

The College of William and Mary  
Educational Policy Committee

Minutes  
September 9, 2013

Attending: James Armstrong, Ryan Corcoran (Student), Joshua Erlich, John Gilmour (Co-Chair), Lu Ann Homza (Ex-Officio), Hiroshi Kitamura, Thomas Linneman, Heather MacDonald, Sallie Marchello (Ex-Officio), Jack Martin, Vassiliki Panoussi, Jackson Peterson (Student), April Pisano (Student), Dorothy Reyes (recording secretary), Diane Shakes (Chair), Cory Springer (Guest).

Meeting called to order at 1:00 pm.

1. New Course Applications

AFST	Race, Chess Records, and the Blues Approved pending AFST and MUSC course numbers on the 300 level. Specify that it is a cross-listed course with MUSC, and Title change to “The Birth of Chicago Blues”
AFST 218	Introduction to Caribbean Diaspora Approved
AFST 318	Seminar on Caribbean Diaspora Approved
EDUC 480/INTR 490	Leadership Theory and Application Pending confirmation of approval from School of Education. Needs INTR course number other than topic number. Ask for clarification on how work load is divided.
MSCI 333	Coastal Environments in South Central Alaska; Copper River and Prince William Sound Ask for clarification on the grading issue since this is a spring semester course but extends through the summer. Credits/grading will be in the summer, therefore considered as a summer school course. The committee had questions about how/when the course would be graded. Can it be broken down into a 1 credit spring semester course and a 2 credit summer course?

2. Course Change Applications

SOCL 340

Special Topics in Sociology  
Approved

3. Curriculum Change Applications

English Department

Approved

Neuroscience

Approved

4. Curriculum Review

John Gilmour gave a quick review of the Curriculum Review. John Gilmour will propose an amendment to FAC on COLL 200 domains. COLL 300 will be voted by EPC on the next EPC meeting on Tuesday, September 16.

EPC raised a question whether student's representatives are welcome to attend the FAS meeting. Per the Dean's Office, students are welcome to attend.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:50pm.