Present: Craig Allen, Gregory Castle, Ron Dorn, Alejandra Elenes, Barbara Fargotstein, Sherry Feng, Joe Foy, Chouki El Hamel-Chair, Matthias Kawski, Kate Lehman, Phyllis Lucie, Peter de Marneffe, Julia Sarreal, Mike Tueller

Excused: Rebecca Barry, Antonio Garcia, Tracey Hayes, Barbara Lafford, Karen Leong, Lisa McIntyre, Jeff Ricker, Joe Rody, April Summitt

1. **Call to Order** Debra Campbell

   The meeting was called to order at 3:05 p.m.

2. **Approval of Minutes**—February 21, 2012

   The minutes were approved as written.

3. **Announcements**

   None

4. **Old Business**

   None

5. **New Business**

   None

6. **Subcommittee Reports**

   A) **Literacy & Critical Inquiry (Barbara Fargotstein)**

   **From ASU**

   **Approved to retain the L designation (mandatory review):**

   MHL 439  Topics in 19th Century Music
Approved for L designation, effective retroactive Fall 2012 (new):

IAP 294  Introduction to Game Studies

Deny for L designation (new):

IAP 294  Game Over: Ethics and Games

Rationale: The materials submitted were insufficient to complete a review of the criteria for literacy designation. Those materials that were submitted do not address criteria 1, 2, or 3. No syllabus was provided which would further provide descriptions of how the course might meet the criteria listed previously.

B) Mathematical Studies (MA)/(CS) (Joe Rody)

none

C) Humanities, Fine Arts & Design (HU) (Gregory Castle)

From ASU

Approved for HU designation, retroactive effective Fall 2012 (new):

IAP 294  Introduction to Game Studies.

Approved for HU designation, effective Spring 2013 (new):

MUE 310  Music in Early Childhood
MUE 311  Music in the Lives of Children and Youth

From MCCCD

Approved for HU designation, Spring 2012 (new):

INT 115 Historical Architecture and Furniture

Approved for HU designation, Summer 2012 (new):

REL 151 Religion in the Hispanic World

Approved for HU designation, retroactive Fall 2011 (new):

REL 240 Religion and Science
From ASU
Revise & Resubmit (new):

IAP 294  Game Over

_Rationale:_ Not enough information. Seems marginal at best in terms of fulfilling the designation. The readings are hard to find (the links were “dead” when I tried them) and they look like faculty sites elsewhere. I can’t recommend giving the designation based on this information.

From ASU
Deny (new):

MGT 290  My Life Venture

_Rationale:_ For Criteria one, life experience and entreprenuership are marshalled as evidence of humanities. As for Criteria three, speaks (a) of personal history (b) personal context. As for criteria 4, the emphasis is on personality types (as opposed to “philosophical and/or religious systems of thought”). By its own description and justification, this course does not meet the criteria. I see no assigned readings or writing assignments commensurate with a HU course.

D) Social and Behavioral Sciences (Rebecca Barry)
From ASU

Approved for SB designation, effective Spring 2013 (new):

TCL 220  Transborder Latina/o Expressive Culture

E) Natural Sciences (SQ/SG) (Ron Dorn)
From MCCCD

Approved to retain SQ designation, (mandatory review):

GLG 101/103 Introduction to Geology I

F) Cultural Diversity in the United States (Alejandra Elenes)
From ASU

None
G) Global Awareness (Mike Tueller)  
From MCCCD  

Approved for G designation, effective Summer 2012 (new):  

REL 151 Religion in the Hispanic World

H) Historical Awareness (Jeffry Ricker)  
From MCCCD (New):  

Approved for H designation, effective Spring 2012 (new):  

INT 115 Historical Architecture and Furniture

6. Adjournment  
The meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

Submitted by Phyllis Lucie