MINUTES
Curriculum and Requirements Committee Meeting
March 14, 2000
8:00 a.m. – CoH 2025A

Committee members present: Louis Cicotello, Rebecca Laroche, Maryanne Wanca-Thibault, and Linda Watts.
Ex officio members present: Regina Murphy (for Barbara Schiff) and Tom Wynn.
Secretary: Lori L. Fujimoto

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of February 1, 2000, were approved as submitted.

B. OLD BUSINESS

1. Proposal to add BIOL 485/585, Molecular Biology Laboratory. Sandra Berry-Lowe presented overview and additional information. Approved.

C. NEW BUSINESS

1. Proposal to increase the maximum number of hours allowed for coursework outside LAS for the Teacher Education Program students. Tom Wynn presented overview. Approved.

   Recommendations: This proposal should be sent to the LAS faculty meeting, April 7, 2000 for discussion.


3. Proposal to change the name of the Ethnic and Minority Studies program and minor to “Ethnic Studies”. Andrea Herrera presented overview. Approved.

   Recommendations: This proposal should be sent to the LAS faculty meeting, April 7, 2000, for discussion and approval.


5. Proposal to add PHYS 595, Special Topics. Tom Christensen presented overview. Approved.
C. NEW BUSINESS (cont.)

6. Proposal to allow courses in Languages and Cultures to be repeated for credit. Tom Wynn presented overview for John Miller. Approved/Tabled.


7. Proposal to change the course number of BIOL 430 (new course) to BIOL 425. Approved.

8. Proposal to change the requirements for the General Communication B.A. degree from 30 to 36 hours in Communication coursework. Maryanne Wanca-Thiebault presented overview. Approved.


D. DISCUSSION ITEMS


2. Core Curriculum goals as set forth in previous meetings will be taken to the LAS faculty for review at the April 7, 2000 general faculty meeting.

There being no further business, the Committee adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

Tom Wynn, Associate Dean LAS
Linda Watts, Chair C&R Committee