College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Committee on Curricula and Courses

Agenda for the meeting of March 16, 2004

3:30 PM in Room 162 of the Dodd Research Center

1. PRELIMINARIES

- a. Appointment of a secretary for this meeting.
- b. Approval of minutes of Feb. 10, 2004 meeting
- c. Updates from the chair (if needed)

2. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Issues for Discussion (if time allows):

The recent heated discussion in this committee regarding the advisability of using grades (e.g. "B or better") as a mechanism to limit entry into an academic program points to the absence of an articulated policy by CLAS concerning mechanisms for selecting students in programs with limited enrollment capacity. Does CLAS wish to examine this issue and develop such a policy?

3. NEW BUSINESS

- **2004-21 Change:** LAMS 290 Latin American Studies Research Seminar.
- 2004-22 Add: LAMS 310. Independent Study in Latin American Studies.
- **2004-23 Change:** four PSYC courses (253, 253W, 257, and 257W).
- 2004-24 Add: German 1xxW. German Literature in English.
- **2004-25 Change:** GERM 284. German Cinema in Cross-Cultural Perspective.
- 2004-26 Change: MATH 112Q. Introductory Calculus 1.
- **2004-27 Change:** two MATH courses (115Q and 120Q).
- **2004-28 Change:** Group 7 General Education for CLAS by adding LING 103.
- **2004-29 Overview:** preamble to an extensive set of proposals to create Public Policy (PP) curriculum.
- **2004-30 Change:** convert a large group of POLS courses to PP courses.
- 2004-31 Add: a group of special topics undergraduate PP courses.
- **2004-32 Add:** a group of special topics graduate PP courses.
- 2004-33 Add: PP 242. Investigating Public Opinion.
- **2004-34 Add:** PP 260 Public Administration in Theory and Practice.
- 2004-35 Add: PP 264 Managing Public Money.
- 2004-36 Add: PP 274 State and Local Fiscal Problems.
- **2004-37 Add:** PP 276. Public Policy.
- **2004-38 Add:** PP 320 Ethics in Policy and Management.
- 2004-39 Add: PP 321 State and Local Fiscal Problems.
- **2004-40 Add:** PP 322. Evaluating Public Programs.
- **2004-41 Add:** PP 323 Leadership and Management of Nonprofit Organizations.
- **2004-42** Add: PP 324 Resource Development for Nonprofit Organizations.
- **2004-43** Add: PP 325 Labor Relations and Public Financial Management.
- **2004-44 Add:** PP 341 Public Opinion and Democratic Processes.
- 2004-45 Add: PP 373 Budgeting in Public Service Organizations.
- 2004-46 Add: PP 375 Analytic Tools for Public Problems.
- **2004-47** Add: PP 381 Quantitative Methods for Survey Research.
- **2004-48 Add:** PP 382 Advanced Quantitative Methods for Survey Research.

2004-49 Add: PP 383 Principles and Methods for Survey Research II.
2004-50 Add: PP 384 Focus Groups.
2004-51 Add: PP 391 Policy Analysis.

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