Curriculum and Academic Programs Committee (CAPC)
Thursday, February 4, 2021
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Present: Denise Bodman, CAPC-Chair, Kate Brown, Scott Danielson, Mary Sully De Luque, Kay Faris, Aaron Fellmeth, Teresa Foulger, Caroline Harrison, Patricia Huntington, Stephen Johnston, Stacey Kuznetsov, John Kromer, Simin Levinson, Phyllis Lucie, Elizabeth Meloy, Imge Oranli, April Randall, Adam Rigoni, Dennis Russell, Claudia Sadowski-Smith, Tamara Underiner, Aribidesi Usman, Shawn Youngstedt

Excused: Kate Fox

Guests: William Terrill - Watts College
Stephanie Etheridge Woodson - HIDA
Shelley Haydel – CLAS
Roseanne Schuster - SHESC
Mark Stapp – W.P. Carey
Sujey Vega – CLAS
Don Jones – CLAS
Clark Presson - CLAS

1. Call to Order
The meeting was called to order at 10:35 a.m.

2. Approval of Minutes
December 3, 2020 CAPC meeting minutes were approved as presented.

3. Old Business
None

4. New Business

Curricular Proposals
Action Items:

W.P. Carey School of Business
WPC Graduate Programs
Establishment of a graduate certificate
Real Estate
Establishment of a graduate degree
MS in Digital Culture

Name change of a graduate concentration
From: PhD in Theatre (Theatre for Youth)
To: PhD in Theatre (Theatre for Youth and Community)

Name change of an undergraduate certificate
From: Socially Engaged Practice in Design and the Arts
To: Community-Engaged Practices in Design and the Arts

Establishment of a graduate degree
PhD in Geographic Information Science

Establishment of an undergraduate degree
BA American Studies

This curricular proposal was removed from the consent agenda for further discussion.

Sujey Vega, from the School of Social Transformation addressed questions raised by a CAPC member relative to the name of the proposed new undergraduate degree.

After a spirited discussion, all questions were answered and this proposal was voted upon by CAPC.

A motion to approve this curricular proposal was made, seconded, and approved by majority vote. There was one abstention.

Establishment of an undergraduate degree
BA American Studies

Transfer of an undergraduate degree
BS in Neuroscience
From: School of Life Sciences
To: Department of Psychology

Establishment of a minor
Data Science
The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
School of International Letters and Cultures
Change the Academic Organization Code
Graduate Certificate Computer-Assisted Language Learning
From: CLANLIT (School of International Letters and Cultures)
To: CENGLISH (Department of English)

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
School of Human Evolution and Social Change
Establishment of a graduate degree
MS in Global Health

Watts College of Public Service and Community Solutions
Establishment of a graduate degree
MA in Policy Advocacy

This curricular proposal was removed from the consent agenda for further discussion.

There was a brief discussion concerning how to teach students about advocacy. Dr. William Terrill attended the meeting, and discussed this proposal and answered all questions asked.

A motion to approve this curricular proposal was made, seconded, and approved by unanimous vote.

All remaining curricular proposals on the consent agenda were approved.

A motion to approve all remaining curricular proposals on the consent agenda was made, seconded, and approved by unanimous vote.

5. Adjournment at 11:15 a.m.

Submitted by Phyllis Lucie