Liberal Studies Committee Minutes November 15, 2007 3:30 p.m. Stabley 101

Present: M. Sadler, Y. Asamoah, E. Auvil, M. Browne, F. Slack, T. Wacker, B.G. Wilson, C. Zoni, D. Pistole, M. Hildebrandt, M. Swinker, S. Reid

Guest: Dr. Kenneth Coles

Minutes of the November 1, 2007 meeting were approved on a Wilson/Zoni motion with one abstention.

The committee was updated on the new course proposal from Dr. Bradley Rives for PHIL 110 Reasoning and the Law that is being proposed as a Liberal Studies Elective. It was returned by the UWUCC for several reasons and Sadler met with Dr. Rives to explain the questions and issues.

Dr. Kenneth Coles reviewed the changes made to his Type I proposal. On a Zoni/Asamoah motion, the request for Type I Professor Commitment writing status was approved.

Dr. Kenneth Coles presented his new course proposal GEOS 254 Exploration of Space for the non-lab science category. The committee asked for a more detailed topical outline and attention to a few typographical errors. On a Wilson/Zoni motion the committee provisionally approved GEOS 254 as a non-lab science, pending UWUCC approval.

Sadler provided an update on the final courses that have been approved by the Transfer and Articulation Oversight Committee.

Sadler shared information about the new university wide assessment committee that will be forming; several members of the LSC will be asked to join this group.

Sadler provided an update on the progress of the LSRSC subcommittees and reviewed the timeline.

Note: Minutes of this meeting were approved by electronic vote on 11/29/07

Meeting adjourned at 4:45