Social Sciences Department  
October 23, 2013-Alakai 118  
Meeting Agenda  

Attending: Rachel Harvey, Toshi Ikagawa, Frank Palacat, Paul Briggs, Sarah Inouye, Kathleen French  
Guest: Patti Chong  

1. Update on WCC Social Work Program-Toshi Ikagawa  
   a. Right now, SW 200 at WCC is counted as an elective. But if a student met with an academic advisor at UHM, then the student can petition that course to be equivalent to UHM SW 200.  
   b. Just offering one section of SW 200 is sufficient for now at Windward CC.  
   c. It is requested that the SW 200 course be publicized in other Social Science courses, perhaps those courses can feed into SW program at UHM.  

2. SSCI 200-Pros and Cons of offering it-Rachel Harvey  
   a. The question is, should Social Sciences offer this course given that while it fulfills the DS requirement, it may not fulfill the research and methods requirement for such departments as Psychology or Sociology?  
      i. SSCI 200 does count as a DS (Social Sciences) course.  
      ii. Might be a good idea to archive SSCI 200 and perhaps create another course that would fit the needs for the SS majors.  
      iii. It was decided by the Social Sciences Department to not offer SSCI 200 in the Spring 2014 semester. Paul B. will take the course off the schedule or contact Brian to do so.  

3. IS 103-Should It Be in the Social Sciences-Patti Chong  
   a. This will be for informational purposes only. No decision will be made.  
      i. Patti Chong is at the meeting to promote the move of IS 103 from Social Sciences to Student Services.  
      ii. The Social Sciences Department decided to make a recommendation regarding IS 103.  
         1. Motion 1-Remove IS 103 from Social Sciences  
            a. Motion Carried unanimously.  
      b. Brian Richardson will come to the next CC meeting on November 12 to discuss IS 103. Then perhaps this will come up on the Discussion Board.  

4. Meeting adjourned at 2:15 pm. Next meeting will be November 6 in Alakai 118.