valerie Roberts, Charlie Roche, Todd Scott and Nancy Shepard

Guest: Margie White

Absent: Maria Fernandez, Dennis Roberts, Greg South, Robert Taylor and Chris Vancil

Consent Agenda

Item 1. Approval of Minutes

There were no corrections and/or additions to the minutes from the September 30, 2015, Curriculum Committee Meeting; therefore, approved as read.

Regular Agenda

Item 2. GE Taskforce

A GE Taskforce was formed to adopt the CSU GE Model for establishing the mission of our local GE. The Taskforce looks at 1 SLO per area. Mike Graves voiced his concern about courses that might fall out of the GE pattern and what impact it will have on those courses being offered. He feels that some courses might receive more attention than others and asked who will decide what courses will be offered or not. Neil indicated that the Faculty will make the decision of which courses will be offered and which will not. We will make our own list and decide what makes the GE list and what doesn't. The Taskforce will then make recommendations to the Senate. Mike asked to be on the Taskforce Committee and Neil approved.

Item 3. ADT Deadlines

Every month the Chancellor's Office puts out a list of outstanding ADT's and Neil identified some that we have outstanding. Valerie updated the Committee indicating that the original 8 courses promised have been met. The revised list of 15 were modified and accepted by the Chancellor's Office and of those we need to address 3. The rest have been done and are waiting for approval. The outstanding list comes from the Chancellor's Office and is not something we initiated. It was strongly recommended we pull a degree or create an ADT so that it doesn't remain on the outstanding list. It was mentioned that perhaps we add context to the policies of ADT's regarding discontinuance. The courses identified were:

- **Anthropology**
Archive this degree.
- **Biology**
Archive. In order to get CID approval, CHEM 2000 would be a required prerequisite. After discussing this at length, it was decided to discontinue and archive the local degree.
- **Chemistry**
Waiting on CID approvals.
- **Computer Science**
Adjustments need to be made in unities values, which are being discussed through the math curriculum modification. Neil and Jesse will meet to develop a plan.
- **Physics**
Valerie will look at this one.
- **Philosophy**

- This is ready to submit if we choose to. We're waiting for CID approval
- **Psychology**
This is ready and waiting for CID approvals on two classes.
- **Spanish**
If we no longer offer Intermediate Spanish I and II, Valerie recommends we discontinue our local degree and not submit the ADT.
- **Studio Arts**
Two courses need revisions. After that it will need to go through the approval process and then it can be submitted for the ADT.
- **Kinesiology**
We are planning to submit once we get CIS approval on two courses. It doesn't appear to the Chancellor's Office that we have a local degree, because our degree prefix is PEMA.

Valerie indicated CID approvals are still pending in many cases. She checks these weekly and usually gets an email notification when a course has been reviewed.

Neil motioned to approve that the Anthropology, Biology and Spanish local degrees be discontinued and archived. The Committee approved.

Neil put the Course Review Cycle on the agenda for Planning Day. He will go over the 3 year review spreadsheet with the faculty and answer any questions they might have. Of 683 courses, 1/3 of them have currently been archived.

Item 7. Good of the Order

The following courses were not on the consent agenda; however, they were in the Curriculum queue and ready to be reviewed by the Committee once the meeting began.

Course Archives

The Curriculum Committee approved the following courses to be archived:

- **HIST 0590 – United States History and Constitution**
- **THEA 0950 – Fundamentals of Theatre Arts**
- **THEA 1315 – Stage Movement**
- **THEA 1450 – Appreciation of Theatre**
- **THEA 30 – Oral Interpretation**
- **THEA 321 – Ballroom Dancing – Beginning (Bronze Level)**
- **THEA 370 – Belly Dancing – Beginning & Intermediate**
- **THEA 371 – Belly Dancing – Advanced**

Neil informed the Committee that Jodi will be making reservations for anyone interested in attending the Curriculum Regional Meeting at Solano College. It is scheduled for Friday, November 13, 2015 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The deadline to register is November 9, 2015. Please let Neil or Jodi know if you are planning to attend.

Item 8. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 12:45 p.m.