

**Minutes**  
**LIBERAL STUDIES COMMITTEE**  
**May 1, 2014**  
**STABLEY 101**  
**3:30 – 5**

Present: Y. Asamoah, M. Hildebrandt, E. Hwang, M. Knoch, D. Pistole, R. Sweeny  
Excused: M. Correia, D. Doverspike, F. Slack, J. Smith

**I. For information - The following provisionally approved proposal revisions were received and passed on to the UWUCC:**

- 13-127c PHIL 270 Ethics and the Environment - LS Elective – Global Citizenship
- 13-132a FRNC 229 Intermediate French Conversation – LS Elective – Oral  
Communication
- 13-132b GRMN 220 Intermediate German Conversation – LS Elective – Oral  
Communication
- 13-204c COMM 303 Scriptwriting – Type II Department Commitment - W revision
- 13-207a HIST 495 Topics in United States History-Type II Department Commitment –W
- 13-207b HIST 496 Topics in European History-Type II Department Commitment –W
- 13-207c HIST 497 Topics in Non-Western History-Type II Department Commitment –W
- 13-208d HIST 498 Topics in Comparative History-Type II Department Commitment –W
- 13-208b PSYC 280 Psychological Inquiry – Type II Department Commitment - W  
Revision
- 13-208c PSYC 410 Historical Trends in Psychology – Type II Department Commitment  
- W revision
- 13-208d PSYC 411 Psychology of Women – Type II Department Commitment - W  
Revision
- 13-112 SCI 104 Fundamentals of Environmental Biology – Natural Science Knowledge  
Area

**II. For action**

Minutes of 17 April, 2014 Meeting – Knoch/Pistole motion to approve –  
Passed: Unanimous

**III. Discussion**

The Committee discussed Therese O’Neil’s question about a computer based Dimensions of Wellness course. We felt that it didn’t fit the Dimensions of Wellness category but that it would make a very good Liberal Studies Elective.

## **IV. Writing**

### **Type I Revisions**

#### **Type I Professor Commitment – New Proposal**

##### English

13-221a Christopher Orchard – Type I Professor Commitment

Knoch/Sweeny motion to approve – Passed: Unanimous

##### Political Science

13-220a David D. Chambers – Type I Professor Commitment

13-220b Steven F. Jackson – Type I Professor Commitment

13-220c Gwendolyn Torges – Type I Professor Commitment

13-220d Sarah Wheeler – Type I Professor Commitment

Hildebrandt/Hwang motion to approve all 4 Political Science type I Professors –  
Passed: Unanimous

##### Religious Studies

13-224 Stuart Chandler – Type I Professor Commitment

Hildebrandt/Sweeny motion to approve – Passed: Unanimous

### **Type II Revisions**

##### English

13-221b ENGL 122 Introduction to English Studies- Type II Department  
Commitment

Asamoah/Knoch motion to approve – Passed: Unanimous

##### Theater/English

13-227 THTR/ENGL 347 Playwriting, Type II Department Recommitment

Asamoah/Hildebrandt motion to approve – Passed: Unanimous

## **V. Course Revisions/Proposals**

### **NSM & HHS subcommittee proposals**

#### Chemistry

13-202a SCI 102 Fundamentals of Chemistry – LS Knowledge Area – Natural Sciences

Return for revisions

#### Physics

13-202b – SCI 101 Fundamentals of Physics – LS Knowledge Area – Natural Sciences

Sweeny/Asamoah motion to provisionally approve – Passed: Unanimous

### **FA & HSS subcommittee proposals**

#### Music

13-213a MUHI 301 Music History I – LS Elective – Global Citizenship and Information Literacy

Knoch/Asamoah motion to provisionally approve – Passed: Unanimous

13-213b MUHI 302 Music History II – LS Elective – Information Literacy

Asamoah/Knoch motion to provisionally approve – Passed: Unanimous

13-225 MUHI 102 Music and Literature Survey – LS Knowledge Area – Fine Arts

Asamoah/Sweeny motion to provisionally approve – Passed: Unanimous

#### Sociology

13-226 SOC 314 Sociology of Native Americans – LS Elective – Global Citizenship & Global and Multicultural Awareness

Sweeny/Knoch motion to provisionally approve – Passed: Unanimous

**Motion to Adjourn:** Knoch/Asamoah - Approved Unanimous – the meeting adjourned at 5:00