

EPC Minutes
1/18/19

In attendance: Elizabeth Harbron (chair), John Donahue, Cory Springer, Tom Linneman, Randy Coleman, Brian Kreydatus, Tuska Benes, Jonathan Glasser, Mike Deschenes, Michael Kordosky, Leslie Grant, Matthew Dungan, Jackie Keshner, Katherine Brownfiel, Sallie Marchello, Susan Bosworth, Elizabeth Mead (secretary)

Meeting began at 2:02 PM

1. Approval of minutes from 11/30/18, 12/7/18, 12/14/18, and 1/15/19

Approved

2. Proposals – consent calendar

AMST 352 – Social Determinants of Health	new course application (topics conversion)
AMST ANTH 317 – Insurgent Geographies	COLL 300
ANTH 316 – Movement: Theory and Practice	COLL 300
APSC 440 – Respiratory Neurobiology	COLL 400
ECON 344 – African Economic Development	new course application
ECON 384 – Labor Markets and Entrepreneurship	new course application
ENGL 357A – Modern Poetry, 1930's-1970's	course change application
ENGL 357B – Modern Poetry after 1960	new course application
KINE 401 – Neurophysiology of Aging	proficiency application (major writ. req.)-
removed from consent calendar	
PHIL 330 – Ethics in Data Science	COLL 200 (ALV>CSI, NQR)- removed from
consent calendar	
THEA 343 – Puppetry in Performance	new course application (topics conversion)

Approved with the exception of KINE 401 and PHIL 330

3. Proposals- for discussion

KINE 401 – Neurophysiology of Aging	proficiency application (major writ. req.)-
removed from consent calendar	
PHIL 330 – Ethics in Data Science	COLL 200 (ALV>CSI, NQR)- removed from
consent calendar	

Question regarding writing requirement for KINE 401. Request for instructor to describe how the course fits the COLL 200 attribute in the syllabus for PHIL 330. Following discussion and clarification both approved.

AMST ANTH 317 – Insurgent Geographies	COLL 300
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Discussion regarding courses having both 200 and 300 Approved.

ANTH 316 – Movement: Theory and Practice	COLL 300
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No further discussion. Approved

APSC 440 – Respiratory Neurobiology	COLL 400
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Question regarding paper length. Approved

4. New Business

Proposed deadlines for spring '19 early

Discussion: Burdensome for COLs not yet approved not appearing on schedule prior to approval. Can we make the classes visible prior to approval? Difficult to track. In previous years some courses listed in advance of approval were never approved leaving students without the COLL designation. However, only 2 classes last term were not approved. Still consequences high for students involved.

Cross-listing:

- Should we limit the number of departments/programs in which a single course can be cross-listed? An instructor recently requested to cross-list a course in 8 different departments/programs. Should we consider limiting this number to 2 or 3?

Discussion: Example offered: Theater course cross-listed with 7 other courses caused problems on Banner for example missed attributes. How can a course actually serve or represent this many different subjects? People cited the challenges of adequately covering material this vast. Some smaller programs rely on cross-listing to get necessary enrollment numbers.

Elizabeth is going reach out to program directors to gather more information.

Meeting adjourned 2:35 PM