NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE
MEETING #1
September 9, 2015

Agenda

A. Action on Minutes

Minutes from the #15 meeting on May 6, 2015, have been approved online and forwarded to the catalog editor.

B. Miscellaneous

Welcome to two new committee members: Melissa Lenczewski (ENVS) and Doris Macdonald (ENGL). Both Melissa and Doris have previously served as members of the committee.

Welcome to Andrea Radasanu (POLs) who will be sitting in for Jeremy Groves this semester while he is on sabbatical.

Welcome to Steve Estes (CLAS) who will be taking on an advisory role with the committee.

We are still looking for two substitutes to serve on the committee for the remainder of the academic year; one in the Social Sciences and one in the Sciences.

Review of VIBE. Are there any suggested changes to the process at this time?

Contract major proposal from WGST for Romeo Jackson. Mr. Jackson would like to pursue a B.A. degree in Intersectionality and Social Justice.

C. Curriculum – Old Business

None

D. Curriculum – New Business

#1 CLAS
Revision: 50 Hour Special Requirement
Program Revision: Minor in Global Studies

#2 COMS
Course Revision: COMS 466
Course Revision: JOUR 200A
Course Revision: JOUR 200B
Course Revision: COMS 566
Program Revision: Emphasis 2. Media Studies
Program Revision: Certificate of Undergraduate Study in Digital Media Production

#3 HIST
New Course Proposal: HIST 391
Course Revision: HIST 295 (change to 395)
Course Revision: HIST 305
Course Revision: HIST 306
Course Revision: HIST 395 (change to 396)
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HIST  
Course Revision: HIST 452
(con’t) Course Revision: HIST 454
Course Revision: HIST 490 (change to 491)
Course Revision: HIST 552
Course Revision: HIST 554
Course Revision: HIST 590 (change to 591)

#4 PHIL  
New Course Proposal: PHIL 620
Program Revision: Master of Arts in Philosophy

#5 POLS  
New Course Proposal: POLS 390

Meeting Time: 1:30-3:00 PM
Meeting Location: Zulauf Hall 1015