Social Sciences Department
Meeting Minutes
Hale Kuhina 115
1:00 p.m., January 23, 2013 (W)

Attended: Falisha Herbic, Frank Palacat, Kathleen French, Pam DaGrossa, Paul Briggs, Roy Fujimoto, Toshi Ikagawa
Not attended: Margie Coberly

Meeting was called to order at 1:05 pm.

1. Minutes of last meeting → Will be posted soon

2. eCafe Departmental Representative
   • Frank will be the representative

3. GLO #1: Communication: Departmental Dialogue
   • Priority: Collaborate with other instructors
     o Rationale: Share and gain new ideas, methods, etc. to enhance our ability to improve communication skills of students
     o Plan: Start conversation among us (department/campus-wide)
     o Timeline: Fall 2013
   • Priority: Professional development events/activities in communication
     o Rationale: Foster communication skills among us, hence among students
     o Plan: Plan professional development events/activities
     o Timeline: Fall 2013
   • Priority: Utilizing available supports
     o Rationale: Students can use available support such as speech lab to enhance their communication skills
     o Plan: Encourage students to use the available support
     o Timeline: Fall 2013

4. ANTH position
   • Motion: Social Sciences Department strongly demands the continuation of ANTH half-time position (unanimously approved)
   • Motion: Better is to make the ANTH position as a fulltime position (unanimously approved)

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 pm.
Submitted by Toshi Ikagawa