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EDUCATIONAL POLICY COMMITTEE

Approved 2-9-09

MINUTES OF MEETING: February 2, 2009

**PRESENT:** C. Cruz, D. Espinoza, C. Flint, M. Garcia, A. Gonzalez, C. Haras, P. Ivory, A. Mccurdy, E. Porter, V. Seaman, S. Wight

**EXCUSED ABSENCE:** J. Moss

1 **Call to Order**

M. Garcia, Chair, called the meeting to order.

2. **Announcements**

A. Gonzalez reported that the Ed.D. in Educational Leadership with Specialization in P-12 was received in Undergraduate Studies on Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup> and because there were no objections, the program was forwarded to the Chancellor's Office.

3. **Intent to Raise Questions**

None.

4. **Liaison Appointments/Reports**

**Library Subcommittee Appointment** – E. Porter

**Program Review Subcommittee Appointment** – A. McCurdy

**General Education Subcommittee**

P. Ivory reported that GES reviewed and approved the change in catalog language regarding Military Credit for Block E.

**Executive Committee**

C. Flint reported the status on the conversation from quarter to semester vote.

5. **Approval of the Agenda**

M/s/p to approve.

6. **Approval of the Minutes**

M/s/p to approve.

7. **Curricular Items**

7.1 **Actions Reported by the Executive Secretary**

M/s/p to reflect in the minutes.

8. **Military Credit for Block E, EPC 08-10**

The Committee reviewed the recommendation from GES for a change in Catalog language. The following action was taken:

M/s/p to ask that the Dean of Undergraduate Studies request that the Registrar implement the recommendation of GES to allow 9 units for basic training military service, to be applied to lower division elective credit and/or G.E. Block E credit until which time that there is a policy on this issue approved by the Senate and signed by the President or such a proposal is rejected.

M/s/p to ask the Curriculum Subcommittee to review Executive Order 1036, Systemwide Admission Eligibility and/or Baccalaureate Credit Awarded for External Examinations, Experiential Learning, and Instruction in Non-Collegiate Settings, and determine whether campus policy needs to be created or modified to reflect the E.O. and in particular that section having to do with military credit being granted for G.E. Block E.

9. **California Articulation Numbering System (CAN) , EPC 08-11**

A. Gonzalez provided backgorund on this item and the following action was taken:

M/s/p to delete policy from Faculty Handbook since CAN is no longer in existence.

## **ACTIONS REPORTED BY THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY**

### **Program Modifications**

**BA History**

Prefix change from SOCS to HIST 498 for capstone course.

**BA Social Science**

Program deletion.

**BS/MS Computer Science Blended Program**

New Program.

**BS/MS Mechanical Engineering Blended Program**

New Program.

**MA Sociology**

Program changes to the admission policy.

### **Course Modifications**

**ENGL 102 Composition II: Analytic and Persuasive Writing (4)**

Change catalog description.

**RUSS 101 ABC Elementary Russian (4, 4, 4)**

Change prefix/suffix, units and references.

**SOC 599 Thesis (1-3)**

Change prerequisites/corequisites and catalog description.

### **Course Deletions**

**SOCS 230 The Social Sciences and Poverty Policy (4)**

**SOCS 499 Undergraduate Directed Study (1-4)**

### **Course Relocations**

Change SOCS 497 to HIST 498.

Change prefix SOCS 180 to PAS 180.