

Lehman College
City University of New York
Minutes of the Meeting of November 13, 2013
Senate Undergraduate Committee on Curriculum

Present: Feinerman, R.; Gorokhovich, Y.; Hyman, D.; Jacobson, B.; Whittaker, R. Akan, A.; cast her votes electronically.

Six voting members are presently on the committee. Bertrade Bernoum, our 6th faculty member is on leave and has not been replaced. One student has been nominated for the committee but as of this meeting time has not been elected.

All votes taken were unanimous.

1. The committee approved the minutes of October 09, 2013.
2. The committee approved a proposal from the Department of Biology to create an experimental course, BIO 4160, subject to minor editing.
3. Proposals from the Dept. of Health Sciences to change the degree requirements of the 52 credit major in Therapeutic Recreation B.S., and the degree requirements of the 40 credit major in Recreation Education B.S., were approved.
4. Proposals from the Dept. of Health Sciences to change the prerequisites of REC 422 , REC 387, REC 401 and REC 370 were approved.
5. Proposals from the Center for Human Rights and Peace Studies to create a 15 credit minor in Human Rights and Peace Studies, to change the cross listing of PHI(POL) 218, and to create new courses HRP(ANT) 3500, HRP 3520 and HRP 4730 were approved, the last with minor editing.
6. A proposal from the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee to create an experimental course, LEH 4100 was approved.
7. Proposals from the Department of Middle and High School Education to create an experimental course ESC 4530, a new course, ESC 4900, and to change the Admission Requirements of Undergraduate Secondary Teacher Education (Art, English, Foreign language, Health Mathematics Science,), the Certification Sequence of Undergraduate Secondary Teacher Education (Art, English, Foreign language, Health Mathematics Science) and the Admission Requirement of Undergraduate Teacher Education in Social Studies were sent back to the Department. The committee decided to invite representatives of the Dept. to come to the next meeting to explain the changes in further detail. Since the changes most in question involve those in the GPA requirements, the committee will also invite members of

CAEAS to the meeting.

8. The committee approved proposals from the Department of Earth, Environmental and Geospatial Sciences to change the degree requirements of the 28-29 credit major in Earth Science, BA and to change the prerequisites of GEO 101 and 167.
9. Proposals from the Department of Earth, Environmental and Geospatial Sciences to create new courses GEO 4700, GEO 1700 and GEO 3750, to change the title, number, hours and credits of GEO 360, and the title, credits, hours and course description of GEO 100 were approved, pending minor revisions.
10. The committee approved the UCC subcommittee's re-classification of Lehman's liberal arts and non liberal arts courses in CUNY1st. This revised list complies with New York State's (NYSED's) definition of liberal and sciences. The approval is subject to a final review of the list by the UCC before it goes to the Senate.
11. The committee approved the draft of the Senate Resolution on Minors.
12. The UCC will hold its next meeting on December 11 at 1:00 in CA 263.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Jacobson
Secretary, pro tempore