las curriculum and requirements committee
wednesday december 16, 2015
8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
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minutes

present: kevin landis, greg oman, edgar cota-torres, lynda dickson, rex welshon, chris duval, emilie vrbancic, mary alice long, and brynne thompson

a. approval of minutes – november 18, 2015 unanimously approved

b. old business -
   1. discussion: interim chair – edgar cota torres, spring 2016

c. new business –
   1. new course proposal: dnce 4710 dance composition 2
      (kevin landis)
      unanimously approved
   2. new course proposal: econ 6347 economic history online for teachers
      (john r. brock)
      unanimously approved
   3. new course proposals:
      engl 3860 user-experience i: methods and research writing
      engl 3865 user-experience ii: theory and management
      (alex ilyasova)
      unanimously approved
   4. new minor and certificate proposal:
      certificate and minor in professional and technical writing (ptw): user-experience (ux) writing and research
      (alex ilyasova)
      unanimously approved
      will be presented to the faculty at the spring meeting
   5. new course proposals:
      anth 3230 paleoindians of the americas
      unanimously approved
      anth 3350 forensic anthropology
      unanimously approved
      anth 4210 advanced laboratory techniques in archaeology
      (linda watts/tara cepon robins/roche lindsey)
      unanimously approved
6. New Course Proposal:  
   PES 3140 Computational Physics  
   (Karen Livesey)  
   **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED**

7. New Course Proposal:  
   GES 1500 Introduction to Environmental Studies and Sustainability  
   (David Havlick)  
   **POSTPONED until January 2016 meeting**

8. New Course Proposal:  
   MATH 4510 Topology  
   (Radu Cascaval)  
   **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED**

9. Informational Item:  
   BI Degree in Museum Studies & Gallery Practice Anthropology/Art History  
   (Valerie Brodar and Karin Larkin)

10. Compass Curriculum submission:  
    NAVIGATE  
    PHIL 3210 Capitalism: A Love Affair  
    **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED**  
    WRITING INTENSIVE  
    HIST 3000 Special Topics: French Revolution and Napoleon  
    **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED**

11. Other items:  
    Greg Oman – Will the new course proposals/revisions presented at the January meeting be included in the 2016/17 catalog? Yes.

**D. ADJOURN:** 9:01am

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