

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
Committee on Curricula & Courses
Agenda for the meeting of 8 February 2011
3:30 pm in Room 162, Dodd Research Center

I. PRELIMINARIES

A. Appointment of a secretary for this meeting: [seeking advance notice of volunteer]

B. Minutes of the 14 December 2011 meeting. These minutes were approved by *via* electronic canvass 29 December 2010, and are posted on the CLAS CC&C website.

C. Leadership of this committee: Initial discussion and commentary on how best to proceed in seeking a new chair.

Note that at the request of Chair Jack Manning, Henning agreed to serve as acting chair for this present meeting. While it is hoped that Jack will be able to resume chairmanship of the committee soon, if that is not the case Henning will seek a new acting chair to take over before the next meeting. Meanwhile, please direct all CLAS CC&C correspondence to robert.henning@uconn.edu

D. Chair's report:

1. Interim course approvals:

MCB 3295. [Status remains unclear. Knecht reported at the last meeting that a proposal remains incomplete.]

MCB 3895. [Item 2010-161; Chair can approve as a special topics course unless the IOR is not a faculty member, in which case the committee will first need to review this person's CV.]

E. Honors rules changes (status): remains pending before Scholastic Standards

F. Residence requirement (documentation, Senate & CLAS): Higgins

G. UICC: Rockwell & Henning: A report of the UICC meeting of 7 February 2011.

H. Blended/hybrid courses: In response to a number of specific questions regarding the hybrid course format in Item 2010-154 (Offer Blended Version of existing PSYC 3201: Approved unanimously 14 December 2010), Prof. David Miller (PSYC) has agreed to join us to answer questions and to summarize some of the key features of his course.

I. Other points for the good of the order.

II. DEPARTMENTAL COURSE PROPOSALS:

I. Proposals postponed from an earlier meeting:

2010 - 113 Add LCL 6XXY [Needs number resolved (should be 5XXY?)]

2010 - 114 Change CLCS 5302 [Remains pending faculty agreement on text]

2010 - 116 Add LCL 6XYZ [Proposal revised 8 November, but still lacks faculty agreement]

2010 - 161 Offer MCB 3895 Special Topics

II. New Departmental Proposals:

2011 - 1 Proposal to change the MCB major

2011 - 2 Proposal to change the Linguistics and Psychology joint major

2011 - 3 Proposal to change COMM 3600

2011 - 4 Proposal to change COMM 4089

2011 - 5 Proposal to change COMM 4100

2011 - 6 Proposal to change COMM 4340

2011 - 7 Proposal to change ENGL 3800

2011 - 8 Proposal to change the Women's Studies major

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