Minutes of Arts and Sciences
3:15 PM October 15, 2014

Attendance: Robbin Smith (A&S Curriculum Subcommittee Chair, Political Science), Mark Jackson (Curriculum Chair, Biology), Mary D’Ambrosio (Journalism), Paul A. Karpuk (English), Don Adams (Philosophy and A&S), Mark Jones (History), Laura Bowman (Psychological Science), Carmela Pesca (Modern Languages), Julie Schnobrich-Davis (Criminology), Carl Knox (Music), Ismael Lopez Medel (Communication), Betsy Kaminski (Sociology), Eleanor Thornton (Design), Warren Perry (Anthropology)

The meeting was called to order at 3:15 p.m.

Item 1.0
Approval of the Minutes
The minutes of the meeting of 9/17/2014 were unanimously approved.

Item 3.2
Consideration of the addition of the graduate course PSY 547, Clinical Health Psychology and Chronic Illness, was deferred to the graduate studies subcommittee, by unanimous vote.

Item 4.1
Jackson proposed that all instances of “School of Arts and Science” be changed to “college of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences,” pending approval by the Board of Regents. The subcommittee discussed, but did not vote upon, the motion.

Item 4.2
It was proposed that all instances of “School of Engineering and Technology” be changed to “School of Engineering, Science and Technology,” a change already approved by the Board of Regents. The proposal was unanimously approved.

Item 4.4

4.9.1. A proposal that the language “Requests for a change in the designator, number, title, cycling pattern and/or description and that would constitute a minor change may be submitted directly to the appropriate Dean(s) for approval, provided that the essential nature of the course is not changed” was unanimously approved.

Item 4.5

5.3.1. This proposed revision:
“The General Education subcommittee shall be appointed by the Curriculum Committee Chair and be composed of two representatives each from Study Area I and Study Area II; one representative from each of the four Skill Areas, Study Area
III, and Study Area IV; one representative each from the Schools of Business and the School of Education and Professional Studies; the coordinator of the International and Area Studies Committee (IASC); the chair (or representative) of the International Education Committee, ex officio; one student; the Dean of the College of Arts and Social Sciences (or representative); and the Chair of the Curriculum Committee, ex-officio. As per 1.4 above, SGA may appoint at most one student to serve on the General Education subcommittee. It shall organize itself."

was tabled, pending discussion by the Gen Ed committee.

**Item 4.6.**

The request by the new International Education Committee for a seat on the curriculum committee was unanimously approved.

Committee approved the motion

**Item 4.3**

Committee discussed but item was postponed to November meeting to wait to refine the language, and pending decisions on catalog publication date.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary D’Ambrosio