

Minutes of the University Core Development Committee, Wednesday, March 19, 2014

The committee came to order shortly after 11:00 a.m. in Gasson 102.

Present were Nasser Behnegar, Patrick Byrne, Clare Dunsford, Audrey Friedman, Laura Hake, Arthur Madigan, Suzanne Matson, Richard McGowan, Catherine Read, and Cynthia Simmons.

The first order of business was discussion of Cultural Diversity core credit for HS 077-088 Globalization I and II (Philipp Stelzel). This course had been approved for History core credit in the previous meeting. After discussion it was decided not to approve HS 077-078 for Cultural Diversity core credit.

The next order of business was discussion of Cultural Diversity core credit for HS 084 Globalization II (Ian Delahanty). This course had been approved for History core credit in the previous meeting, along with its companion HS 083. HS 083 had also been approved for Cultural Diversity core credit in that meeting. After discussion it was decided not to approve HS 084 for Cultural Diversity core credit.

Discussion then turned to SOCY 1073 States, Markets, and Bodies (Kimberly Kay Hoang), proposed for Social Science core credit. After discussion, the committee decided not to approve SOCY 1073 for Social Science core credit.

The committee next considered MI 215 Special Topics: Technology and Economic Development (John Gallagher, Elizabeth Bagnani), proposed for Cultural Diversity core credit. After brief discussion, the committee approved MI 215 for Cultural Diversity core credit.

The committee next considered PO 475 / IN 475 Kuwait: Oil and Politics in the Gulf (Kathleen Bailey), a summer course proposed by the Office of International Programs for Cultural Diversity core credit. After brief discussion, the committee approved MI 215 for Cultural Diversity core credit.

The committee next considered SL 222 / EN 227 Classics of Russian Literature (Maxim Shrayner), proposed for Literature core credit. After discussion, the committee approved SL 222 / EN 227 for Literature core credit.

The meeting adjourned shortly before 12:00 noon.

Respectfully submitted by

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