2-19-15 College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee minutes

Present: Jessica Hodge (chair), Jenny Lundgren (secretary), Norma Cantú, Louis Imperiale, Jim Murowchick, Fred Leibsle, Liana Sega, Theresa Torres, Ex-Officio: Alicen Lundberg, Becky Bergman, Kati Toivanen, Diane Filion

Absent: Jim Sheppard, Ex-Officio: Rosana Challacombe

1. Reminder to vote on Blackboard for second degree seeking student degree requirements
2. 1-22-15 minutes-approved without corrections
3. Program proposals
   a. POL-SC-BA-approved
   b. LAN-LIT-MI-approved upon removal of the Intro to Ethnic Studies (Anchor course) from the list of electives
   c. ENGLISH-BA-approved upon removal of the Intro to Ethnic Studies (Anchor course) from the list of electives
   d. BLACK-STDY-conditional approval with changes: the new courses are not designated as humanities or social science focus; need to clarify how these count toward the degree requirement; need to delete the new courses from the “Special Topics”; change BLKS 5580 to 480
   e. BL-STU-MI-conditional approval with same changes as for the BLACK-STDY emphasis
   f. COM-ST-BA-MSS-COM-approved

4. Course Modifications
   a. SOC-WK 5533-approved
   b. MATH courses- Conditional approval for all math courses with changes (below). In general, need to make sure syllabi match CourseLeaf entries; make sure SLOs match between syllabus and CourseLeaf (work with Lundberg)
      i. MATH 100
      ii. MATH 110
      iii. MATH 120
      iv. MATH 125
      v. MATH 216-need to limit description to 50 words

5. Discussion Item
   a. Which changes on CourseLeaf need to come to the CAS CC vs. be dealt with administratively (e.g., catalog editors)
      i. Small changes (e.g., typo, minor wording changes)—contact Lundberg for help with changes; CAS CC chair and CAS CC administrator will work with dept.
      ii. Other changes need to continue to go through CAS CC
   b. 6 additional course/program modifications came through last minute; committee voted to allow CAS CC chair discretion to approve minor changes but save more significant changes for the April meeting.
   c. Committee voted Lundgren as next chair and Torres as next secretary

6. Next meeting: Thursday, April 23, 9-11 AM