Curriculum Committee Meeting  
September 24, 2013 1:00pm

Members Present: Vanessa Cole, Paul Briggs, Kalawaia Moore, Ross Langston, Janine Oshiro, Patricia Chong, Kathleen French

Guests: Kevin Morimatsu, Brian Richardson

Note-taker: Note taker volunteer for next meeting: Ross

1. New Course: HWST 296: Special topics in Hawaiian Studies

*Ross Langston moved to accept HWST296. Paul Briggs seconded. Unanimous approved (7).


Discussion about HWST 296:

Question: Is there articulation for this course?

- More specific to our college
- Patti note that 200 level courses transfers as 200 even if Manoa has similar course on 300 level
- Representative to Manoa to start discussions, will discuss numbering

Question: Can we different alpha for different topics?

- Want to have flexibility to have different topics
- Seeing title might help

Question: Does each topic need to go through curriculum?

- If SLOs are different should go through curriculum
- As is, SLOs are broad enough for all topics

Word smithing of SLOs took place:

- Identify important concept and facts particular to the course topic
- Analyze and interpret the nature and significance of the course topic
• Investigate connections between the selected course topic and contemporary events and issues

Question: Where will information regarding the topic for that semester be given to students?

• Course listing - notes could have website link
• Flyers to inform students
• Specific course info will be available in schedule
• Title or theme under the course name
• Banner notes

Need to work on communication of course offered with counselors

Number 29- Elective for all of ASC/ASNS

Counselors needs to know where it fulfills requirement. Electives listed on back of sheet.

Need changes to the form to list the areas it fulfills as an elective:

1. Olelelo
2. Moolelo
3. Ahupuaa
4. Performance
5. Visual Arts

Question: Can we put in the catalog repeatability?

• 6 credits - can be repeated twice. Can form be changed more than 6
  o Yes, but should be for different topics.
• Brian changed repeatability to include 9 credits
• Nine credits may be applied to the AA degrees (with different topics)
• It’s an elective

Question about internal database form: On the form should we have more choices or have place where it can be written:

  o Check boxes can help keep consistency
  o If text is entered, then can write in specific. Then we can clean it up and ask presenter if that’s what they want.
  o Should it be for a particular AA, since there are more than one? Should it be clearer?
  o Should it have a pull down?
  o Could be a table of answers.

For now, would only apply for AA and not AS, can stay for now.
All courses on discussion board will be on agenda for next time if proposers submit them.

What Patti wrote is good for the IS courses, so we should all read.

2. **Concerning diversification for IS proposals on the Discussion Board:**

   Patti called Manoa about having IS classes in two different diversification areas, DH and DP. From system: look at hallmarks for eligibility. For eligibility, 2/3 of course should meet the diversification hallmarks.

   Polynesian Voyaging can be either DP or DH can’t do both. Ross will talk to Joe concerning 2/3 of requirements.

   Where do IS courses fit in?

   IS103 –is social science more than language

Question: Is this a curriculum issue?

Yes

Scheduling for IS - ambiguity - Who gets SSH.

   Particular courses can be associated with department. Need some kind of locus. Different campuses have courses in different departments that IS courses are attached to. Some not classified as interdisciplinary but rather other.

IS103 is offered at other campuses under different departments.

**Meeting adjourned – 2:28pm**

**Minutes submitted by Vanessa Cole**