

**EPC Minutes
April 15, 2022**

In attendance: Annie Blazer, Ben Boone, Susan Bosworth, Magali Compan, Jim Deverick, Josh Erlich, Larry Evans, Brennan Harris, Matt Haug, Christy Porter, Sallie Marchello, Denise Ridley-Johnston, Kristin Wustholz (chair), Amy Xia

1. Approval of the April 8 Minutes

- *The minutes were approved by unanimous consent.*

2. Consent calendar

PUBP - 491 - Law and Public Policy	COLL 400
HISP - 209 - Spanish for the Professions	New course
HISP - 389 - Separate and Unequal: Race and Education	COLL 350
FMST - 310 - World Cinema Before Television	Course change

- *The consent calendar was approved by unanimous consent.*

3. Updates on FLP, Sustainable COLL Curriculum, DATA (Ben Boone)

- *FLP - Concerns discussed including Portuguese FLP through Latin America Studies and Ancient Egyptian through a series of courses. Josh Erlich clarified that the courses to fulfill the Portuguese FLP were approved previously by EPC but NOT the FLP component. Ancient Egyptian was approved for FLP on a one-year pilot basis. EPC needs to discuss and clarify the policies for what can and cannot satisfy the language requirement.*
- *COLL - Townhalls on COLL curriculum will be taking place and the organizers and Dean's Office will report back to EPC.*
- *CATALOG – Dean's Office is working on cleaning up the course catalog to make information more accessible and eliminate redundancies. Some EPC policy changes may be necessary and EPC subgroups may be formed to work on these policy changes.*
- *DATA – Ben Boone is working with Jamie Settle on sorting out replication of courses/content as Data Science puts together the curriculum for their program.*

4. Other proposals

Data Science - NA	Curriculum change
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Approved (4-yes/3-no) after clarification that this approval was only for renumbering and description of major requirements</i>	
HIST - 304 - Brazil <i>Approved</i>	COLL 300
HIST - 312 - History of Washington, D.C., Promise and Paradox	Nontraditional modes
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Approved - Discussed concerns about setting precedent for on-line and hybrid courses as COLL.</i>	
THEA - 353 - Introduction to Improvisation	COLL 200

- *Tabled - EPC has concerns that this course does not meet CSI. Refer instructor to CLA.*

ENGL - ENGL 210 - Topics in Literature: The Victorian Supernatural

COLL 200

- *Approved*

PUBP - 390 - DC Summer Institute: Reflections on Decision Making in Foreign Policy

Nontraditional modes

- *Tabled – EPC has concerns over the credit structure for this and related courses. Mike Tierney will be invited to EPC to provide clarification.*

Film and Media Studies - FMST

Curriculum change

- *Tabled – EPC needs clarification regarding the approval of FMST 315 as a course and whether this course is part of the curriculum change. Ben Boone will reach out to proposer.*

History - History Major

Curriculum change

- *Approved*

FMST - 250 - Introduction to Film & Media Studies

Domain

FMST - 311 - World Cinema After Television

Domain

- *Approved (both FMST 250 & 311)*

BUAD INTR - 390 - Esports Ecosystem

COLL 200

- *Tabled – Send back to instructor for clarification on how the course meets NQR.*

FMST - 330E - Irish Cinema

New course

- *Tabled – Ben Boone working with Reeves Center on how and whether these recurring courses taught by faculty at other institutions should be handled.*

GIS 201/201L

- *Tabled – EPC needs more time to review.*

5. Other business

- *Planned end of year get together May 13th 3-4 pm*
- *12:29 pm – Meeting adjourned*