

The College of William and Mary  
Educational Policy Committee

Minutes  
April 8, 2014

Attending: James Armstrong, Ryan Corcoran (Student), John Gilmour (Co-Chair), Lu Ann Homza (Ex-Officio), Thomas Linneman, Heather Macdonald, Sallie Marchello (Ex-Officio), Jack Martin, Vassiliki Panoussi, April Pisano (Student), Diane Shakes (Co-Chair), Theresa Lovegreen (Academic Advising), Cory Springer (Guest).

Meeting called to order at 3:30 pm.

1. New Business

February 10, 2014 Minutes - approved

March 10, 2014 Minutes - approved

2. New Course Applications

CRWR 476	Visiting Writer Master Class Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
FMST 150	Freshman Seminar in Film and Media Studies Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014. This was modified to a standard 4 credit "W" version
GOVT 310	Game Theory and Politics Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
HISP 307	Spanish for Specific Purposes Approved after clarification that student transcripts would have topic specific course titles.
MATH 210	Linearity Approved
MSCI 464	Marine Conservation Biology Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014

3. Course Change Applications

ARAB 303 (formerly 202)	Media Arabic – renumbering and scheduling change Registrar handled approval
ARAB 290	Topics in Arabic Dialects Approved
ARAB 304	Introduction to Arabic Dialects Approved
ARAB 309	Survey of Arabic Literature in Translation Approved
ARAB 310	Topics in Modern Arabic Literature in Translation Administrative approval. Addition of standard “topics courses may be repeated when topic varies”
ARAB 311	Special Topics in Arabic Culture Administrative approval. Addition of standard “topics courses may be repeated when topic varies”
GOVT 311	European Political Systems Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
GOVT 374	Political Behavior Approved
HISP 281	Introduction to Hispanic Studies Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
HISP 399	International Service-Learning Seminar & Internship Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
RLST 206	Reading the Bible in Hebrew II Archived, will be renumbered to 301

#### 4. Curriculum Change Applications

Africana Studies	Options for fulfilling AFST's language requirement. Edited to clarify that all options are clearly <i>in addition to</i> the College requirements. Approved.
Anthropology	Approved. Moving from multiple senior capstone possibilities to one only
Applied Science	Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
CAMS	Tentatively approved but EPC members wanted a simplified name, if possible. Upon further consultation, the naming is standard and necessary to distinguish between other programs. Diane to consult with Eric Bradley, chair of MATH, to be sure MATH (and other impacted departments) are aware of this initiative. Discussions are on-going.
Economics	Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
English	Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
German Studies	Approved
Hispanic Studies 412	Approved electronically April 2 2014. This application should have been a course change rather than a curriculum change
Neuroscience	Approved by electronic vote on April 2, 2014
5. GER Applications	
African Studies (GER 4C & 5)	This class on Hip Hop Class was approved for GER5 but not for GER 4, they need a better justification
Art and Art History (GER 4C)	Approved
6. Continuing discussion of COLL courses. Committee considered a new set of revisions to the COLL100 document (criteria for faculty developing new courses and questions for EPC when considering new courses). Discussion of COLL100, 150, and 200 will be continued at the April 14 <sup>th</sup> meeting.	

The meeting was adjourned at 4:40.