

General Studies Council Minutes
April 8, 2010 Meeting – 3:30 p.m.
Founders Hall, Academic Affairs Conference Room
Approved 5/21/10

Present: Sylvia Asay, Debbie Bridges, Mary Daake, Kim Elliott, Tommy Eshleman, Katie Hall, Tommy Hansen, Ralph Hanson, Sherri Harms, Daryl Kelley, Sonja Kropp, Carol Lilly, Kristi Milks, Janet Moore, Marta Moorman, The GS director Snider

Absent: Vijay Agrawal, Jeanne Butler, Darleen Mitchell, Kim Schipporeit, Ron Wirtz

I. Call to Order:

Director Snider called the meeting to order and the Council approved the agenda.

II. New Business:

a. Review of Proposed General Studies Courses:

BIOL 211 – Human Microbiology – Science – Kelley (Asay) moved to approve. Motion carried.

BIOL 311 – Bioethics - Syllabi not received. Course not considered.

BIOL 390 – Science of Fear – Capstone – Harms (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

CDIS 188 – A Look at Sign Language – Portal – Hansen (Eshleman) moved to approve. Motion carried.

CDIS 210 – Survey of Communication Disorders – Social Science – Lilly (Asay) moved to deny. Motion carried.

CHEM 386 – Forensic Science – Capstone – Lilly (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

CJUS 101 – Introduction to Criminal Justice – Social Science – Hansen (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion denied. The outcomes are not the revised outcomes.

CJUS 388 – Forensic Science – Capstone – Lilly (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

ENG 188 – Democratic Vistas – Democracy – Kelley (Asay) moved to approve the course with the exception that The GS director work with the department to make revisions to the outcomes. Motion carried.

FSID 430 – Grant Writing – Capstone – Moore (Lilly) moved to deny. Motion carried.

INTS 100 – Introduction to International Studies – Social Science – Eshleman (Hanson) moved to approve. Motion carried.

INTS 388 – Capstone in International Studies – Capstone – Hansen (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

MATH 330 – Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II – Mathematics – Asay (Moore) moved to approve with The GS director working with the department to make the necessary revisions. Motion carried.

PE 110 – Basic Sports Activity Classes – Wellness – Lilly (Moorman) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 100 – Introduction of Philosophy – Humanities – Harms (Hanson) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 120 – Introduction to Ethics – Humanities – Hansen (Asay) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 250 – Ancient Philosophy – Humanities – Hansen (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 251 – Medieval Philosophy – Humanities – Harms (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 253 – Modern Philosophy – Humanities – Hansen (Moorman) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 254 – Contemporary Philosophy – Humanities – Kelley (Asay) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 260 – Philosophy of Culture – Humanities – Kelley (Asay) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PHIL 305 – Social & Political Philosophy – Humanities – Moore (Hanson) moved to approve. Motion denied. Course is not broadly introductory.

PHIL 309 – Philosophy of Mind – Humanities - Kelley (Moorman) moved to approve. Motion denied.

PHIL 314 – Philosophy of Culture – Humanities – Lilly (Hanson) moved to approve. Motion denied.

PHIL 360 – Philosophy of Religion – Humanities – Hansen (Hansen) moved to approve. Motion denied.

PHIL 400 – Ethics – Humanities - Hansen (Kelley) moved to approve. Motion denied.

PHIL 451 – Philosophy in Literature – Humanities - Lilly (Kelley) moved to deny. Motion carried. The course is not broadly introductory.

PSCI 188 – Contemporary Political Issues – The Drug War – Portal – Moore (Hanson) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PSCI 280H – The Red-Blue Divide in American Politics – Social Science – Lilly (Moore) moved to approve. Motion carried.

PSY 465 – Psychopharmacology – Capstone – Did not receive revisions.

PSY 470 – Neuropsychology – Capstone – No revised syllabus received.

SOC 250 – Anthropology – Social Science – Harms (Moore) moved to approve. Motion carried.

SOWK 120 – Dynamics of Interpersonal Communication. Withdrawn by the department.

STAT 241 – Elementary Statistics – Math – Harms (Kelley) moved to approve with The GS director working with the department to make the necessary revisions. Motion carried.

THEA 402 – Healing Through Drama Therapy – Capstone – Kelley (Harms) moved to approve. Motion carried.

VI. Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: April 29, 2010, Thursday, at 3:30 p.m., Academic Affairs Conference Room.