

## **Liberal Studies Committee Minutes**

19 April 2012

3:30 p.m.

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Present: Y. Asamoah, L. Evering, M. Florez, M. Hildebrandt, M. Knoch, D. Pistole, E. Ratliff, F. Slack, M. Swinker

Excused: E. Hwang, R. Sweeny, J. Tomlinson

### **For Information:**

The minor revisions for the following course proposals were received and approved (provisional removed) and passed on to the UWUCC:

11-137a ENGL/FNLG 121 Humanities Literature

11-123b GEOS 103 Oceans and Atmospheres Lecture

11-123c GEOS 104 Oceans and Atmospheres Lab

11-147 GEOS 151 Age of Dinosaurs

11-150 HPED 143 Wellness Through Strength Training

11-105a MATH 125 Calculus I for Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics

11-130 NURS 143 Healthy People-Promoting Wellness

11-138a SOC 151 Principles of Sociology

11-138b SOC 231 Social Problems

11-119a THTR 101 Introduction to Theater

The minor revisions for the following program revisions were received and approved (provisional removed) and passed on to the UWUCC:

11-113 BS Art Education

11-116a BSED Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology

The following program revisions were approved in an e-mail vote by the committee prior to the 19 April 2012 meeting so they could be on the 19 April 2012 UWUCC agenda (see note on the Political Science BA international Studies/Political Science):

### Natural Sciences

11-153a BS Natural Science

11-153b BS Natural Science/Pre-Podiatry Track

11-153c BS Natural Science/Pre-Physical Therapy Track

11-153d BS Natural Science/Pre-Pharmacy Track  
11-153e BS Natural Science/Pre-Optometry Track  
11-153f BS Natural Science/Pre-Dentistry Track  
11-153g BS Natural Science/Pre-Chiropractic Track

#### Political Science

11-30a BA International Studies/Political Science  
Approved with provision of removing the “Global and Multi-Cultural Awareness: PLSC 101”. It is not necessary since PLSC 101 is a required majors course. Therefore, this category will be met without stipulating it in the Liberal Studies Section.

#### Professional Studies in Education

11-87b BSED Middle Level Education Grades 4-8/Science Specialization

#### **For Action:**

Motion to approve the minutes of 5 April, 2012 Hildebrandt/Knoch –  
Passed – unanimous.

#### **II A. Writing Proposals**

##### Special Education and Clinical Services

11-116j SPLP 401 Communication and Social Competence for Children with  
Autism

Florez/Knoch motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

#### **II B. Course Revisions:**

##### 1. FCSE

11-154 FCSE 143 Financial Wellness

Evering/Hildebrandt motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

##### 2. Geography & Regional Planning

11-136a GEOG 101 Introduction to Geography: Human Environment

Evering/Knoch motion to provisionally approve pending minor corrections.  
Passed: Unanimous.

11-136b GEOG/RGPL 103 Global Cities: Issues in Planning and Development  
Evering/Hildebrandt motion to provisionally approve pending minor corrections.  
Passed: Unanimous.

##### 3. Geoscience

11-156 GEOS 201 Foundations of Geology

Ratliff/Knoch motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

##### 4. History – Catalog Description Changes Only

11-155a HIST 196 Exploration in U.S. History  
11-155b HIST 197 Explorations in European History  
11-155c HIST 198 Explorations in Global History  
Slack/Swinker motion to approve all three course catalog description changes.  
Passed: Unanimous

5. Theater and Dance

11-120 FIAR 101 Introduction to Fine Arts  
Knoch/Swinker motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

6. The following course was approved provisionally until the cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office:

Physics

SCI 105 Physical Science I

Swinker/Asamoah motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

**Program/Catalog Revisions:**

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1. Biology

11-114 BSED Biology Education

Knoch/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

2. Theater and Dance

11-158 BA Interdisciplinary Fine Arts – Musical Theater Track

Hildebrandt/Knoch motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

## **New Program Revisions:**

1. Biology – all approved provisionally until college committee copy received in LS office
  - BA Biology  
Knoch/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS Biology/Cell and Molecular Track  
Evering/Swinker motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS Biology/Ecology, Conservation, and Environmental Biology Track  
Ratliff/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS Biology/Environmental Health Track  
Swinker/Ratliff motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS Biology/Pre-Medical Track  
BS Biology/Pre-Veterinary Track  
Swinker/Ratliff motion to approve BOTH tracks. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS Biology  
Swinker/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
2. Developmental Studies – both approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office
  - AA General Studies  
Hildebrandt/Evering motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
  - BS General Studies  
Asamoah/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
3. English
  - BSED English Education - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office  
Asamoah/Ratliff motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
4. Foreign Languages - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office
  - BSED K-12 French Education  
Swinker/Florez motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous
  
5. Geography & Regional Planning - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office
  - 11-159 BA Geography/Economic Geographer Track  
Asamoah/Swinker motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

6. History - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office  
BSED Social Studies Education/History Track  
Florez/Evering motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

BSED Social Studies Education/Geography Concentration - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office  
Swinker/Asamoah motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

7. Physics - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office  
BSED Physics  
Swinker/Asamoah motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

8. Professional Studies in Education - approved provisionally until cover sheet from TECC is received in LS office  
BSED Middle Level Program - Social Studies Specialization  
Swinker/Evering motion to approve. Passed: Unanimous

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Motion to Adjourn: Knoch/Florez. Approved Unanimous – the meeting adjourned at 5:15.