Educational Policy Committee Minutes April 20, 2018

Present: Laurie Wolf (chair), Elizabeth Harbron, Cory Springer, Weizhen Mao, Randy Coleman, Brian Kreydatus, Hiroshi Kitamura, Sallie Marchello, Jenny Taylor, Tuska Benes, Shannon White, Paul Blossom, Tom Linn

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- 1. Approval of previous minutes
- 2. Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in GIS (Geospatial Information System/Science)

Shannon gave a description of the proposed certificate program. The highlights are: the program is aimed at professionals only; courses are cross-listed as 400 and 500 levels; on-line courses may be offered in the future; the number of credits is fifteen but may be increased to eighteen for a possible GIS minor.

Sallie pointed out that there is no certificate program in A&S now. A task-force may need to be created to study policy and logistic issues.

EPC advised Shannon to start submitting proposals for new and modified GIS courses. Meanwhile, EPC will form a subcommittee that will include Shannon to start working in the summer or fall.

3. Course approvals

The EPC voted to approve the following courses/proposals:

ART - 225 - Topics in Art: Perceptions of Time

ENGL - 150 - Coming of Age: Identity and Community in Young Adult Literature

ENGL - 353 - INTERNATIONAL MODERNISM

GOVT INRL PUBP - 390 - Foreign Policy: International Development and Security

HISP - 489 - Seminar in Hispanic Studies

HIST - 214 - The Era of Jamestown

HIST - 215 - The World of Thomas Jefferson

HIST - 216 - Teaching American HIstory with Historic Sites

HIST - 217 - The Founding of Jamestown through the American Revolution

HIST - 218 - The American Revolution through the Civil War

HIST - 219 - Era of the American Revolution in Virginia

HIST - 220 - Williamsburg: Colonial and Revolutionary

HIST - 336 - History of the Ottoman Empire: 1300-1923

HIST - 408 - NIAHD Field School in Public History

HIST - 409 - Public History

INRL - 390 - Foreign Policy: International Development and Security

Kinesiology & Health Sciences - Allied Health Concentration Modern Languages and Literatures - French and Francophone Studies MUSC - 370 - African American Spiritual RUSN - 397 - Major Works of Dostoevsky (Taught in English) CHEM - 100 - Light at the Museum: the Science and Art of Conservation INTR - 161 - Transitions: W&M (approved for 1 credit)

The EPC requested a detailed syllabus for the following course: ENGL - 370 - GLOBAL POSTMODERNISM

4. Additional business

Tuska reported that some COLL 100 and 150 courses can not be found on Curriculog. Registrar's office will look into this matter.

Cory will follow up the MLL-Italian course change proposal.