Minutes UCC 12/03/07

Present:

UCC Voting: Annette Daoud, Dawn Formo, Jule Gomez de Garcia, Kara Witzke, Olaf Hansen

Excused: Robert Aboolian, Gabriela Sonntag **Ex officio:** David Barsky, Virgina Mann

1) We approved the minutes from November 26 with some changes. The major change was to add a sentence at the end of item 3 with respect to the newly proposed courses of the Theatre Arts Program. An activation of these courses will require a C-Form.

- 2) We started to review the 2007 Curriculum Reconciliation document in the form distributed on Friday, November 30.
 - a) Biological Sciences, the changes were approved with one remark that the course renumbering of BIOL376 to BIOL476 also requires the update of BIOL576.
 - b) College of Business Administration, the changes were approved with the following modifications: BUS444, BUS492: the word 'designated' should be replaced to clarify that this means the core courses of the student's option. UCC considers this as an editorial change and David Barsky will work with the College of Business to reword the formulation. The first item where GBM497 is mentioned will be deleted.
 - c) Communication, the changes were approved pending the decision if COMM100 becomes a **Pre/Co-requisite** for COMM300, 320, 330, 360, 390. These courses are part of the currently proposed Minor in Critical Intercultural Communication, here COMM100 was not required, but now some of the core courses would require it.
 - d) Computer Science, the changes were approved. David Barsky will contact the Computer Science Department concerning one sentence in the course description of CS307. The sentence 'Applications to airlines, railroad, police, military,...' seems to require some rewording.
 - e) Criminology and Justice Studies, the changes were approved.
 - f) Global Studies, the changes were approved, but UCC (David Barsky) will contact Scott Greenwood asking if SOC353 is in the right topic area.
 - g) Graduate Studies, the change was approved.
 - h) History, all changes were approved.
 - i) Kinesiology, UCC discussed the two proposed changes, for the first change David Barsky suggested that the wording 'or other B4 math' is replaced by the language which is already in use in the current catalog: 'Statistics courses, which have been certified as meeting the Lower-Division General Education (B4) requirement in Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning at other institutions, maybe used to satisfy this requirement'. This change will require that the prerequisite of CHEM100 is changed too. For the second change regarding PHYS101 and PHYS102 David Barsky mentioned that these courses have been reactivated by the Physics Department.

Olaf Hansen