

MINUTES
LIBERAL STUDIES COMMITTEE
April 16th 2020

In attendance: Asamoah, Ghosh, Hromadik, Knoch, Massey, Ortiz, Reilly, Scheib, Slack.
On Sabbatical: Siegel-Finer,

Curriculum

- GEOS 101 Dynamic Earth -course revision for Liberal Studies Natural Science non-laboratory. Mapping SLOs to EUSLOs and including as assessment tool.
Motion to recommend APPROVAL of GEOS 101. Motion carried.

- GEOS 102 Dynamic Earth Lab-course revision for Liberal Studies Natural Science Laboratory. Mapping SLOs to EUSLOs and including as assessment tool.
Motion to recommend APPROVAL of GEOS 102. Motion carried.

- GEOS 204 Historical Geology -course revision for Liberal Studies Natural Science Laboratory. Mapping SLOs to EUSLOs and including as assessment tool.
Motion to recommend APPROVAL of GEOS 204. Motion carried.

- HIST 306 Early Modern Europe -course revision but a new course for Liberal Studies Elective (information literacy).
Type in the very last part of the Liberal Studies section--"This course addressed the liberal studies elective information literacy criteria by requiring students to ANALYZE (not analysis)"
Motion to recommend PROVISIONAL APPROVAL of HIST 306. Motion carried.

Other Items

- SOC 151/161 (catalog correction)-- Recent course revisions for SOC 151 Principles of Sociology and SOC 161 Foundations of Sociology: Social Relations in Groups and Organizations included a statement about D/F repeats and duplicate credit in both catalog descriptions. These dual requirements were unable to be correctly processed by the current Banner scheduling system. When notified of this technical issue, the Sociology Department agreed that the duplicate credit requirement in the original catalog description could be changed for both courses.
Motion to recommend APPROVAL of SOC 151/161. Motion carried.